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Sunday, December 12, 2021 - 3rd Sunday of Advent

9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship

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6:00 pm Advent Dinner

Children & Youth Christmas

Pageant

Wednesday, December 15, 2021

5:30 pm Business Meeting (No meal)

Thursday, December 16, 2021

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm Food Pantry 7:00 pm Learn & Grow Christmas

Mark your Calendars!

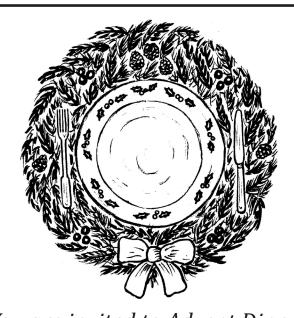
Christmas Pageant

Advent is upon us! With this, our children and youth ministries will be hosting a simple Christmas pageant to help our children learn and tell the story of the birth of Jesus! More info coming to families soon, but come join us for Advent Dinner on Sun, 12/12 at 6 pm to celebrate the birth of our LORD with us.



Come help us spread Christmas cheer on Sunday, December 19, at 3:00 when we will meet at the church to go Christmas caroling! We will visit as many homebound church members as we can and share in the singing of our favorite carols. This is for any and all ages. The more the merrier!





You are invited to Advent Dinner
Sunday, December 12, 2021
Six O'clock
in the fellowship hall.
Following a wonderful meal, the children will present a Christmas pageant to celebrate the

Meat, bread, and drinks will be provided; please bring a salad, side, or dessert.

birth of Jesus.

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First Baptist Church at Worship The Third Sunday of Advent

December 12, 2021

Gathering

Greeting

Alex Lockridge

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

And also with you.

Opening Voluntary I Saw Three Ships Come Sailing In setting by Robert Powell Samuel Garr, clarinet; Carolyn Garr, piano

The virgin Mary and Christ were there ...

And all the bells on earth shall ring ...

Then let us all rejoice amain
... on Christmas Day in the morning!

- traditional English carol

Call to Worship

Jeremiah Banks and Alex Lockridge

The world says, "Worry,"
but I say, "Rejoice."
The world says, "Fear,"
but I say, "Rejoice."
The world says, "Distrust,"
but I say, "Rejoice."
"Rejoice in the Lord always.'
Again I say, "Rejoice!"

Lighting the Candle of Joy

Olivia Gregory and Lisa Harrison

As we light our third Advent candle, we pray for hope, peace, and joy.

Come now, Child of Mary.

Come now, Child of Joy.

Hymn 102

Joy to the World! The Lord is Come

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Confession and Forgiveness

Paul Sims

Act of Praise MENDELSSOHN

Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of Righteousness!

Light and life to all he brings, risen with healing in his wings.

Mild he lays his glory by, born that we no more may die,

Born to raise us from the earth, born to give us second birth.

Hark! the herald angels sing, "Glory to the new-born King!"

- Charles Wesley

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Proclaiming

Jeremiah Banks

A Reading from Hebrew Scripture

A Moment for Children

Zephaniah 3:14-20

Alex Lockridge

Canticle - The First Song of Isaiah





A Reading from the Gospels

Alex Lockridge and Paul Sims

Luke 3:7-18

Hymn

Wild and Lone the Prophet Voice St. George's Windsor

Wild and lone the prophet's voice echoes through the desert still,
Calling us to make a choice, bidding us to do God's will:
"Bear the fruit repentance sows: lives of justice, truth, and love.

Trust no other claim than those; set your heart on things above."

With such preaching, stark and bold, John proclaimed salvation near,
And his timeless warnings hold words of hope to all who hear.
So we dare to journey on, led by faith through ways untrod,

- Carl P. Daw

Sermon

"Transformed by Joy"

Till we come at last like John to behold the Lamb of God.

Alex Lockridge

by Jack Noble White

Responding

Hymn 119

His Name Is Called Emmanuel

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Offertory Prayer

Jeremiah Banks

Offertory Re

Rejoice and Be Merry
Samuel Garr, clarinet; Carolyn Garr, piano

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Alex Lockridge

by Robert Powell

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.

Doxology for Advent

VENI EMMANUEL

To You, O Christ, all glory be, whose advent sets Your people free; Whom, with the Father, we adore, and Holy Spirit, evermore; Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.

Sending

Commission and Blessing

Alex Lockridge and Jeremiah Banks

□ and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Amen.

Organ Postlude How Great Our Joy

by Anne Davis

This gift of God we'll cherish well, that every joy our hearts shall fill. How great our joy! Praise we the Lord in heaven on high!

- traditional German carol

- from Philippians 4



Third Sunday of Advent

The Advent Wreath is placed in loving memory of FELIX AND MATTIE PACE and LEONARD AND MARIE LEAKE

by

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December 12th Summary:

Budget Offerings: \$ 10,485.55

Fiscal YTD Budget Offerings: \$83,140.59 YTD Budget Goal: \$107,823.00