

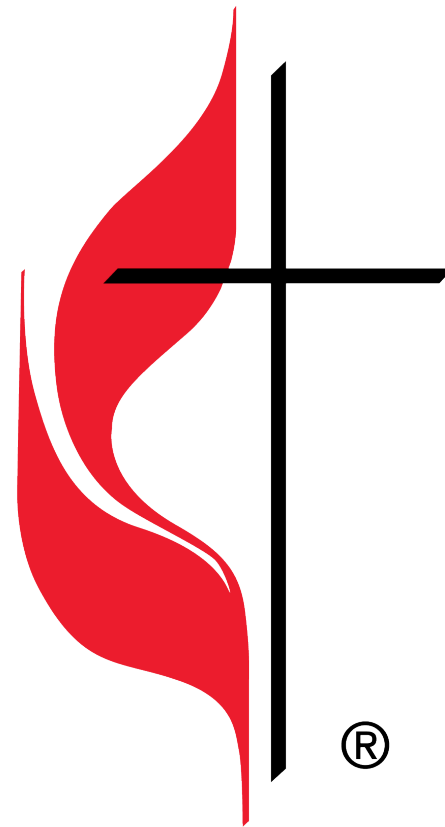
Announcements

Birthday Gift for Jesus

We are challenging one another to spend a little bit less on the celebration of Jesus's birth in order to reserve a portion, perhaps 10%, to give the birthday boy a gift he would like. In Matthew 25 Jesus tells that what we do unto the least of our siblings, we do unto him. We have decided to split our Christmas Eve offering between St. Vincent de Paul and the United Methodist Committee on Relief. In this way we hope to honor the one we celebrate by the way we celebrate.

Christmas Eve Worship at 4pm & 7pm

We are advertising our Christmas Eve worship services to our community. Please invite those in your life who could use covenanted community in their life to join in our worship celebrations. If you will be present, please consider signing up to be a greeter, reader, or other assistant.



Eureka First United Methodist Church

***Fourth Sunday of Advent
December 21, 2025
10 am***

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Order of Worship

Ring of the Bell & Welcome

Threshold Moment *Upon This Moment*

Opening Litany

We pray for Peace this day.
We open to see the Sacred reflected in all things.
We open to see each moment
as a gift of holy presence.
This is the gift of the Christ Mystery,
lighting the way to joy.

Songs *To A Maid Engaged to Joseph* # 215
 Hark! The Herald Angels Sing # 240

Time for Children *We reflect a sacred light*

Scripture Reading Isaiah 7: 10-16

Song *Go Tell It On the Mountain* *Bells*

Gospel Reading Matthew 1: 18-25

Message "Sacred Knowing" Rev. Amy Beth

Song *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* # 2171

Prayers of the People *Emmanuel*

*Passing the Peace of Christ

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Offertory *The First Noel* *Bells*

*Doxology (to What Child Is This?)

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God all creature here below
Praise God all heavens and the earth
reflecting the sacred story.*

*This, this is Christ the One
who mirrors joy for all of us.
Haste, haste to bring him laud,
the Word of time eternal.*

The Lord's Supper
The Lord's Prayer

Communion Song *God Comes to Us*

*Circle Song: *Let There Be Peace on Earth* #431

*Benediction

*Sending Forth Sanctuary

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*There are supplies for kids at a table in the side chapel.
Bathrooms are off the hallway just outside the side chapel.*