



December 9, 2018
Second Sunday of Advent

Rev. Dave Leckrone, Senior Pastor
Ty Williams, Associate Pastor
Bob Lybarger, Associate Pastor

Our Mission: Invite ~ Equip ~ Engage

Welcome to Worship

Choral Introit

Voluntary "Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying" Thomas Chesterton
Monologue: Scott Harshman as The Thief (LOVE)
Lighting the Advent Candle of Love 8:15 service Denis and Michelle Kovacs
10:45 service Steve and Debby Schumann

Hymn #211(vs. 1,6,7) "O Come, O Come Emmanuel"

*Invocation

Affirmation #881

Gloria Patri

Prayer Request, Joys & Concerns

Silent, Pastoral & the Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response #2080 "All I Need Is You"

All I need is you, Jesus, all I need is You. You are the source of all I need. All I need is you.

Chancel Choir "All Praise To Thee" Music by Elaine Hagenberg

Text Gelobet seist du, Jesu Christ German, st. 1370 Martin Luther, 1524, cento

Hymn "Jesus Loves the Little Children" Michelle Kovacs

Children's Message (10:45)

All children are welcome to come to the chancel steps.

PreSchool – 2nd graders will go to room 304 with Jen & Randy Sentman

Offertory "Veni, Emmanuel" Robert Powell

Doxology #95

Hymn#216 "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming"

Bell Tree Duet Melinda Kennedy & Dave Pinkerton "Silent Night" 10:45 service

Special Music by LightReaders 8:15 service "Sweet Little Jesus Boy"

Scripture Luke 1. 68-79 Claudia Rogers

Sermon "Because of Our God's Deep Compassion" Pastor Ty Williams

*Closing Hymn#209 "Blessed Be the God of Israel"

*Benediction

Postlude "How Great Our Joy" James Mansfield

First News



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Office: Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm

We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors today!

We are glad you are visiting today. We would like to get to know you. Please stop by the Visitor Table in the Gathering room, located near the south end of the church or the visitor table at First Place. We have a special gift just for you

Nursery Care

Nursery Care: Room 202

See Usher for assistance.

Childcare Staff Person(s):

Sandra Makemson, Patty Mathews, Barb Warner

Attendance

Worship: 367 Sunday School: 77

Altar Flowers

Pastoral Care

If you are admitted to a hospital and desire a Pastoral visit, please call or have a family member call the church to let us know. Due to HIPPA laws the hospital will not notify us unless you specially ask them to notify your church Pastor.

If you ordered 2019 envelopes they are in the Gathering Room on a table with your name.

Greeters:

8:15am:

Franklin St

Janet Williamson

Cherry St

Diane Gary

10:45am:

Franklin St

Rick & Lynn Matson

Cherry St

Pete & Linda Breidenbach

Usher Captains:

8:15am

Lew McClelland

10:45am

Steve Johnson

Acolytes:

Will Treadway

Carson Sentman

First Friend of the Week Retiring from Financial Secretary

Mary Davis

145 Finsbury Lane

Troy, Ohio 45373

Caroling

If you are interested in caroling meet in the Agape room on Dec. 9th at 3:00 p.m. There will be pizza after the caroling at First Place. Questions call Donna Elleman 694-3185.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday: Dec. 9

3:00pm Caroling

6:00pm Evening Prayer & communion

Monday: Dec. 10

7:00am Men's Bible study Bob Evans

9:15am Intercessory mtg

7:00pm Church Council

Tuesday: Dec. 11

3:00pm Virtual Market

Wednesday: Dec. 12

6:00pm Susannah Wesley Circle

6:30pm Youth

7:00pm Children's Choir practice

Thursday: Dec. 13

9:00am Men' Bible Study

9:10am Preschool practicing

10:00am Hands 4 Hearts

6:00pm Ty's Bible Study

6:30pm Bells practice

7:00pm Praise Team

7:30pm Choir Practice

Saturday: Dec. 15

7:30am Men's breakfast Bob Evans

Upcoming Events

Dec. 16: Evening Prayer & communion

Dec. 17: Intercessory mtg

Preschool practicing

Girls Scouts

Handing out Christmas boxes

Outreach meeting

Trustees

Dec. 18: Virtual Market

Preschool practicing

Handing out Christmas boxes

Dec. 19: Preschool program

Youth

Childrens's Choir practice

Finance meeting

Sunday, Dec. 9th

We will be delivering poinsettias to

shut-ins on Sunday, Dec. 9th

after the 10:45 service, if you could

help it would be greatly appreciated.

Sign Up Sheets

I have sign up sheets for altar flowers,

altar flower delivery schedule, bulletin

stuffers, usher captains, greeters, on

the table in the Gathering room, please

feel free to sign up or call the office

335-2826. Thanks Susan

Hat & Mitten Tree

There is a hat and mitten tree in the

Gathering room, donations are

welcome.

