

# Hudson United Methodist Church

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## Musings

**Mission Statement:** To accept all people along their spiritual journey.

**Vision:** A church where all are loved.

We will grow disciples of Jesus Christ in vital worship and passionate outreach for the sake of the world.

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**DECEMBER Loose Coin Mission of the Month** is dedicated to Africa University Women's Tuition Contribution



**Wednesday, December 24<sup>th</sup>**

**🌿 Candlelight Services 🌿**

**4:00pm 7:00pm 11:00pm**

Join in celebrating the birth of the Christ Child through worship, music, and reflection.

All are welcome to share the joy and wonder of this holy night.

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### Advent Season

Each Sunday of Advent brings us closer to the manger. Join us at 8:30 or 10:30 am every Sunday morning as we light candles of hope, peace, joy, and love, and prepare our hearts for Christ coming.



## December Activities & Events



### Highlighted Events

*Activities and Events are subject to change.  
Current as of 11/15/25*

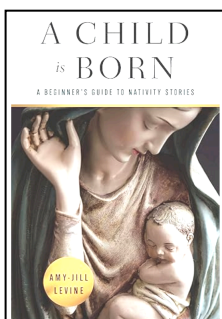
Participating in fellowship brings joy to you and to others around you. Will you share our activities with those in our community? Everyone is welcome to join in church events.

### ZOOM Opportunities

Download the ZOOM App. Log onto <https://zoom.us/>.  
*Subject to change. Current as of November 15, 2025*



### 10:30 AM Every Wednesday ZOOM Bible Study



Here is the write-up from Amazon to those that may want to join in for this study! "Discover the fascinating connections between ancient birth stories and the Nativity of Jesus in this captivating four-week Advent study. The study delves into the narratives of Isaac and Ishmael, Moses, and Samuel to reveal how they foreshadow and enrich the timeless Christmas story in the final chapter. Author Amy-Jill Levine brings her expert knowledge of Scripture and careful consideration of the Christian story to show readers how Scripture's earlier birth stories anticipate the story of Jesus's birth and how the birth resonates and gives new meaning to those earlier stories. Transform your Advent season with fresh insights and inspiration from *A Child is Born*."

The schedule is as follows: Chapter 2 - December 3  
Chapter 3 - December 10  
Chapter 4 - December 17



Please call the church office to receive the Zoom link and contact Darci Strutt for additional information on the study.

### 7 PM Every Wednesday Zoom Prayer + (Plus) You are Welcome Anytime

Are you traveling this Advent/Christmas season or worshipping at home? Consider logging on to Zoom and enjoy a half-hour gathering. Drop in once, or as often as you like. We offer you an opportunity to prepare for Wednesday Prayer +. Take a look at the following scripture. For more information contact the church office.

*The Scripture is subject to change.*

Wednesday, December 3 Scripture: Psalm 72

Wednesday, Dec. 24: No Class (Christmas Eve)

Wednesday, December 10 Scripture: Luke 1: 47-55

Wednesday, Dec. 31: No Class (New Years Eve)

Wednesday, December 17 Scripture: Psalm 80



### In-person Activities



### 9 AM Every Wed. Bakery & Produce Drive-Thru Give-Away



Tell your neighbors and friends we have curbside delivery of free bread and produce every Wednesday at 9 AM. Just drive up to the church door and pop the lid of your trunk and we will place a box of food in your trunk or back seat of your car. It is fast and easy. Open to everyone.



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## 9:30 AM at Every Wednesday **Men's Koffee Klutch**

Men, you are invited to attend the 9:30 AM Wednesday morning men's gathering. Enjoy a great cup of "joe," conversation, and bakery treats. We meet in the fellowship hall to solve problems and to support each other through life's journeys. We have anywhere from 15 to 21 men coming. Come as you are, we won't mind.



