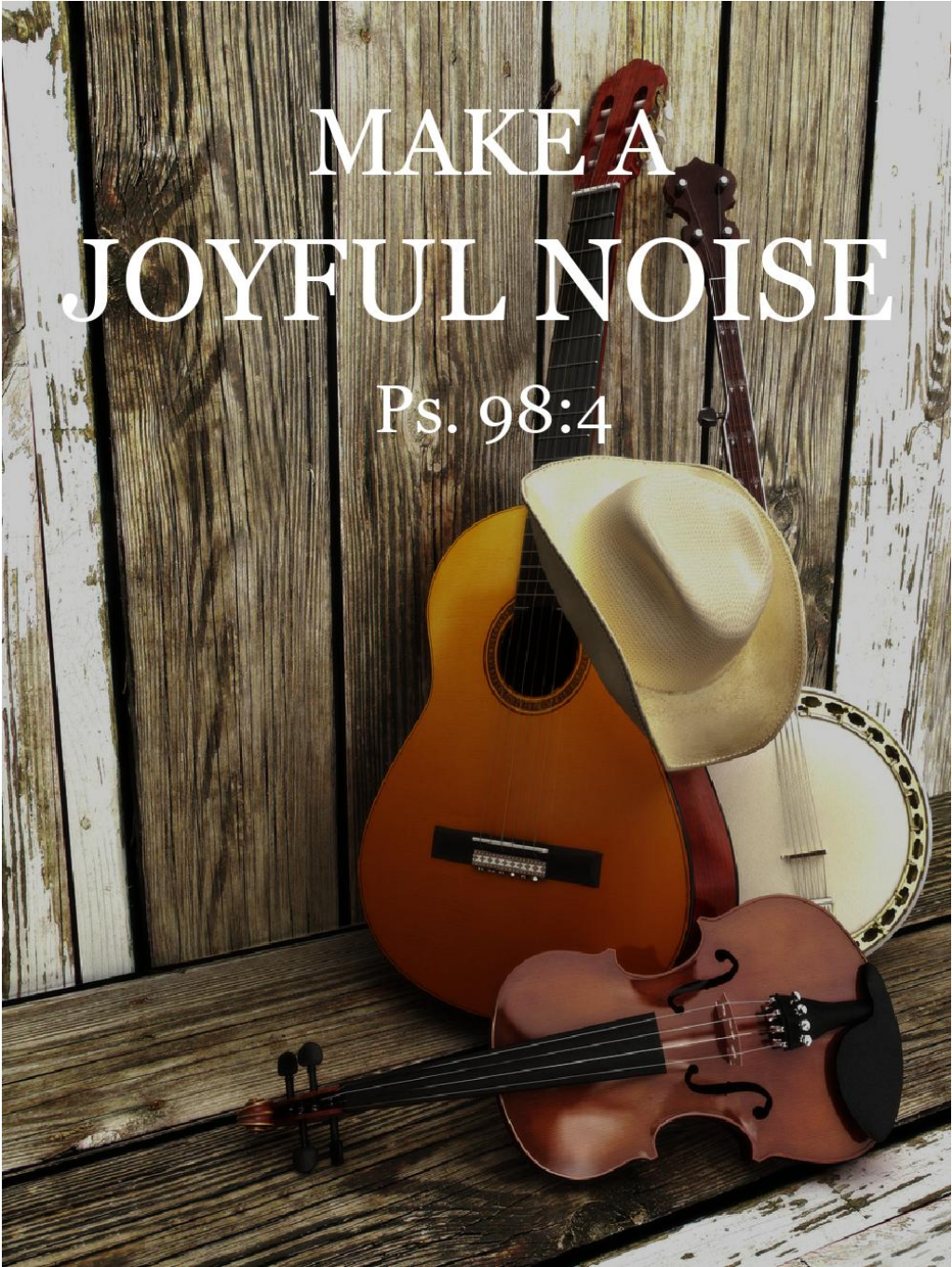


A collection of musical instruments, including an acoustic guitar, a violin, a banjo, and a straw hat, are arranged on a rustic wooden surface. The background consists of vertical wooden planks with a weathered, peeling paint effect. The text "MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE" is overlaid in a white, serif font.

MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE

Ps. 98:4

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

November 16, 2025 10:30 a.m.

GATHERING MUSIC

Lamp Lighting Time
Paul and Silas
Crying Holy Unto the Lord

CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 98)

Leader: O sing to the Lord a new song,
People: For God has done marvelous things.
Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;
People: break forth in joyous song and sing praises!
All: Let us worship God!

PASTOR'S WELCOME AND PRAYER

WORSHIP MUSIC

When the Angels Carry Me Home
The Dream
This Little Light of Mine*
Ring the Bell
Keep on the Firing Line

*With the Children

PSALM 98 (RESPONSIVE)

Leader: O sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things. His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.

People: The Lord has made known his victory; he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.

Leader: He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

People: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

Leader: Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody.

People: With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the Lord,

Leader: Let the sea roar and all that fills it, the world and those who live in it.

People: Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy at the presence of the Lord, for he is coming to judge the earth. He will judge the world with righteousness and the peoples with equity.

MESSAGE OF GOOD NEWS

Rev. Sandra Hedrick

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Sandra Hedrick

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

RESPONDING TO GOD'S GRACE

Offering Music

Pass Me Not O Gentle Savior

WORSHIP MUSIC

Way Faring Stranger
Life's Railway to Heaven
Do Lord*
Power in the Blood
How Great Thou Art
I Saw the Light

*With the Children

CLOSING PRAYER

Woods and Bridges Band

Steve Davenport
Jordan Logue
Joanne Rose
John Rose

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COMMUNITY CORNER

WELCOME AND MEMBERSHIP: Welcome to worship at Orange Park Presbyterian Church! There are Connect Cards in the pews for visitor information, communications, and prayer requests (once completed, place in the offering plate). If you would like to talk with Pastor Sandra about becoming a church member, please note that on the card, and she will reach out to answer your questions.

