

WE WORSHIP TOGETHER

We Glorify God- Love People- Serve the World

December 6, 2015

Prelude

Jeanean Kimball

Welcome & Announcements

Pastor Marc

Advent Wreath

The Reed Family

*** Hymn # 277**

Hark the Herald Angels Sing

***Call To Worship**

Responsively

L: A voice cries:

**P: “In the wilderness prepare the way of the Lord,
make straight in the desert a highway for our God.”**

L: As we worship today, let us prepare to welcome

God’s dramatic work in our midst, in our hearts,

in our community, and in all of creation.

P: Let us worship God.

***Hymn #250**

Oh Little Town of Bethlehem

Call to Confession

In

Unison

**Lord Christ, we confess our willingness to be loved but also
our reluctance to love. We confess our readiness to accept
your forgiving love but also our refusal to forgive. We confess
our eagerness to grasp your offer of redeeming love but also
our resistance to follow you without question. In this Advent
time, forgive us our failure to respond as we should. Come to
us anew, and by your grace, assist us to receive you with joy,
as the shepherds; with gratitude, as Simeon; with obedience,
as Mary; with love, as you have loved us. Even so: come,
Lord Jesus. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

All: Thanks be to God!

Children's Message

Pastor Marc

Offering Prayer/ Offertory/*Doxology #815

Prayers of the People Joys/Concerns/Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading: **Isaiah 40:1-11, Mark 1:1-8**
(Red - Pg. 638 & 881, Black - Pg. 828 & 1151)

Message What Child is This? - Part 2 Pastor Marc

Communion Hymn# 460 Let us Break Bread Together

Communion

***Hymn #249 O Come, All Ye Faithful**

* Blessing and Benediction Pastor Marc

Postlude Jeanean Kimball

Church Mission Statement

Our purpose is to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ through preaching, teaching, and mission. Our goal is to lead people to faith in Christ as a personal savior and encourage continued spiritual growth through participation in our church family, greater community, and the world.

Next Week's Scripture: Luke 1:46b-55

Announcements:

Countyline Youthgroup

Countyline Youthgroup will not meet next Sunday. Instead, we will be assisting with the Walk Through Bethlehem on December 11-12. For more details, talk with Drue, Terry, or Alex.

Christmas for our Shut-ins

If you would like to deliver a plant to a shut-in please talk to Shirley.

Memorial Balls

Sign up by Dec. 13th for those you wish to remember this season. \$5 each.

Cookie Sign Up Sheet

Sign up to provide for December 11th and 12th for Walk Through Bethlehem guests.

Prayer Concerns:

Derek Bogart

Chris Holmes

Pam Retherford

Birthdays:

12-8 Ivan Goosen

Anniversaries:

Cassie Bieri
Brinkman

Ron Engstrom

Diane Anderson

Cole Peterson

Kay Keller

Patsy Bell

Jan Mueller

Jim Brislawn

Dave Reason

Ann Boruff

Joann Kimball Kenneston

Harold Blaser

12-3 Glenn & Joyce

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