## 9 AM Monday, December 1 **SEWMUCHNEED** **Hudson United Methodist Sewing Missions Ministry**

By Connie Nielsen

SEWMUCHNEED met on Monday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> from 9 am to noon. Bonnie Sykora opened in prayer. We had ten ladies present. A lot of quilts were tied and other projects were accomplished. Clarice Huehne delivered 166 hats and 95 mittens to five elementary schools in the Hudson School District. The hats and mittens were made by Judy Gilbert. Quilts were also delivered.

A VERY, VERY big THANK YOU to everyone who donated to SEWMUCHNEED Mission of the Month and also for the items sold at our Silent Auction: quilt, greeting cards, and dish towels. The money raised will help us continue the projects for the schools and also to Mid-West Missions. Thanks again!

Our next meeting is on **Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup> at 9 am**. Everyone is welcome to see what we do as a group. We might even put you to work!

If you have a schedule conflict and unable to attend SEWMUCHNEED, we have take-home packets to be sewn. The take-home packets are located across from the kitchen on the tables between the two restrooms. Questions contact Connie Nielsen or Clarice Huehne.

## 5 PM Thurs., December 4 & 18 **Hudson Outreach Meals for Everyone**



On Thursday, December 4 & 18, meals are available at 5:00 PM at Bethel Lutheran Church, 920 3<sup>rd</sup> Street in Hudson. The **H.O.M.E.** (**H**udson **O**utreach **M**eals for **E**veryone) meets every first and third Thursday of the month. The Thursday community meals exist to serve meals, at no cost, to anyone living in the Hudson area. On **Thursday, December 18** all the church's in the Hudson area will be preparing a Christmas meal. We are looking for volunteers on **Thursday, December 18** to help prepare the H.O.M.E. Meal please email Barb at [1nuttynana@gmail.com](mailto:1nuttynana@gmail.com) if you are available to help.



## 11:30 AM Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup> **We are decorating the church for Christmas!**

We will be **decorating the church**, putting the Christmas trees up, decorating fellowship tables, hanging wreaths, and putting the nativity scene out. Can you help with the decorating? It's a lot of FUN!

**We will provide lunch in the fellowship hall.** There is a sign-up sheet at the greeters table. Please sign up if you are planning on attending to eat lunch so we know how much food to purchase.

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### 5:30 PM December 10<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Night Meal

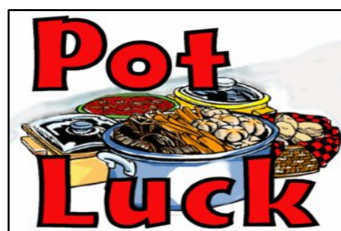
We are doing something different on Wednesday nights where we are asking either a group or individuals and friends to cook a meal that we all can enjoy. If you are interested in cooking a meal please sign-up at the greeter's table. Any food you purchase will be reimbursed by the church. Just save your sales receipt and turn it into the church office for processing.

### \* DECEMBER MENU

Wednesday, December 10: Mystery Meal by Bob & Joyce Schultz

\* All meals include a beverage.

\* Please reserve your meal on or before noon on Tuesday, December 9 @ [HUDSONUMC@SBCGLOBAL.NET](mailto:HUDSONUMC@SBCGLOBAL.NET) or sign up on the sign-up sheet at the greeter's table.



### Cancelled 11:30 AM Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>

### All-Church Potluck



Since we decorated the church a week ago (December 7) there will not be a potluck meal.

The next potluck meal will be on **Sunday, January 11 at 11:30 am** in the fellowship hall. Our potluck meals are a great way to meet new people and

reconnect with folks who attend an early or later service than you do. If you can, bring your favorite food dish to share. All are encouraged to help, to set-up, place food on the table, and clean up afterwards. Please look for a sign-up sheet at the greeter's table in late December. If we know what food you are bringing then other folks will know what dish to bring.