BLUEGRASS SUNDAY: Welcome to this year's Bluegrass Sunday. Today the band Woods and Bridges will lead us in a musical celebration, which will be followed by a meal in the Fellowship Hall.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH AND NURSERY: On most Sundays, Children's Church is for ages 4 through 13 and takes place right after the children's message. Today we invite all the children to stay and enjoy the music!

CHOIR PRACTICE: The next choir rehearsals will be on November 19 and December 3 and 10 at 6:30 p.m.

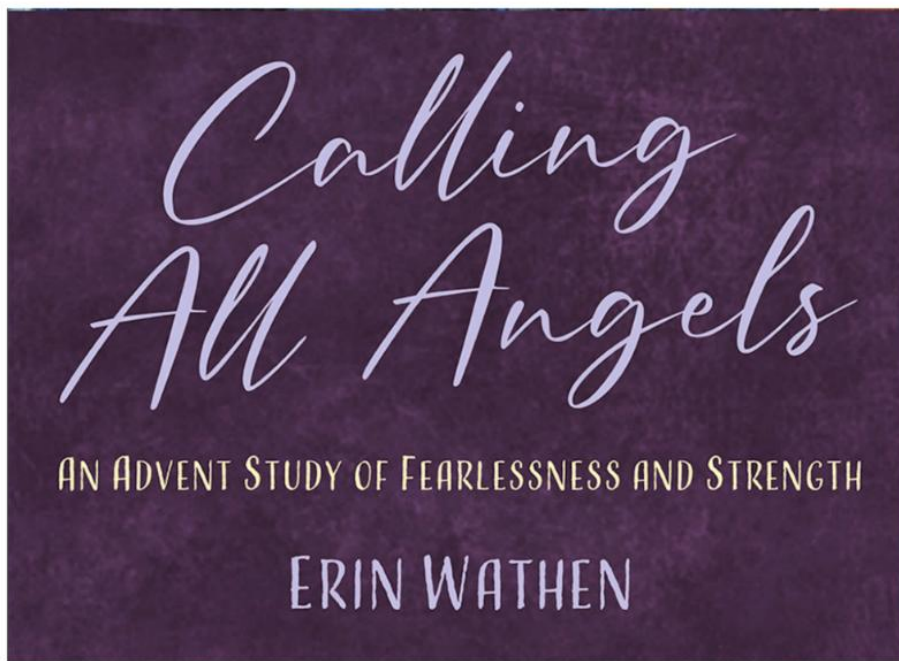
GREENING OF THE CHURCH: Come and be a part of the "Greening of the Church" on Thursday, December 4, at 6:00 p.m. This joyful activity makes our sanctuary ready for Advent and Christmas, when we will welcome the Christ Child! Also, join us in the Gathering Place at 1:30 on Tuesday, December 2, as we prepare the decorations for the Greening. Refreshments will be served.

ANGEL TREE: For many years we have helped the Salvation Army to provide gifts to for struggling families. Look for our Angel Tree at the back of the sanctuary on Sunday, November 23, where YOU may take and "sign out" a tag showing a child's specific needs. Return your gifts by Sunday, December 7. Thank you for blessing a family in need!

ADVENT STUDY (beginning November 30): Join us for our all-church Advent study, "Calling All Angels" by Rev. Erin Wathen. We'll meet in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday mornings from November 30 through December 21. Enjoy breakfast snacks at 9:00 a.m., followed by discussion at 9:15, as we journey together through the season of Advent.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES (through November 23): Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m., the Adult Forum meets in The Gathering Place, Room 3, using "Feasting on the Word," a scripture study based on the Lectionary (Debbie Pendry). Travelers' Class meets in The Gathering Place, Room 4, and is using a video series "God Never Gives Up On You" by Max Lucado (Cathy Sanders). The Seekers meet in the church office library and are using "The God We Can Know" by Rob Fuquay (Ricky Kirby).

WOMEN'S RETREAT: If you have ever wondered how YOU fit into God's grand and beautiful plan, then come to the 2026 Women's Retreat, where we will explore "Our Sacred Story in God's Divine Plan" while enjoying a time for renewed spiritual focus, relaxation, fellowship, and laughter. The retreat will be held on March 13-15 at Epworth by the Sea on St. Simons Island. The fee is \$300 for a double accommodation (\$50 deposit due by December 1). Registration forms are available in the narthex, and church office. Questions? Contact Cindy Ezell.



This Advent Study Is for Everyone!

**Sundays in the Fellowship Hall
November 30 through December 21**

9:00 Breakfast Snacks, 9:15 Study Begins

From the Publisher: Life can be daunting, filled with uncertainty and fears. It wasn't any different two thousand years ago when Jesus was born. An aged priest is told he is about to become a father for the first time. A young woman is told she is going to give birth – outside the protection of marriage. A simple carpenter is asked to believe the impossible. A group of shepherds' night on a hill is interrupted by a bright host of angels in the sky.

Yet, each of these encounters begins with the same refrain: do not be afraid.

Those words, though, are not just words of comfort; they are an invitation and a calling from God. In this captivating Advent study and devotional, pastor Erin Wathen challenges us to take this timeless message and apply it to our lives today. *Calling All Angels* asks us to contemplate what would change in our relationships, vocations, congregations, and communities if we have the courage to overcome our fears like Mary, Joseph, Zechariah, and the Shepherds in the story.