

# Order of Worship

## THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

December 23, 2018

Prelude

Call to Worship

*Joy to the World (Unspeakable Joy)*

Welcome & Announcements

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Worship in Song

*O Little Town of Bethlehem*

*God with Us*

Morning Prayer

Intercessory Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Offertory

Children's Moment

Patty DeFrancesco

Scripture Reading

Luke 1: 46-55

Message

"Waiting for a Servant"

Isaiah 53: 2-6

Pastor John Sievering

Song of Response

*Angels We Have Heard on High*

Benediction

# Announcements

**SLT Prayer Concerns:** Prayers for the Christmas Eve Service and being more relational.

**SLT Meeting:** The next SLT Meeting will be **Monday, January 14, 2019 @ 7:00 pm.**

**There will be NO Tuesday Morning Bible Study @ 10:00 am until further notice.**

**Christmas Movie Night:** We will be showing a Christmas Movie at the church in the F.L.C. on **Sunday, December 23, 2018 @ 6:30 pm.** Feel free to bring any snacks you would like and your lawn chairs. (Note the movie being shown– Home Alone.)

**Christmas Eve Service:** The Christmas Eve Worship Service will be **Monday, December 24, 2018 @ 5:30 pm.**

**Office Closed:** The Office will closed on Tuesday, December 25, 2018 for the holiday. **MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

**Christmas Break—No Wednesday Evening Activities—\*Wednesday, December 26, 2018 & Wednesday, January 2, 2019.\***

**Celebration Of Life Service:** Sandy Foral "Celebration Of Life" Friday, December 28, 2018 @ 1:30 pm.

**Youth Lock-In @ First Baptist Church:** The Youth Lock-In will be at First Baptist on Friday, January 11& 12, 2019 drop-off @ 8:00 pm pick-up @ 7:00 am the next morning.

**Quilting Ministry:** The Quilting Ministry will meet on **Sunday, January 13, 2019 @ 11:30 am.**

**PotLuck Dinner :** We will have a **Potluck Dinner Service** on Wednesday, January 16, 2019 @ 5:30 pm. Please bring a side dish to share.

**Office Closed:** The Office will be closed on Monday, January 21, 2019 for the holiday. **\*Martin Luther King's Birthday.**

**Winter Jam 360 Tour:** The Winter Jam 360Tour will be on Thursday, January 24, 2018 @ 7:00 pm Council Bluffs IA. Mid America Center. No tickets needed. Pay \$15 at the door.

**Camp Moses Merrill:** C. Moses Merrill will be having a Youth Leadership/Volunteer training **Saturday, January 26, 2019.** More information coming soon please see Pastor Scott for further details.

**Food Pantry:** The next Food Pantry will be **Saturday, January 26, 2019 @ 9:00 am. .**

**Youth Leader Workshop:** Join **Moses Merrill Camp** for their **Youth Leader Workshop Saturday, January 26, 2019 from 9:00 am –4:00 pm.** Connect with fellow youth leaders and learn new tools you can take back to your youth group.LIIIIIIII

**Fresh Expression/Vision Days:** **Fresh Expressions Vision Days** are one-day, interactive -learning experiences that inspire and equip individuals, church leaders and denominational executives to pioneer new ways to be the Church. At the Vision Day you will discover: **Saturday, February 2, 2019.** More Info coming see Pastor John.

**Super Bowl Party:** The Super Bowl will held **Sunday, February 3, 2019 from 5:00 pm until 9:00 pm** in the youth room—potluck style foods will be served along with some snacks.

**LIT- Leaders In Training:** **Moses Merrill Camp LIT** is a educational weekend for young adults who wish to become leaders in their church, community, or at camp— **Friday– Sunday: February 8-10, 2019.** All high school freshman or older are welcome. Please see Pastor Scott for more information.

## This Week

### Sunday, December 23, 2018

9:00 Sunday School  
10:15 Worship Service  
1:00 Karen Worship Service  
6:30 Christmas Movie

### Monday, December 24, 2019

5:30 Christmas Eve Service

### Tuesday, December 25, 2018

OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED – MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!

### Wednesday, December 26, 2018

NO EVENING ACTIVITIES

### Thursday, December 27, 2018

NO ACTIVITIES

### Sunday, December 30, 2018

9:00 Sunday School  
10:15 Worship Service  
1:00 Karen Worship Service

## Dates to Remember

December 23 Christmas Movie @ 6:30 pm

December 24 Christmas Eve Service @ 5:30 pm

December 25 Closed Office – MERRY CHRISTMAS!

December 26 - January 3, 2019 - Christmas Break NO- Wednesday Night Activities

December 28 Celebration Of Life- \*Sandy Foral @ 1:30 pm

January 11 Youth Lock-In @ First Baptist—drop off @ 8:00 pm

January 12 Youth Lock-In @ First Baptist—pick up @ 7:00 am

January 13 Quilting Ministry @ 11:30 am

January 14 Arts For All @ 5:00 pm \* Spring/Winter Session

January 14 SLT Meeting @ 7:00 pm

January 16 PotLuck Dinner Service @ 5:30 pm\* Please bring a side dish\*

January 21 \*Closed Office - Holiday - Martin Luther King's Birthday

January 24 Winter Jam 360 Tour @ 7:00 pm \* Council Bluffs-Mid America Center

January 26 C. Moses Merrill - Youth Leader Workshop

January 26 FOOD PANTRY @ 9:00 am

February 2 FRESH EXPRESSION/Vision Day

February 3 Super Bowl Party @ 5:00 pm

February 8-10 LIT- Leadership/Volunteer Training (weekend)



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### This Week:

“Waiting for a Servant”

Isaiah 53:2-6

Pastor John Sievering

### Next Week:

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We Came...We Gave, Sunday, December 16, 2018

10:15 Service: 78 Nursery: 2

Total Worship Attendance: 80 Total Offering: \$ 3,590.00