### Monday, December 15<sup>th</sup> January Newsletter Reminder

The next Musings article deadline is **Monday, December 15** for the January issue. Anyone can submit an article or information to the newsletter. Please send in your articles to [HUDSONUMC@SBCGLOBAL.NET](mailto:HUDSONUMC@SBCGLOBAL.NET).



### 9:30 AM Sunday, December 21<sup>st</sup> Party Time in the Fellowship Hall!

All are welcome! Everyone can join in the fun!  
Bring the JOY of Christmas to life!

Join us for a joyful celebration as we commemorate the birth of Jesus! Our "Happy Birthday Jesus Cupcakes & Ornament Make and Take" event is a wonderful opportunity for families and individuals to come together, share in the spirit of Christmas, and create lasting memories.

We will sing, "Happy Birthday" to Jesus and enjoy Happy Birthday Cupcakes and delicious treats.

In addition, you are invited to get creative at our ornament-making stations! We will provide all the materials you need to design and create your own special ornaments to take home to adorn your Christmas tree.

This is a fantastic opportunity for children, and adults alike, to express their artistic talents.

- This is a **free** event and all are welcome!
- Feel free to wear your favorite Christmas attire!





## Winter Weather

Please use your best judgment about attending Church activities during a snow storm. If there is a blizzard warning or no travel advised on a Sunday, we offer worship online on YouTube, & Website pages.

## Aging & Disability Resource Center Update

### DayAway an ADRC Program

By Tara Murdzek, ADRC, Caregiver Support Coordinator, Health and Human Services, New Richmond

#### DayAway Program Openings!

Hello! Did you know that Hudson UMC houses a wonderful program? The DayAway Adult Day Social Respite Program! This is a great way for those who are frail, elderly, or those who have memory issues to get out and socialize with their peers. Socialization is necessary for overall health and well-being.

DayAway consists of a morning snack/drink, some light chair exercises, crafts or games – and of course socializing! DayAway is also meant to help family caregivers by giving them a break from the 24/7 caregiving responsibilities.

If you or someone you know cares for a spouse, parent, or other relative and would enjoy a few hours to yourself - **there are currently openings for the DayAway Adult Day Social Respite.**

DayAway runs from 9:30 AM -12:30 PM on Mondays & Thursdays. There is no fee for this program.

If you have any questions about DayAway (or any other Caregiver Support resources), please don't hesitate to reach out to the Caregiver Support Coordinator 715-381-4366.

**SAVE THE DATE:** You are invited to a DayAway Open House, "Come and See", on Wednesday, January 14 from 9 AM to 1 PM. We would love to meet you!

## December Birthdays



*Current as of 11/15/25*

Wishing you a wonderful day with family and friends! We apologize if your name isn't listed. We wish you a Happy December Birthday, too! Please inform the church office of your birthday, and your name and birth date will be added to the birthday list. Thank you.

### Hope you have a wonderful day with family and friends

12/06 Linda Ewing	12/17 Samantha Struemke	12/26 Mary Tulgren
12/07 Mark Dolan	12/20 Arlene Dahle	12/27 Wesley Dahle
12/07 Mel Hermansen	12/20 Jenna Hallen	12/27 Clarice Huehne
12/08 Tom Burmood	12/20 Ellie Tulgren	12/28 Don Stannard
12/17 Vicki Bolton		

## Book Club & Discussion Update



Our book group is taking a three-month break. We won't meet in December, January or February. We are expecting to resume on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of March in the fellowship hall. Hope to see you in March! Direct your questions to Carla Bebault or Ruth Knapp.



## Caring Update

Caring Cards for our homebound members and for those in special situations are much appreciated. During the month of December please take a moment to sign a Christmas card in the narthex. If you would like to mail a separate Christmas card and offer words of encouragement to those unable to leave their home, a mailing list of shut-ins is available. Please contact the church office.