Poinsettias

You can still sign up for poinsettias

through Monday, Dec. 10th, you can call

the office at 335-2826 or email me at

sbrumfield@troymc.org. Thanks

Attention Kids!

We are in need of extras for the

children's performance taking place at

5pm Christmas Eve service. No

speaking required, only need to put

on an animal hat and be in the

background!! See Susan or Marilee that

evening and they will give you your

costume. Thanks Miss Penny

All Praise To Thee

Text

Gelobet seist du, Jesu Christ
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Martin Luther, 1524, cento
Translation unknown

Music by
ELAINE HAGENBERG

All praise to Thee, eternal God,
Who, clothed in garb of flesh and blood,
Dost take a manger for Thy throne,
While worlds on worlds are Thine alone.
Alleluiah.

Thou comest in the darksome night
To make us children of the light,
To make us in the realms divine,
Like Thine own angels, round Thee shine.
Alleluiah.

A little Child, Thou art our Guest
That weary ones in Thee may rest;
Forlorn and lowly is Thy birth
That we may rise to heaven from earth.
Alleluiah.

Soprano	Alto	Tenor	Bass
Nan Conard	Myrle Briggs	Jim Braby	Scott Harshman
Kathi Dow	Bonnie Brohard	Doug Burch	Al Marheine
Janice Harshman	Pam Gibellino	Ken Crawford	Jerry Matthew
Donna Hormell	Bobbi Kelly	Pete Dow	Joe Mosher
Marilee Lake	Charlene King	Mark Rogers	Ryan Robe
Joyce Mosher	Carol Marheine		Bruce Scranton
Jan Murphy	Marilyn Matthew		Stan Shaw
Stephanie Purcell	Jan Wise		
Jen Sentman			
Katharine Searfoss			



Join us this advent season at First Place for our Regifting Christmas Series @ 9:30 or 10:45. In support of regifting, we are supporting First Place Food Pantry. They are in need of personal care items. Please consider helping us support them. A tub will be placed near the guest welcome center at First Place for your donated items.

Suggestions:

Oatmeal, canned fruit, canned veggies, soups, dish soap, shampoo, paper towels, razors.

Blood Pressure

There will be blood pressure checks on Dec. 9 from 9-9:30 at First Place and 11:45 at Traditional service.



Please keep the following member(s) of our church family in your prayers:
 Rosemary Critchley, home
 Shirley Hensel, home
 Dave Pinkerton, home
 Stanley Neves, Genesis Troy Care
 Diane Gary, home
 Ivan Kunkleman, reoccurring cancer

Let's Go

If you didn't make the meeting, flyers for 2019 are in the Gathering room. We are starting off with a trip to the Ark & Creation Museum. Payment due Dec. 14th. Down payment for the Chattanooga Choo Choo is also due Dec. 14th. The flyer is on the church's website... fumc.org, click on the arrow at the far right hand side...a drop down box appears and click on Let's Go and the flyer appears. Question call Diana 216-7088 .

Prayer Squares

The Prayer Squares are available in the Gathering Room and at First Place for your use. These are useful for family and friends that need prayer concern, easily fit in a pocket, Bible, purse etc., so take advantage of them.

Partners In Hope

Partners In Hope Christmas Shop needs 15 dozen cookies from each sponsoring church by Dec. 10th.



Calling all coffee enthusiasts. First Place has been blessed with a custom built coffee cart for the contemporary service. Come try a cup of freshly ground coffee and enjoy some homemade goodies.



Break out your Christmas sweater on Sunday, Dec. 23rd. There is no such thing as an ugly Christmas sweater. Let's get a group photo at the end of service, so hang around for a quick picture.

Stewardship Report

General Operating Fund - Tithes & Offerings

Week 48 of 52

12/2/2018	11/26/2017	Change	% Change
\$23,804.96	\$14,458.00	\$9,346.96	64.65%
1/1/2018-12/2/2018	1/1/2017-11/26/2017	Change	% Change
\$513,623.74	\$519,875.09	-\$6,251.35	-1.20%

Last Week's Offering

General Operating Fund

Tithes & Offerings	\$23,804.96
Breakfast	130.00
Coffee	8.66
Loose Plate	342.00
Sunday School	29.00
Upper Room	1.00

Other Project Funds

Bradley's House of Hope	\$270.00
Debt Reduction	302.00
Endowment	4,904.90
First Kids Preschool	100.00
FISH	20.00
Food Pantry	100.00
Investing in the Future Campaign	15,170.00
Let's Go	538.00
Missions (Poinsettias)	136.00
Poinsettias	184.00
TheTraveling Team (Carrie Komjati)	20.00
Trustee's Capital	275.00

Money received for Other Project Funds are designated contributions and do not represent any financial support from the General Operating Fund.

Financial Statements are posted on the bulletin board in the Gathering Room.____

Investing in the Future
Capital Campaign

Pledged: \$790,000

Received:
\$513,399.55 (65%)

Remaining
\$276,600.45



