

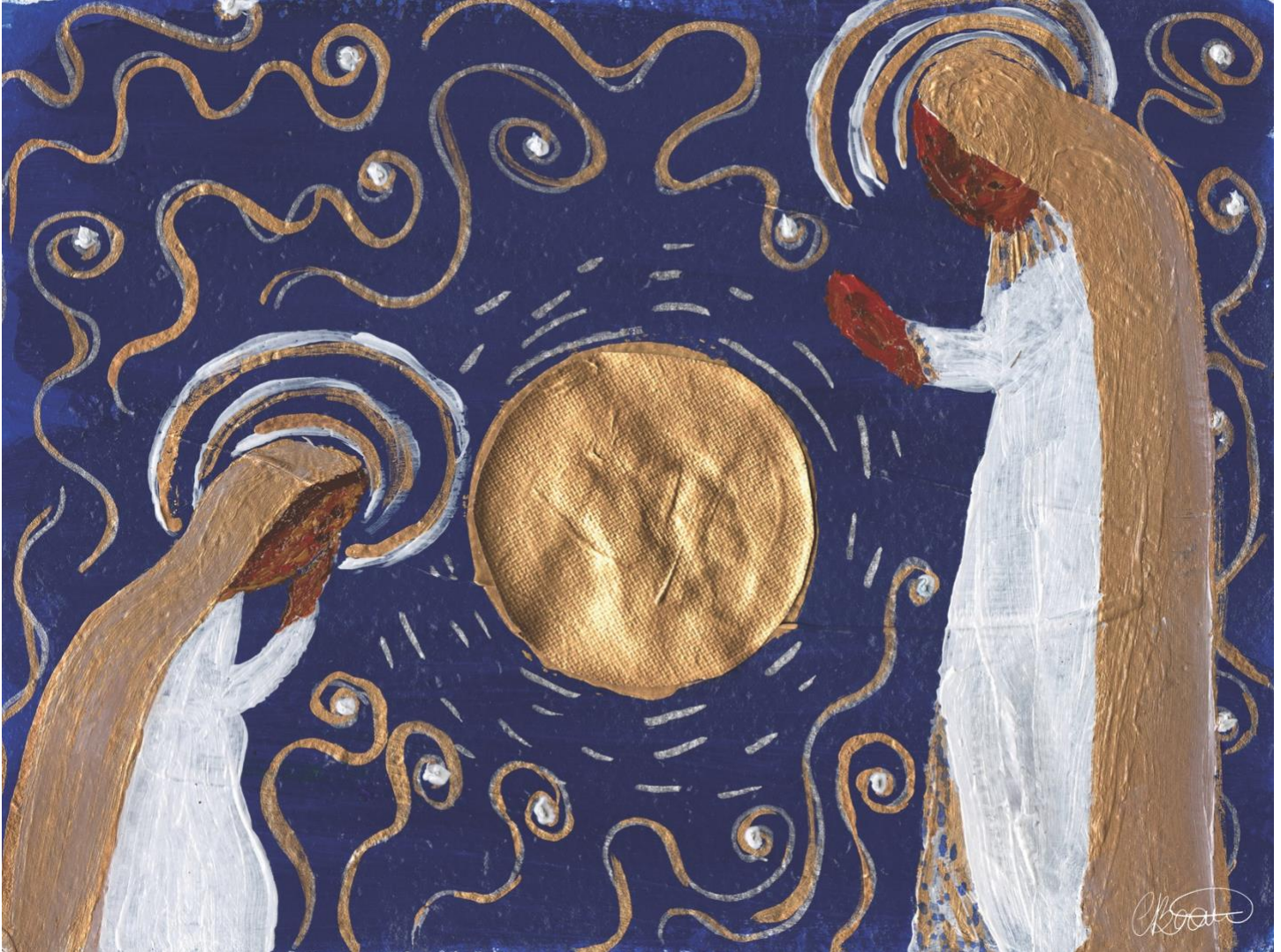


# First Presbyterian Church

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Third Sunday of Advent



*Mary's Golden Annunciation, Carmelle Beaugelin*

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## Order of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Mary Kay Collins