## Christian Community Home Update (CCH)

By Shelly DeStasio

I cannot believe the holidays are here!!! Here is what we have going on in December:

### Coffee & Curiosity: Navigating Grief during the Holidays

**December 4th @ 4:30 PM** in Marie Blakeman Community Center/1320 Wisconsin St.

A FREE workshop that provides supportive space, practical tools, and coping strategies to help participants honor their emotions and loved ones that have passed. Your special person may have been gone for years or left just recently. This seminar is for all who grieve.

During this event, attendees can participate in the creation of a Memorial Keepsake, in memory of one or several loved ones. Seating is limited, so register by calling Noelle @ 715-381-4205.

### Holiday Open House: Join us for some Holiday Cheer!

**December 12<sup>th</sup> 2:00 -4:00 PM** in the CCH/Willow Glen Solarium

Appetizers, drinks, live music, fun & fellowship

## Education Update

By Amy Norelius

### Children's Sunday School **A Multi-age format: Preschool through 5th grade**

Hard to believe the holidays are right around the corner. Adele Dolan and I have been discussing doing a simple nativity with costumes and hymn sing during the **10:30 service on December 7<sup>th</sup>**. Hope you can come and see us!

Also, the Sunday School hour on December 21st will be in fellowship hall from 9:30-10:30 AM for the Happy Birthday Jesus Party and Ornament Make and Take. Save the date!

We will be doing a **Children's Sunday \*aka Sunday School on alternating Sundays throughout the 2025-2026 school year. Our calendar is subject to change.**

**Sunday School Dates in 2025 are:** December 7, 21 (Dec. 21 Happy Birthday Jesus Party and Ornament making. No Sunday School.)

**Sunday School Dates in 2026 were revised. The new dates are:** January 11, 25; February 8, 22; March 8; (OFF 3/15 & 3/22 – Spring Break Week); March 29 (Easter, April 5 – no Sunday School) April 12, 26; May 10 (Last Day of Sunday School & Mother's Day)

**\* Note: Sunday School helper sign up sheet** for the new year will be posted at the Greeter's table by mid-Dec. Please sign up if you are able to help. No teaching required.

See you all soon, Amy

# Finance Update

## Finance Secretary Update

By Steve Close

### Finance Secretary Report as of October 31, 2025

Month	Fund (Monthly)	Monthly Giving	Budget	YTD 4005	Fund YTD	Budget	Actual 4005	Variance 4005	Actual 4005	Variance 4005	Amount	Unpledged
January	\$ 22,917	\$ 33,927	\$ 11,011	\$ 22,917	\$ 33,927	\$ 11,011	\$ 28,302	\$ 5,625	\$ 28,302	\$ 5,625	\$ 21,419	\$ 12,508
February	\$ 22,917	\$ 34,245	\$ 11,329	\$ 45,833	\$ 68,172	\$ 22,339	\$ 18,648	\$ 15,597	\$ 46,950	\$ 21,222	\$ 25,463	\$ 8,783
March*	\$ 22,917	\$ 31,110	\$ 8,194	\$ 68,750	\$ 99,283	\$ 30,533	\$ 47,747	\$ (16,636)	\$ 94,697	\$ 4,586	\$ 27,134	\$ 3,977
April**	\$ 22,917	\$ 26,475	\$ 3,558	\$ 91,667	\$ 125,758	\$ 34,091	\$ 19,047	\$ 7,428	\$ 113,744	\$ 12,014	\$ 15,148	\$ 11,327
May	\$ 22,917	\$ 17,178	\$ (5,739)	\$ 114,583	\$ 142,935	\$ 28,352	\$ 19,611	\$ (2,434)	\$ 133,355	\$ 9,580	\$ 14,454	\$ 2,724
June*	\$ 22,917	\$ 27,029	\$ 4,113	\$ 137,500	\$ 169,965	\$ 32,465	\$ 30,450	\$ (3,420)	\$ 163,805	\$ 6,160	\$ 16,608	\$ 10,422
July	\$ 22,917	\$ 23,397	\$ 480	\$ 160,417	\$ 193,361	\$ 32,944	\$ 21,263	\$ 2,134	\$ 185,068	\$ 8,293	\$ 18,903	\$ 4,494
August *	\$ 22,917	\$ 15,800	\$ (7,117)	\$ 183,333	\$ 209,161	\$ 25,828	\$ 29,829	\$ (14,029)	\$ 214,897	\$ (5,736)	\$ 10,549	\$ 5,251
September	\$ 22,917	\$ 23,644	\$ 727	\$ 206,250	\$ 232,805	\$ 26,555	\$ 11,911	\$ 11,733	\$ 226,808	\$ 5,996	\$ 17,964	\$ 5,680
October	\$ 22,917	\$ 22,292	\$ (624)	\$ 229,167	\$ 255,097	\$ 25,930	\$ 22,368	\$ (76)	\$ 249,177	\$ 5,920	\$ 16,767	\$ 5,526
November*	\$ 22,917			\$ 252,083			\$ 25,642		\$ 274,819			
December	\$ 22,917			\$ 275,000			\$ 22,126		\$ 296,945			
Total	\$ 275,000	\$ 255,097	\$ 25,930				\$ 296,945	\$ 5,920			\$ 184,406	\$ 70,691

