

No Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship

Prelude - *Martha Laub*

Greetings and Announcements - *Kevin Goertzen*

Call to Worship and Candle Lighting  
("Love Comes to Us at Christmas")

Congregational Singing - *Martha Laub*

Children's Story - *Phyllis Stevens*

Offering (*includes coin offering for missions*)

Congregational Singing and Handbells

Children's Story - *Kevin Goertzen*

Scripture Reading: Luke 2:1-20 - *Meg Emery*

Message: "A Decree and a Song" - *Kevin Goertzen*

Song of Response

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Closing Song

Benediction



*Christ is Born!!*

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**Today's Nursery Volunteers:** Carleen Layman (Maggie Brenneman)  
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Pastor Kevin will be **out of the church office** Dec. 27 - Jan. 5.

**Financial Update:** Congregational giving year-to-date: \$131,364;  
Estimated giving needed to cover expenses for the year: \$34,200.

## TODAY - MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

You are invited to join us for **Christmas lunch** at 12:30 today,  
even if you didn't bring any food!

## NEXT WEEK / COMING EVENTS

**Jan. 1:** No Sunday School - Worship at 10:30

**Jan. 3:** Evening Prayers (7:00 p.m.)

**Jan. 5:** Sewing Circle (9:30 a.m.)

**Jan. 8:** Celebrating the Lord's Supper as part of Sunday worship

**Jan. 20-22:** Teaching & Healing with Shawn Hurley

**Jan. 29:** Fifth Sunday Offering for Missions

**Feb. 27-Mar. 5:** Springdale Hosts WARM Guests

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**Please pray for ...**

- Paul Weaver, who was moved on Thursday to the Shenandoah House (hospice house for those needing extra care); and
- those who are away from family or struggle for other reasons during the holiday season.

There will be **no gathered prayer times** at Springdale this week.

You recently received information from Congregational Council regarding **proposed changes to Springdale's structure** for the next two years. Please talk to a CC member with questions or concerns.

**In case of inclement weather**, changes to Springdale's services & activities will be shared via email when possible; on the church Facebook page and website; and via WHSV TV3.

Springdale's **200<sup>th</sup> anniversary** is coming up in 2025! If you are interested in brainstorming about ways to celebrate this amazing milestone, please contact the church office.

**Ken Medema concert** at EMU on Wed., Jan. 11, at 7 p.m. Check the bulletin board for additional information.

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"Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: the virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel."  
(Isaiah 7:14)