

9:00 AM Modern Worship

Welcome & Announcements

\*Passing of the Peace

\*Prayer, Praise & Worship

\*Affirmation of Faith      *The Apostles’ Creed*

Lighting of the Fourth Advent Candle                      *The Havice Family*

Morning Prayer

Offering  
*Children in Grades K4 thru 2<sup>nd</sup> grade may leave for Children’s Church*

Message & Prayer                      *Glory*

\*Music

\*Closing with Blessing

\*Indicates where those who are able, please stand



- Rev Bruce Palmer

Rev Bobbie Ethridge

Bill Pace

Meg Dillard

JC Cook

Bill & Sue Hurst

Norma Solomon

Jane Hopkins

Nancy Wilkinson

Ann Hooper

Whitney Sexton

Tracey Walker

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Dee Graham

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SPONSORED MISSIONARIES:

Ben and Jenny Reyes and children

Luke & SunHee Rhyee and children
- SERVING OUR COUNTRY:

SGT Gilean (Gil) Arant (USMC)

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PO3 Kenneth Bigham (US Navy)

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MSGT Dustin Williams (SC National Guard)

COL Michael Mihalik (IL Air National Guard)

LT Alexandra Moran (US Navy)

2<sup>nd</sup> LT Olivia Mullikin (US Air Force)

*Names in Red indicate those service men/women who are deployed or stationed abroad.*

11:00 AM Traditional Service

Prelude

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\*Passing of The Peace

\*Opening Hymn      *Angels from the Realms of Glory*                      Hymnal # 220

\*Affirmation of Faith      *The Apostles’ Creed*                      Hymnal # 881  
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord:  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
the third day he rose from the dead;  
He ascended to heaven, and sitteth at the right hand  
of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to  
judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.  
Amen.

\*Gloria Patri    Hymnal # 70  
*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen. Amen.*

Lighting of the Fourth Advent Candle                      *Gary & Cindi Long*

Prayer of the People and 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.

Choral Anthem

Tithes & Offering  
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\*Doxology  
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above the heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Scripture Reading                      *John 1:9-18 ESV*

Sermon                                      *Glory*

\*Closing Hymn                      *Silent Night, Holy Night*                      Hymnal # 239

\*Benediction

\*Indicates where those who are able, please stand



*Today's Scripture*  
*John 1:9-18 ESV*

<sup>9</sup>The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. <sup>10</sup>He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him. <sup>11</sup>He came to his own,<sup>[a]</sup> and his own people<sup>[b]</sup> did not receive him. <sup>12</sup>But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, <sup>13</sup>who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God. <sup>14</sup>And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son<sup>[c]</sup> from the Father, full of grace and truth. <sup>15</sup>(John bore witness about him, and cried out, "This was he of whom I said, 'He who comes after me ranks before me, because he was before me.'") <sup>16</sup>For from his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace.<sup>[d]</sup> <sup>17</sup>For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. <sup>18</sup>No one has ever seen God; God the only Son, who<sup>[e]</sup> is at the Father's side,<sup>[f]</sup> he has made him known.



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