#### Giving Notes:

Pledged Amount through 10/31/25 was \$131225 amount received was \$184406.19.

\*5 Sunday Month

\*\* Easter Sunday

#### Annual Pledge Comparison

Year	# of Pledges	\$ of Pledges	Received
2022	72	\$ 242,432	\$ 359,673
2023	60	\$ 214,245	\$ 218,257
2024	56	\$ 232,018	\$ 224,084
2025	51	\$ 209,740	

## Treasurer's Report

By Nicole Munro, Treasurer on behalf of the Finance Team

### Summary: End of October 2025

YTD 2025

	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	% Budget
General Fund Income	\$261,088	\$229,167	114%
General Fund Expense	\$276,043	\$294,700	94%
Net Profit/Loss	-\$14,955	-\$65,533	

**\*NOTE:** The General Fund Income total includes Pledges/Envelopes plus other income (i.e. Special Holiday Giving, Loose Coin Offering, Interest Income from Investment Accounts, etc.)

# Hudson Food Cupboard Update

By Denise Stalker

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Stuff-A-Truck event! We received 14 pallets of food with approximately 1000# 's each and that did not include what the high school students collected.

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## Hudson Food Cupboard Update continued from page 7

The food cupboard appreciates all of your gifts! Thank you for your time and your contributions throughout the year.

The food cupboard board is looking for a **secretary** and **treasurer** for 2026. If you would consider volunteering for one of these positions, please contact Denise Stalker or Ruth Knapp.

## Missions Update



**Loose-Coin  
Offering**

## December Mission of the Month

The **December Mission of the Month (MOM)** noisy can offering will be donated to the Africa University Women's Tuition Contribution. This year – 2025 – marks the 33<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of Africa University, and United Methodists worldwide are celebrating through continued support of the Africa University Fund. The vision of Africa University is to aspire to become a world class university for leadership development in Africa. Their mission is to provide quality education within a Pan-African context through which persons can acquire general and professional knowledge and skills, grow in spiritual maturity, develop sound moral values, ethics and leadership qualities.



Thank you to those who helped make a “Happy” Thanksgiving to the 75 families who received turkeys and County Market gift cards from Hudson UMC, the Hudson Lions Club, Thrivent, and County Market (a joint mission event)! It takes money, men (woman) - power and lots of prayer to make this happen each year.

So kudos to all involved for making it a great holiday :)

## Other upcoming Missions activities:

\* The Missions Committee will send care cards w/ a Starbucks gift card to our college youth for winter finals in early December.



\* The “Giving tree” is up in the church hallway which is full of gift tags for local children at either Operation Help or Grace Place (Salvation Army). **Please note the due back by date on the card since the two organizations have different delivery dates for us to get the gifts to them.** There will also be envelopes on the tree for cash donations if you would prefer a member of the Missions Committee buy a gift for you.

