

# Faith United Methodist Church

Loving God... Reaching and Serving our Neighbors in Christ



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## **PRAYER LIST:**

Dean & Cheryl Strausbaugh, Jake Everhart, Dave Depinet, Kathleen Jackson, Anna Grover, Shirley Kear Valentine, Eunice Dupey, Snyder Family, Wayne Kirby, Brenda Brickner, Liz Barber, Rodney Cole, Stacey Brock, Bob & Cherie Nichols, Diane Culver, Delores Little, Pandemics, and those experiencing loss: Everhart Family in the passing of Kirk Everhart.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**WORSHIP BY PHONE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. CALL (339) 207-6119.**

**ADVENT BIBLE STUDY - WEDNESDAYS, DEC. 2, 9, 16, 23 AT 6:00PM**

Using *Names for the Messiah: An Advent Study* by Dr. Walter Bruggeman. Author ponders the four prophetic titles of Isaiah 9:6 - Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, & Prince of Peace. Call church office if you plan to attend. Depending on number of participants, we will meet in-person and/or by Zoom. Books available in the office beginning Tuesday, November 24<sup>th</sup>. See Pastor Coney for more information.

**SPRC MEETING - TUESDAY, DEC 1 AT 6:30PM**

# Order of Worship

Music provided by Jan Foy and The Klopfensteins

## **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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## **OPENING PRAYER**

Father God, we thank You that You have promised to be with us no matter what difficult circumstances invade our lives. We lift up our many brothers and sisters in Christ who are facing increasingly hard times. We watch and wait for the return of our Lord Jesus Christ, joining with the Spirit to pray: "Come, Lord Jesus, Come". In these difficult times, we ask for Your strength and courage to face whatever lies ahead, knowing that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us... and that nothing can separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus. **AMEN.**

## **ADVENT WREATH: Isaiah 64: 1-5a**

The Klopfensteins

Sung Response *Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.*  
(Refrain to O Come, O Come, Emmanuel)

## **JOYS & CONCERNS**

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## **PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER**

## **RECEIVING TITHES AND OFFERING:**

Prayer of Thanksgiving

## **SCRIPTURE**

*I Corinthians 1:3-9*

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## **SERMON**

*"This Place is a Mess!"*

## **CLOSING HYMN**

*Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus*

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## **BLESSING**

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