

# LET US WORSHIP GOD

12/14/25

Pastor Deb Roher

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, JOYS, CONCERNS

## READING OF MISSION STATEMENT\*

## GREET EACH OTHER IN PEACE

## CENTERING MUSIC/LIGHTING OF SANCTUARY

**OPENING PRAYER:** Merciful God, you sent your messengers and prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation. Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may celebrate aright the commemoration of the nativity, and may await with joy the coming in glory of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## **CALL TO WORSHIP: \* Luke 1:47-48**

L: My soul magnifies the Lord,

**P: And my spirit rejoices in God, my Savior,**

L: For the mighty one has done great things for me,

**P: And holy is his name.**

**HYMN:\*** Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus

*Red Hymnal #196*

**ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING:** Jerry & Nan Clark

**HYMN:** Light the Advent Candle- vs. 3

#2090 in "The Faith We Sing" hymnal

## CHILDRENS CHAT

## OFFERING

- o **CONTEMPORARY HYMN:** Hark the Herald Angels  
Sing (slides)

## DOXOLOGY\*

**SCRIPTURE READINGS** : Isaiah 11:35:1-10;

James 5:7-10; Matthew 11:2-11

**HYMN:** Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates

*Red Hymnal # 213*

## MESSAGE:

## PASTORS PRAYER

**LORD'S PRAYER:** Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

**HYMN:\*** O Come, O Come Emmanuel verses 3 & 4 with antiphons 3 & 4

*Red Hymnal #211*

## CHARGE & BENEEDICTION\*

Red Hymnal # 208

Go in Peace

*\*Indicates to stand if you are able*

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS**

There will be NO Contemporary Worship Service on 12/25  
Bible Study @ 9:45 am led by Jerry Clark. Come join us!  
(NO Bible study December 21<sup>ST</sup> AND 28<sup>th</sup>)

**BLAST** for children K-6<sup>th</sup> grade is offered during worship on  
the 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays. Children are welcome to stay for  
worship and communion on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month.

Craft Group will meet Tuesday December 9<sup>th</sup>  
@7 PM (no craft grp. December 23<sup>rd</sup>)

12/21-Childrens Christmas Presentation & Coffee Hr  
Special Music

12/24- Contemporary Service @ 5 pm followed by a  
Candlelight Service @ 7 pm

12/31- Healing Service @ 3 pm

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### **TODAYS VOLUNTEERS:**

**RAMP: Kathy Tubbs    FRONT: Shelly Bengston**

**USHERS: Kathy & Shelly    LAY READER: Donna Crouse**

**ACOLYTE: Ale & Koda Caraballo**

### **OFFICE HOURS:**

**MON-THURS. 8:30-2PM**

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