## **WORSHIP SERVICE**

**DECEMBER 8, 2024 - 10:00 AM** 

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: Advent Reading

\*Opening Song

"Once In Royal David's City"

\*Greeting

"O Come O Come Emmanuel"

"Born In Bethlehem"

Announcements/Prayer

Scripture

Sermon Theme: "Advent - Get Ready"

\*Song of Response: "King of Kings"

\*Parting Blessing

\*Postlude

Unified Praise Team Pastor AJ Santino

Growing in Christ in Unity-Loving and Serving the Community

### SUNDAY VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE/ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Host Schedule:** 

Today: George Schaver Next Week: Ruth Everett

Exit Offering Schedule:

Today: General Fund & Tuition Assistance Fund

Next week: General Fund & Building Fund

Refreshment Schedule:

**Today:** DeMarco Family and Gwen **Next Week:** Bonsanto Family

**Sick & Shut-ins:** Ray & Jule Martin, Betty Dykman, Genevieve Douma. Please continue to pray for those with new or continued health concerns: Shane Bilheimer, Diane Bosloper, Diana Lorentz, Priscilla Nyman, Ilene Potoak, Rebecca Ross, Bob Van Gurp.

Today is **Faith Promise Sunday**. Please remember our missionaries through your prayer and financial support. Our missionaries of the month are Doug & PJ Higby. They work for SIL in Bible translation, and in producing electronic Bible study materials in various languages.

We will be serving refreshments after the candlelight service on Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>. If you'd like to provide a treat, please sign up on the sheet downstairs.

All are invited to help us on Saturday, <u>Dec. 21<sup>st</sup></u> at 10:00AM to sort all the warm accessories for our mission project.

**Coffee Fellowship:** If you would like to help provide and serve refreshments, please add your name to the schedule. Any questions, please see Brenda.

**Sunday School:** All kids in Pre-K - 6<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to join us each week after worship in the TV room.

**Catechism** for grades 7-12. We meet in the ministry center after worship.

**Youth Group:** For Middle and High Schoolers. Sundays in the Ministry Center from 6-8PM.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Enter In**: Come to be still with God and worship Him. First Sunday of the month.

**Cadets** is a program for boys in grades 1-8. They typically meet on the first and third Mondays at 7PM.

Women's Bible study will not meet again until after the new year.

**Dig In:** Wednesdays at 6:00PM. Food, Fun, Fellowship. All are invited to join us.

**Discipleship Class:** <u>Saturdays</u> at 10:00AM led by Bruce Jacobs in the Ministry Center. All are invited to attend.

The Porch, an intercessory prayer group, meets on <u>Thursdays</u> at 10:30AM at church. Please bring a Bible, journal, and pen. If you have any questions, please see Ruth Everett.

Service Project: Please sign up on the sheet downstairs if you plan to join us on our service project after worship on Sunday, <a href="December 22">December 22</a>. We will be going to Paterson to deliver sandwiches and warm accessories. If you would like to donate men's or unisex hats, gloves, scarves, or socks, please leave them in the designated area downstairs. We are also accepting monetary donations to purchase them as well.

## **CHURCH CALENDAR**

TODAY	10:00AM	Worship Service
	11:30AM	Sunday School & Catechism
	6:00PM	Youth Group
MONDAY	7:00PM	Council Meeting
WEDNESDAY	6:00PM	Dig In
THURSDAY	10:30AM	The Porch
	6:00PM	Women of Hope
FRIDAY	8:30AM	New Hope Christmas Market
SATURDAY	9:00AM	New Hope Christmas Market
	10:00AM	Discipleship Class
SUNDAY	10:00AM	Worship Service
	11:30AM	Sunday School & Catechism
	6:00PM	Youth Group

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Please note that the date of the Candlelight Service has been changed to Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>.



# **HOLIDAY WORSHIP CALENDAR**

Sunday, Dec. 22 @ 10AM - Shortened worship with service project following

\*\*\*Sunday, Dec. 22 @ 6PM - Candlelight Service with refreshments following\*\*\*

Sunday, Dec. 25 @ 10AM - Christmas Day Communion Service

## **Unity Employment Opportunity**

Mark and Harriet Veenema will be resigning from their custodial position at the end of the year. If you are interested or would like more information, please see Ken Steenstra, Gregg Boonstra, Bruce Jacobs, or Pastor AJ.

FROM	IN MEMORY/HONOR/CELEBRATION/THANKS
Ruth Woudenberg	Jim Woudenberg
Ruth Woudenberg	Rin and Dot Woudenberg
Ruth Woudenberg	Rich and Helen Van Harken
Fred and Ruth Everett	Fred and Florence Everett
Fred and Ruth Everett	Marie Meenen
Fred and Ruth Everett	Brother Peter Meenen
Fred and Ruth Everett	In Honor and Thanks for the Santino Family
George and Robin Martin	Daniel McPherson
George and Robin Martin	George and Melva Faber
George and Robin Martin	Dave Boonstra
Mark and Linda Everett	Fred and Florence Everett
Mark and Linda Everett	Florene "Auntie" De Roo
Mark and Linda Everett	Trina De Roo
Mark and Linda Everett	Joanne Elzinga-Everett
Mark and Linda Everett	Rich Luyendyk
Mark and Harriet Veenema	Harold and Adna Bender
Mark and Harriet Veenema	Art and Catherine Veenema
Mark and Harriet Veenema	Lois Bender
Ray and Brenda Cornetto	Trina De Roo
Ray and Brenda Cornetto	Angelo and Carmelina Cornetto
Ray and Brenda Cornetto	Florence "Auntie" De Roo
Ray and Brenda Cornetto	Dave and Carol Anne Boonstra
Bruce and Carole Jacobs	James and Grace Van Wieren
Bruce and Carole Jacobs	Jim and Bertha Jacobs
Bruce and Carole Jacobs	Kevin Polulak
Bruce and Carole Jacobs	Ted Allen
Bruce and Carole Jacobs	In Celebration of Lukas James Jacobs
Bob and Leslie DeJong	In Memory of Richard, Jeannette, Rick
	and Ron DeJong
Bob and Leslie DeJong	John Douma and Deborah Donkersloot
Bob and Leslie DeJong	In Appreciation of Pastor AJ and Larissa

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