Thank you in advance for your kind and generous donations!!

**NOTE:** The Missions Committee is looking for new members to help with planning and organizing mission events. If you are interested in joining our team or learning more about what we do, contact Margie Close. Contact information is in the church office. Thanks for considering!!

Wishing you and yours a blessed Christmas and holiday season... Margie Close - Missions Chair

## Hudson High School Raider Network Update

By: Margi Bertelsen Brown

Is it really December already?

After shopping for the month of November, there will be a little more money to spend in December. It will not be enough for the whole month, but it will be a start. The bags of food you have donated have helped to stretch the monetary donation we received last spring.





## Hudson High School Raider Network Update continued from page 8

In January and for the remainder of the school year, we will be relying on the donations from all of you. Everything we have delivered has been greatly appreciated. On a table in the narthex, there are lists and bags for you to use to get the supplies. You will also find the list below.

Thank you very much! Margi Bertelsen Brown

### SHOPPING LIST HHS Raider Network

Choose **one** item from the list-Individual microwavable cups:

Mac & Cheese, Ramen noodles, Chef Boyardee meals

Choose **two** items from the list-Individual bags or single serving:

Goldfish crackers, Cheez-its, Snack crackers, Cheese or Peanut Butter crackers, Trail mix, Beef jerky, Beef sticks (non-refrigerated)

Choose **one** item from the list:

Fruit snacks, Fruit roll-ups, Fruit leather, Unsweetened applesauce cups-multi pack

Also needed:

Juice boxes, and refillable water bottles

## Statistics Update

By Kathy O'Brien Schroeder, Admin Hudson UMC

DATE	8:30 AM	10:30 AM	Home Mailing	YouTube	Weekly
5-Oct-2025	49	49	24	36	149
12-Oct-2025	35	28	24	29	116
19-Oct-2025	32	47	24	33	136
26-Oct-2026	46	51	24	31	152
<b>TOTAL</b>	162	166	96	129	553

## Stewardship Update

### Shining the Light of Christ Through Generosity

Wisconsin United Methodist Foundation

By Jason Mahnke, Director of Programming & Campaigns

As Advent candles flicker to life, we're reminded that even the smallest light can push back the darkness. The weeks leading up to Christmas invite us to wait with hope, to prepare our hearts, and to remember that God's love comes to us not through power or wealth, but through the humble gift of Jesus.

This season can feel busy and heavy, with travel plans, shopping lists, and end-of-year pressures, but Advent calls us to pause and notice the light already breaking into our lives. It shines in a child's laughter, a shared meal, a simple act of kindness. It shines through generosity that makes someone else's day a little brighter.

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As you light your candles and prepare your homes and hearts, may you be reminded that Christ still comes into our world - quietly, gently, persistently - with hope for all people. And as God's light takes root in us, we are called to reflect it outward, helping others see that the darkness does not win.

"The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it." - John 1:5

# Thank you!

**Thank You!**

## Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Thank you to those of you who participated in the straw poll November 23rd on becoming an affirming church. We are tabulating the results and comments and meeting the first week of the month to assess what our next steps will be.

We will share those results and what's to come after the holidays.

From the Reconciling Inquiry Committee



## Thank you For Your Promise

We have 2026 Estimate of Giving forms available at the information table. We thank you for your generosity to ministries at Hudson UMC.

VANCO online giving can be found on [umchudson.org](http://umchudson.org).



**Many thanks** to all who helped with the Sally Friedlander's funeral service. Thank you so much, Sue Warnke, Adele Dolan

# Worship Update

By Adele Dolan, Worship Team Chair

I think I've finally come to terms with the fact that the liturgical year begins as the secular year ends! December has arrived, meaning budgets and semesters and calendars are being renewed or replaced. At the same time, the church year has come full circle from last December to another Advent (when we celebrate the hope and promise of the coming Messiah) and Christmas! We have been here many times before, with similar songs and Scriptures and family traditions. But each year brings new insights, struggles, opportunities, joys and sorrows that affect our celebrations and understanding of our faith.

