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December 30, 2018 8:30am and 11:00am

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SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Preacher:the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland Liturgist: Ian C. Urriola			Organist: Benjamin Bugaile Cantor: Alexandra Smith		
Lector	(8:30)	Brian Cobb	(11:00)	Rich Tucker	
Ushers	(8:30)	Bob Miller Sunita Lough Troy Welck	(11:00)	Bob Kirschman Mike Smith Tom Stafford	
Greeter	(8:30)	Debra Gee Carol Strickland	(11:00)	Stefan Ruppman Keith Brescia	
Coffee Talk	(8:30)	Renee Rumingan	(11:00)	Alison Creswick	
Counters	Bob Herbolsheimer and Faunice Jackson				
Altar Flowers	Poinsettias				
<u>Prayer Concerns</u>					
At home	Marjorie Bailey, Crawford Grogan, Harold Grogan, Virginia Harrison, Lily Houseman, Margaret Kimbro				
College Students	Annabelle Bailey, Ally Bloss-Baum, Douglas Bossart, Hope Bossart, Evan Clinton, Marlee Cobb, Spencer Combs, Madison Cooper, Sophia deGuzman, Alex Eng, Katie Herbolsheimer, Jakob Hirsch, Kaylee Hirsch, Claire Joseph, Eileen Joseph, Nathan Kalbaugh, Irissa Maneechai, Alexandra Marple, Tyler Marple, Sydney Marple, Emma Mobley, Anna Rice, Campbell Scheuerman, Alex Smith, Ashley Smith, Jarman Taylor, Caroline Verrecchia, Brady Watts				
Service	For per	rsons serving overse	eas and their fa	milies	

OUR MISSION AND VISION STATEMENT

Our Mission

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Vision

Dulin Church is a caring congregation empowered by the Holy Spirit to bring God's ministry to all people and serve Jesus Christ with love.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

SILENCE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

"Suo Gan"

improv. - Bugaile

+ CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 148 UMH 861

The organ will play the response once, followed by the cantor.

The congregation is invited to sing at each "R."

+ HYMN UMH 250

"Once in Royal David's City"

Irby

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: Let us pray,

People: On this sixth day of Christmas, as another year draws to a close, we come together before God and one another, confessing the ways in which we have been caught up in the frenzied spirit of the holidays and turned away from Your Spirit of Peace; the times we have focused so much on our own lives and desires, that we have neglected the voices of your children who cry out for Justice; in our focus on making the season perfect, we have turned away from the hurting people and broken places in our world in need of Healing; in the times we have dismissed Christmas as only a time for children, and we have stubbornly closed our hearts to your amazing gift of LOVE. O Holy Child of Bethlehem, Word Become Flesh, our Savior and King, hear as we humbly pray, Cast out our sin and enter in; be born in us today. Amen.

arr. John Carter

HEAR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Leader: Let us pray,

People: Almighty God, as we celebrate the gift of your Son Jesus, embrace the world with your glory and be for us a living hope; in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE EPISTLE LESSON Colossians 3:12-17 (Pew Bible, New Testament, p. 190)

+ THE GOSPEL LESSON Luke 2:41-52 (Pew Bible, New Testament, pp. 55-56)

This is the word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Ian C. Urriola

+CRADLE MEDLEY

UMH 217 "Away in a Manger"	Away in a Manger
UMH 229 "Infant Holy, Infant Lowly"	W Zlobie Lezy
UMH 235 "Rock-a-Bye, My Dear Little Boy"	Rocking
UMH 241 "That Boy-Child of Mary"	Blantyre

SERMON "New Year's Resolutions" the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC

"Sing Joy!" Arr. Mark Hayes

Alex Smith, soloist; Savvy Smith, trumpet

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

+ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

DEPART TO SERVE

- + HYMN UMH 251 "Go, Tell It on the Mountain" Go Tell It on the Mountain
- + OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY
- + BLESSING AND BENEDICTION
- + ORGAN VOLUNTARY "Go, Tell It on the Mountain" Improvisation

Join us for "Coffee Talk" in the Wesley Room immediately following the service. +Stand, if you are able.