

Prayer List

We protect the confidential nature of our prayer requests.

The complete list of requested prayers is provided during worship rather than on this "online" bulletin.

You may contact Rev. Ben Shaw or the church office concerning any needs for prayer. You may also email prayer requests.

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Prayer Concerns will remain for two weeks unless otherwise requested.

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Sermon Notes

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3rd Sunday of Advent
December 16, 2018

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Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.
Poinsettias are provided by members of the
congregation.

Prelude

GATHERING

Welcome

One: The Lord be with you
Many: and also with you.

Announcements

Lighting of the Advent candles

One: My soul proclaims the greatness of the
Lord.

Many: My spirit rejoices in God my Savior.

*Hymn #88
O Come, O Come, Emmanuel (v. 1, 5, 6, 7)

Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: In your presence, Holy God, we confess that
we need repentance. We have broken your
commands against idolatry. We do not live in
peace with your creation or your people. We have
not trusted your word, and we are afraid. Forgive
us, restore us, and turn our shame into praise, for
the sake of the One who proclaims the good news
and for the sake of all the world.

**Silent Prayer*

*One: Amen

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri #581
*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.*

THE WORD

Children's Moment

*(Children through kindergarten age may go to the nursery in the lower
level)*

Choir Anthem *Prepare!*

Prayer for Illumination

First Scripture Reading Luke 3:7-18

One: This is the Word of the Lord.
Many: Thanks be to God!

Second Scripture Reading Isaiah 42:1-9

One: This is the Word of the Lord.
Many: Thanks be to God!

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RESPONSE

*Hymn **People, Look East** #105

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Lord's Prayer

Moment for Stewardship

Offering

*Doxology #606

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise
Him all creatures here below, praise Him above ye
heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Amen.*

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Hymn **For You, My God, I Wait** #791

*Charge and Benediction

*The Peace

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Please share the peace with one another.

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