

Christ United Methodist Church

Morning Worship: 9:00am

2nd Sunday of Advent

December 8, 2019

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Introit

Lighting of the Advent Candle

2nd verse of O Come, O Come, Emmanuel #211

*Call to Worship:

L: In this season of prophecy, promise, and preparation, we come to be renewed and refreshed

P: We come to be inspired by stories of a messiah who will change the world—and change us.

L: We come to listen for words of hope and joy, promise and challenge.

P: We come with open ears, open minds, and open hearts. We come to receive the blessings God has in store for us in this season of waiting.

L: Come! Let us worship our God—the One who brings all things to fulfillment.

***Hymn: #234 O Come All Ye Faithful**

Exchange of Greetings

Choir: Will We Know Him?

Prayers of the People/Pastoral Prayer/Offering, Doxology

Unison Prayer: Caring God, may your Spirit of generosity rest upon us, so that our giving does not end here, but flows forth with hope, grace, healing and peace to all around us, as well as to those we may never meet. In the name of Jesus, we pray.
Amen

Hymn: People's Choice

Scripture: Matthew 3:1-12

Message: Turnaround

***Hymn: #664 Sent Forth by God's Blessing**

Benediction—Postlude

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Lions Christmas Party Monday Dec. 9, 2019 6:00 pm.

United Methodist Women Christmas Party Wed. Dec. 11 6:00 pm at Sunset Bistro in Bowling Green.

Reach Friday Dec. 13, 2019 8:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Food Pantry Saturday Dec. 14, 2019 10:00 am to 11:30 am.

Orders are being taken for Christmas poinsettias. See the flyer in the bulletin for order forms and details. Today is the only day orders will be taken as the entire order needs to be in by Tuesday Dec. 10, 2019. Sorry for any inconvenience.

There will be a Christmas Eve Service. Time TBA

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Participants

Minister Rev. Rosanne Kalinowski
Pianist/Organist..... Kathy Bame
Ushers..... Tom and Carolyn Keys
LiturgistSandy Gill
Greeter-North..... Bruce and Deb Smith
Greeter-East Linda Allen

Attendance for December 1, 2019 35

Calendar for week of Dec. 8 to Dec. 14, 2019

Worship..... 9:00 am Sunday, Dec. 8, 2019
Sunday School..... 10:30 am Sunday, Dec. 8, 2019
Lions Christmas 6:00 pm Monday, Dec. 9, 2019
UMW Christmas 6:00 pm Wed., Dec. 11, 2019
Reach..... 8 to 4 pmFriday, Dec. 13, 2019
Food Pantry 9-11:30 am..... Sat., Dec. 14, 2019

Statistics for December 1, 2019

General Fund \$1,597.00
Coffee \$14.00
Benevolence \$25.00

Prayer List

Don Amos
Diana Amos Bacon - Heart condition
Jackie Krassow's cousin - cancer
Lori Ray (Pat Fortney's daughter) - back surgery
Tom and Alyce Roller
Bruce and Andrea Trout



POINSETTIA FOR CHRISTMAS

NAME _____ **Amount Due** _____

RED _____ **WHITE** _____ **PINK** _____

6 1/2 "POT, 5 TO 7 Blooms with Pot Cover

\$9.00 EACH – Make check payable to:

PORTAGE CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH.

Orders and Payment are due:

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2019

PLEASE GIVE PAYMENT TO ANNE DEUTSCHMAN

OR

PUT IN OFFERING PLATE