This year a couple unexpected ideas have been on my mind. The first comes from "Seussical", a lively musical that incorporates the plots of several Dr. Seuss stories (Pastor Dan will appreciate this!). I've attended 3 different productions during the past year, from elementary to high school to community theatre, and each time I have been drawn to one timely message from Horton the Elephant: "A person's a person, no matter how small ..." Why is this so hard for our world to figure out?

The second comes from a recent radio interview featuring Diana Butler Bass, a theologian and author who recently published a book based on meditations she wrote in response to her lectionary readings during the Covid shutdown.

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She ponders the unique lessons of each liturgical year, and suggests that the message and purpose of Christian faith have been lost and its reputation damaged. People are suffering cruelty and injustice from those who claim to be Christian, ignoring Jesus' command to "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and soul and mind, and your neighbor as yourself."

Advent and Christmas are dear to my heart. The music and the decorations and special family times lift my spirit during dark winter days, and don't get me started on cookies! But Dr. Seuss and Diana Butler Bass remind me that while traditions are important and celebrating Jesus' birth renews our sense of peace, love, hope and joy, it is in sharing Jesus with the world (think of Sally Friedlander and "Bethlehem Revisited") that we show we value each person, "no matter how small", and that we live our faith with compassion and grace throughout the year.

"O come, O come Emmanuel ... " Christmas blessings to all!

Sincerely in Christ, Adele Dolan, Worship Team Chair

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## December Worship Schedule

*Subject to change*

**Liturgists:** Please contact both Mary Ellen and Kathy in the church office, if you are unable to serve. We want to list the correct name in the bulletin. It is important for you to receive a Friday worship update so you can practice your part in the service.

**Greeters: Would you like to welcome others to church?** Sign up to be a greeter in the entry! Please arrive 30 minutes ahead of your service time. If you have any questions, please contact Sue Warnke, Greeter Ministry Coordinator.

### December 7 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent and Communion Sunday

**8:30 am** Greeter: Carla Bebault; Liturgist: Carla Bebault; Pianist: Jona Hays  
Usher: Scott Paulson; Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

**10:30 am** Greeter: Steve & Margie Close; Liturgists: Bonnie Sykora; Pianist: Jona Hays  
Usher: Gery Campbell; Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

### December 14 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent

**8:30 am** Greeters Joel & Grace Merritt; Liturgist: Mars Overlee; Pianist: Mary Post  
Usher: Scott Paulson; Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

**10:30 am** Greeter: Bill Helwig; Liturgist: Craig Gibson; Pianist: Mary Post  
Usher: Gery Campbell; Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

### December 21 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent

**8:30 am** Greeter: Deb & Daryl Simonson; Liturgist: Deb Simonson; Pianist: Jona Hays  
Usher: Scott Paulson; Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

**10:30 am** Greeter: Helen Esmond; Liturgist: Nicole Munro; Pianist: Jona Hays  
Usher: Gery Campbell; Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

### December 24 Christmas Eve Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

**4:00 pm** Greeters: John & Sue Lindahl; Liturgist: Adele Dolan; Pianist: TBA; Usher: TBA

**7:00 pm** Greeter: Linda Hanson; Liturgist: Bonnie Sykora; Pianist: TBA; Usher: TBA

**11:00 pm** Greeter: TBA; Liturgist: Craig Gibson; Pianist: TBA; Usher: TBA

### December 28 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Christmas

**10:00 am** Greeter: TBA; Liturgist: Randy and Wesley Dahle; Pianist: LeAnn Stein  
Usher: Scott Paulson; Preaching: Pastor Dan Fahs

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**Return Service Requested**

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