



ESSENTIALS

December 14, 2025

WORSHIP

Sundays | 9:30 am

Stream on Facebook, YouTube
or messiahwilmington.org

Message Today:

Light of the World - It's Personal
(John 1; John 20:31; Luke 1:26-33;
Matt 1:18-24; Luke 2:1-19; John 3:16-17)
Timothy Steele

Hymns for our service:

#331 vs. 1-4
#914 vs. 1, 2, 4
Communion #332; #341; #345
#411 vs. 3

Next Week:

Lessons and Carols

Offering | Collected at the door.

Communion Today

An explanation of what we believe
is located in front of your seats.

Child Care Amenities

Available in Pingo Land.

Hearing Assistance

Ask the Information Center for a
headset to amplify what you hear.

New Here? First-Time Guest Gift

Stop by the Information Center and
introduce yourself!

Find Help and Care in Life

In times of transition, we can all
use a guide to navigate life. Meet
after service with a Care Leader in
the front of the church.

ENVIRONMENTS

Pingo Land | Every Sunday

- Precious Puffins (ages 3-5) meets
during the service in Pingo Land.
- Caribou Kids (1st-5th grade) meets
10:45-11:30 am in Pingo Land.

Xtreme | Jan 4

Xtreme (Middle & High School)
meets first Sunday of every month,
10:45-11:30 am, Fellowship Hall.

Deck the Halls Activities

Parents and grandparents,
scan the QR code for
activities to help your
students prepare for
Advent and Christmas.



Converge | Fellowship Hall

Join Sundays 8:30-9:20 am through
Dec 21. Mark Elliott explores the
season of Advent and answering:
"What does it mean for us?"

Coffee+Convo | Fellowship Hall

Connect after the service with good
conversation, tasty treats and drinks.

Converge | 2026 Study Signup

Beginning Jan 4, Harley Hammond
will facilitate an 8-week study on the
book of Joshua, "Strong and
Courageous". After Moses' death,
God has set the stage for the
children of Israel to receive their
promised inheritance at last. Please
sign up at the Information Center to
get an advance copy of the book.

OTHER INFO

Be Rich | LOVE, GIVE, SERVE

Find a way to love someone in your
community, fill out a heart at the
table by the Information Center, and
hang it on our glass windows.

Communion Kits | Watch Online

If you will attend service online
Dec 28, please email us no later
than Dec 17 to schedule your
pickup.

2026 Contribution Envelopes

In mailboxes in the Fellowship Hall.
Please begin using the new ones
with 2026 dates starting Jan 1st.

Notes:

Special Christmas Services

- **Christmas Cantata** |
Dec 21, 9:30 am
- **Candlelight Christmas Eve** |
Dec 24, 7:00 pm
- **Carols & Communion** |
Dec 28, 9:30 am

Prayer Requests

(Parentheses is person related):
Grant Haynes *(Lee Musolf)*; Hoyt
and Gale Hedgecock, Karen and
Dave Devan *(Barb Millis)*; Mark
Spelzhausen; Mel and Dawn
Foels; Jack and Linda Foster
(Leslie Aschemeier); Christina
Hahn *(Kevin and Dalida Wichman)*;
Jane Herd *(Bob Herd)*; Janet and
John Robey *(Lee Musolf)*; Ed
Mitchell *(Mark Mitchell)*; Joel
Clayton *(Mark Elliott)*.

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