

## Calendar - Week of December 7<sup>th</sup>

**Today:** 9 Encounter | 10 Coffee Time w/ Pastor Victor | 10:30 Worship

**Tuesday: 10 UWF offsite** | 12-4 Bridge fh | 10:30 Freedge Ministry | 11-2 Music Director hours

**Wednesday:** BSF 9<sup>30</sup> upstrs | 11 Prayer Group (**All are welcome**) fh | 6 Bells | 7 Choir | TOPS 5<sup>30</sup>

**Thursday:** TOPS 8:30 | **4 Church Council**

**Friday:** office closed | 11-3 Bridge fh

**Sunday, Dec. 14, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent** | 9 Encounter | 10 Coffee | 10<sup>30</sup> Worship | 7 Concert

Leaders	Today	Next Week
Booth	Sam Henshaw	Steve Spurr
Scripture	Cathy Lichvar	Cathy Lichvar
Greeters	Vicky Maphis & Judy Chapman	Arnold & Glenda Gale
Children	Lisa Dawson & Cathy Lichvar	Danna Doyle & Glenda Gale
Counters	Roger Hill & Brian Henshaw	Roy Walker & Lorraine Shelton

**Pew Prayers:** Charlie Donohoe; Laura (Dan) Folger; Christie; Dr. Shiela Belanger; Delaney; family of Katie Sabol; those suffering from stress, grief and anxieties; wisdom; Debbie Angelatti; Mark Quakenbush; Mary Strosnider; Seegren family; Mark Wells; Deanna Wells; Zoe Skeens; family of Paul Davis; Rich Lichvar; Stori; Sarah; Sage; Kathy; Amanda; Emma; Caleb; Jacob; Sarah; Alexis; Roger; Sandy; Epsteins; Linda Nesmith (*Ric D.'s sister*); Dusti; Maureen; Ursula; Doug; June & Nate W.; MMIW; our country & leaders; Hong Kong fire victims; Charlie; my FL family; Annie; Will; Beeken family; Logan family; Russ Conklin; Avery Conklin; Amy & Caitlin; Richard Sanchez; our ministers; Carolyn Barr; Christians of Nigeria; Jessica Hunter; Tracy Ford; Anna Richardson; Rev. Kristin Whitesides; Michael Cheladyn; Vicky Johnson; Virginia Stanley; Will Rodgers; Drew; Lindsey; Wes; Aiden; Jim Barker; Tim Gale; Ellen Neff; Moyers; Bollingers; Trammels; Blooms; Natalie Palmer; BeBe Saldana; Darlene Shull; Lois Smith; Alida O'Neal; Bonnie Lee; Leroy Lamar; Kelly O'Neal; Dennis Tusing; Hadleigh Thornley & family; LSCS Tiffany McMahon; Sherry & Daniel Whitacre; Mary Kathryn Clark; Shirley Dick; Marilyn Stelzl; McKenna Newcome & family; Jane Thomas; family of Jean Snider; JoAnne Carper; Sandra Keiter; ; Rev. Clay & Lisa Knick; Pastor Aaron; Helen & Russ Fitch; Nelda & Charles Harless; Bob, Lorraine & Norma Wilson; Dawna Wilson; Sandy Wilson; Nellie Snoots; Ed Marshall; Tina and Shane Weagley; Mary Haines; Amy, Frank Haines, & boys; Sharon & George Teets; our world; the hungry, homeless, lonely, and grieving; Mason Look; Barbara Bledsoe; Carole Ay; Sandra Keiter; Spurr; Kay-Beth Ambrose; Aimee Lorusso; Don Adams; Jason Ritchie (*Tammy Corey's brother*); Wendy (*Gussie's friend*); Bloxom family  
Care Facilities: Lynn Care: Marilyn Stelzl; Search Grp.Home: Steven Dobbin; Spring Arbor: Marietta Lipscomb; Military: Cpt. Douglas Castro; LT Jared Castro; Other: Peggy Gillich

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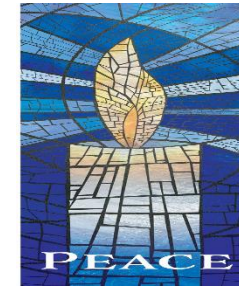
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December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent

**\*Stand as able; bold print-all respond**

(Prepare your hearts for worship)

David Landrum

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Greeting

Lay Leader, Ric Dunkle | Rev. Dr. Gómez

**\*Hymn 220 (UMH)**

**Angels from the Realms of Glory**

Lighting of the Altar Candles

**\*Lighting of the Advent Candle of Peace**

Nancy Tisinger & Dennis O'Neal

The angels sang, "Peace on earth, goodwill to all."

**We long for peace—within us, among us, and throughout the world.**

Christ, the Prince of Peace, draws near to heal and restore.

**We light this candle as a sign of peace in the promise of God's kingdom.**

Be present with us, O God of Peace, and make us instruments of Your peace.

**Come, Lord Jesus, come.** (*Light the first and second candles – Hope and Peace*)

Let us all sing together...

(ALL SING ) **Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.**

Let us pray.

**Loving God, thank You for the peace You give us through Jesus. Help us prepare our hearts to receive Him. Bless our worship. Guide us in all that we say and do. We ask it in the name of the One born in Bethlehem. Amen.**

Time with the Younger Congregation (*Children invited forward for a short message, then dismissed to children's church.*)

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of Your Holy Spirit, that as the scriptures are read and Your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what You say to us today. Amen.**

