

THIS WEEK ^{at} GLANCE



Sunday, December 19

8:45 am Worship Service
 10:00 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship Service

Tuesday, December 21

6:30 pm Praise Band Rehearsal

Wednesday, December 22

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, December 24

Office Closed-Christmas Holiday
 5:30 pm Christmas Eve Service

Sunday, December 27

10:30 am Combined Service

Monday, December 26

Office Closed-Christmas Holiday

Prayer Requests

Kathie Cannon
 Carol McCrary
 Daisy Ruud
 Kim Ruud
 Judy Sharman
 Jerry & Beverly Vickery
 Paige McCord
 Steven Maier
 Ted Wilson
 Bobbie Lou Craft
 Cissy, Jan Crowe's daughter
 Our church and our world
 Medical staff in hospitals

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Organist: Steve Ellison

Director Contemporary Music: Sara Bowden

Nursery Worker: Sharon Sheriff



Office Hours

Monday-Thursday

8:30 am - noon
 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Friday

8:30 am - noon

EFUMC Financial Report

As of December 15, 2021

YTD Tithes & Offerings	448,314
YTD Expenses	<u>414,157</u>
Over	34,157
Weekly Offering (12/12/2021)	9,563
Weekly Goal	10,500



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*Providing families and individuals a Christ-centered option
 in an increasingly complex and changing world through:*

Welcoming well

Meaningful worship

Encouraging small groups

Training teachers and leaders

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE

December 19, 2021

*Opening Song "The First Noel"	Praise Team David Crowder, Jack Parker, Jeremy Bush, Mark Waldrop, Mike Dodson, Mike Hogan
Welcome and Announcements	Charlene Fetterly
Pastoral Prayer	Pastor Michael
Lighting of the Advent Candle– Isaiah 9:6-7 We light this candle as a symbol of the Prince of Peace. May the visitation of your Holy Spirit, O God, make us ready for the coming of Jesus, our hope and joy. O come, O come, Emmanuel.	Kevin and Pam Bishop
*Song of Praise "O Come All Ye Faithful/We Adore You"	Praise Team C. Frederick Oakeley, John Francis Wade, Paul Baloche, Tim Janis
*Presentation of White Christmas Gifts	
Scripture Reading Micah 5:2-5a	Jill Powell
Children's Moments	Rev. Deana
*Scripture Reading Luke 1:39-55	Pastor Michael
Sermon "The Man of Peace"	Pastor Michael
Offering	
Song of Reflection "What Child Is This"	Praise Team Jason Ingram, John Thomas McFarland, Lauren Daigle, Martin Luther, Paul Mabury, William James Kirkpatrick
A Service of Holy Communion	Pastor Michael
The Lord's Prayer Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.	Pastor Michael
*Closing Song "Away In A Manger"	Praise Team Jason Ingram, John Thomas McFarland, Lauren Daigle, Martin Luther, Paul Mabury, William James Kirkpatrick
*Blessing	Pastor Michael

*Those who are able may stand

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

December 19, 2021

Pre-Service Music "In Heavenly Love Abiding" "O Come Little Children" "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"	Arr. Rick Deasley J.A.P. Schulz/John G. Barr Arr. Franklin D. Ashdown	Steve Ellison, Organ
Bell Tower Bells		Ushers
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Michael
Lighting of the Advent Candle– Isaiah 9:6-7 We light this candle as a symbol of the Prince of Peace. May the visitation of your Holy Spirit, O God, make us ready for the coming of Jesus, our hope and joy. O come, O come, Emmanuel. "Advent Song" TFWS #2090 (Stanza 4) ADVENT CANDLE SONG		Jeff Fogle Family
Opening Voluntary "Praise Ye the Lord of Hosts" from Christmas Oratorio	Camille Saint-Saens, Diane Rich	Steve Ellison, Organ
Call to Worship "The Angel Gabriel"	Chancel Choir; Mary Boggess, Soprano Soloist; Basque Carol/Arr. Edgar Pettman	Steve Ellison, Organ
*Congregational Hymn #230 "O Little Town of Bethlehem" ST. LOUIS		Steve Ellison, Organ
*Presentation of White Christmas Gifts		Rev. Deana
Children's Moments		Rev. Deana
Anthem "He Is Born"	Chancel Choir; Brandon Dean, Oboe; Steve Ellison, Handbells French Carol/Arr. John Wilson	
Scripture Reading Micah 5:2-5a		Teresa Nash
Pastoral Prayer		
The Lord's Prayer		
*Scripture Reading Luke 1:39-55		
Sermon "The Man of Peace"		Pastor Michael
Offertory "Humbly I Adore Thee" Trad. French plainsong incorporating "Canon in D"	Johann Pachelbel/ Robert Lau	Steve Ellison, Organ
*Doxology Hymn #95 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"		Steve Ellison, Organ
*Congregational Hymn #240 "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing" MENDLESSOHN		Steve Ellison, Organ
*Blessing		Pastor Michael
*Benediction Response "Come, Savior, Quickly Come"	Chancel Choir; Steve Ellison, Organ Don Cason	
Closing Voluntary "Swiss Noel"		Steve Ellison, Organ Claude Daquin/Don Hustad

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