## What's Happening

**December 4th (Today)** 

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship

**December 5th (Monday)** 

10:30 am UMW Meeting

**December 6th (Tuesday)** 

10:00 am Advent Study

**December 7th (Wednesday)** 

6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

December 11th (Sunday)

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship

12:00 pm Meet and Greet Luncheon

**Vienna Sausages for Wesley House:** The UMW is collecting cans of Vienna sausages the first Sunday of each month. Please place donations in the baskets in the education hallway. Thank you!

**Add-A-Dollar:** The Add-A-Dollars collected today will go toward our "Urgent Maintenance and Supplies" fund. Thank you!

**Advent Study:** Pastor Linda is leading an Advent Bible study on Tuesdays at 10:00 am. The study will follow the book *The Angels of Christmas: Hearing God's Voice in Advent* by Susan Robb.

**UMW Meeting:** On Monday, December 5th, at 10:30 am the ladies of the UMW will meet for tea & cookies. The focus of the meeting will be their mission project 'Baby Shower for Jesus'. They will collect new items for newborns to give to Susannah's House. This helps them restock their baby shower closet.

**Meet and Greet:** Our monthly Meet and Greet luncheon will take place on Sunday, December 11th, following worship. The meat and dessert will be provided, please bring a side dish or salad to share.

Thank you for worshiping with us! Have a blessed week!



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# TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT, DECEMBER 4, 2022 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Ringing of the Chimes

The Bringing in of The Light of Christ

Prelude O Come, O Come Emmanuel 15th Century French Carol

Welcome On-Line and In-House, Parish Notices, Invocation

Advent Song Light the Advent Candle Mary Lu Walker
Lighting of the Advent Candle Barbara Montgomery & Florence Valentino

\*Morning Hymn The First Noel v. 1,2,3 #245

\*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed #881

\*Gloria Patri #70

Invitation See Insert

**Prayer of Confession** 

Silent Prayer

Pardon

Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory Ave Maria Schubert

\*Presentation of Offerings with Doxology #95

\*Offertory Prayer

Anthem To a Maid Engaged to Joseph Grindal/Edwards

New Testament Reading *Romans 15:4 - 13* 

Morning Message "Harmony Only Happens in the Same Room"

The Great Thanksgiving See Insert

The Giving of the Bread and Cup

Prayer

\*Sending Forth Hymn Infant Holy #229

\*Carrying The Light of Christ to the World

\*Benediction

Choral Response *Hyfrydol Charles Wesley*Postlude *Savior of Nations, Come J. S. Bach* 

#### IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

All men & women serving around the world—including those in our extended church family: Matthew Browder, Gary Shubert, Steve Pippin, and Jacob Shubert.

#### **Church Members**

Jim Anderson, Wayne Brock, John Brookshire, Dimple Browder, Ann Chumley, Olivia Clark, Doug & Janet Edwards, Jim Ellison, Holly Hamilton, Patsy Guy Hammontree, Sue Jane Hartsook, Chris Hicks, Lynn Hicks, Caroline Lauderdale, Pat Miller, Donald Perkey, Wanda Queener, Judy Smith, Daniel Sproul, Sylvia Sproul, Carolyn Tokarz, Margaret VanWormer

#### Friends and Family

Hugh Arr, Grace Babb, Brady Beane, Denim Beeler, Mark Bickers, Diane Booker, Marty Bruer, Laken Cluck, Bob Curry, Forrest Hardy, Landon Hardy, Miranda Hollifield, Evelyn Logan Johnson, Mary Sue Kelley, Ruth Ann Kelley, Nick Lawson, Randy Martin, Ciarra Morgan, Millie Munchenburg, Owen Radi, Jimmie Jane Ray, Tom & Martha Sinness, Rev. & Mrs. Walter Waddey, Ken Walker

\*Newly Added.

### **Altar Flowers**

The altar flowers this Sunday are in memory of LYNDA HAMMONTREE. Lynda was a wonderful person, a good wife and a great mother, and died unexpectedly in December of 2008--14 years ago this month. Those who knew her still miss her very much. The flowers today are placed on the Trinity altar by her husband: Jack Hammontree and her sons: Evan and Thad.

**Announcements:** Please give all announcements to Pastor Linda.

Ushers: Ab Brookshire, Matt Brookshire, Bob Brown, Rick Chester, Jack Hammontree, and Dennis VanWormer

**Acolytes:** Trinity Usher Corps

**Staff Gifts:** The Staff/Pastor Parish Relations Committee will be accepting monetary donations for Staff Gratitude Gifts now through Sunday, December 11th.

This is a way to show appreciation to all of our wonderful staff for the hard work they put in over the course of the year. Those who wish to contribute can place their gift in the offering plate during Sunday morning worship, drop in the mail or the box outside the office. Please mark your envelope/check as 'Staff Gifts'.

**Energizers:** Please save the date! The Energizers Lunch Bunch will meet on Thursday, December 15th. Time and place to be announced!

**Mark Your Calendars:** Trinity will host a churchwide Christmas party on Monday, December 12th, at 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please join us for some festive fun and fellowship! We also invite you to go caroling with us on Monday, December 19th, at 5:30 pm. This tradition is a great way to spread Christmas cheer to our neighbors!

A Note of Hospitality: Our restrooms are located in the hallway at the side entrance to the Sanctuary on the same floor. The women's restroom is to the right parallel to the stairway and the men's restroom is the first left down the hallway from the Sanctuary, then turn right and the restroom is end of hallway on the right. The nursery is located near the men's restroom.

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are able in body and/or spirit