Prelude

*Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence*  
Clifton Glen Cali Trio

arr. Sylvia Woods

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Confirmands and Mentors: Madelyn Chewning, Elizabeth Darling, Addison Evers, Margaret Galanti,  
Peggy Larus, Rose Lane Nimmo, Frances Reynolds

\*Hymn 88 (vv. 1-2, 4, 7)

“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”

VENI EMMANUEL

\*Prayer of Confession

Rev. Amy Starr Redwine

**Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.**

\*Passing of the Peace

Introduction of New Members

Sacrament of Baptism

Tucker Alexander Huffman  
Child of Alex and Whit Huffman

\*Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

*During the singing of the hymn, children ages 4-10 years are invited to go to faith formation.  
They may be picked up after worship in room 206 & 207.*

\*Hymn 492 (sung twice)

“You Belong to Christ”

YOU BELONG TO CHRIST

**You belong to Christ, in whom you have been baptized.  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Prayer for Illumination

Lawson White

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 11:1-10  
Luke 1:26-38

Rev. Josh Andrzejewski

**\*Please rise in body or in spirit.**

Sermon	“Mary”	
Anthem	<i>Thou Shalt Know Him</i> Chancel Choir	Mark Sirett
Call to Offering	M.R. Litman, Vice-Chair, Planned Giving Committee	
Offertory	<i>O Come, O Come, Emmanuel</i> Clifton Glen Cali Trio	arr. Jo Morrison
*Doxology (Prayer of Thanksgiving)	<p style="text-align: right;">sung to VENI EMMANUEL</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <b>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;          praise Christ, all people here below;          praise Holy Spirit evermore;          praise Triune God, whom we adore.          Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel          shall come to thee, O Israel!</b> </p>	
Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer	<p style="text-align: right;">Rev. Derek Starr Redwine</p> <p><b>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.</b></p>	
*Hymn 104	“O Lord, How Shall I Meet You”	VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN
*Charge and Benediction	Rev. Josh Andrzejewski	
Postlude	<i>Toccata on “O Blest Creator of Light”</i> Bruce Stevens, organ	Flor Peeters

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### Welcome to our newest members!



Katie McLellan



Alex & Whit Huffman with  
Whitty, Charlotte, and Tucker



George Gretes & Sherri Rose

**There are many opportunities for engagement at FPC this Advent season.**  
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**This week's usher team includes:** Nicholas Reynolds, Meg Simonton, David Williams, Alison Herring, Judy Price.

*If you're interested in serving as an usher, contact Rev. Mary Kay Collins.*

**Elders:** Bill Hardy, Elizabeth Darling, Nicholas Reynolds

**The flowers in the sanctuary** are given in memory of William Palmer Wilkins, Jr. by Brenda Wilkins McGehee and William Palmer Wilkins III and in memory of Joan Crosby by Ralph Crosby and her sons.

*The flowers in the sanctuary were arranged by Harriet Yake and Lynda Starr. The flowers in the memorial corridor were arranged by Sally Bryson.*

### Please keep in your prayers those with special concerns:

- Bex Bertok, health concerns
- Gene Crabtree, (Kendra's father) health concerns
- Larry Gegner (*Karen Rohr's brother*), in home hospice care
- Jan Hamby, upcoming heart bypass surgery
- Bill Livingston, Sally Brown's brother, in hospice care
- Jane Neer, relief from back pain and recovery from surgery
- Bob Priddy, treatment for Large B cell Lymphoma
- James Putbrese (*Cortland Putbrese's father*), recovering from surgery
- Pat Roberson (*Sandy Irby's mother*), hospice care
- Karen Sigel, relief from chronic back pain
- Mary White, health concerns

### Those rejoicing:

- Robin Foster and Jeff Haynes on the birth of their grandson, Thompson Foster Haynes, on November 28. Thompson's great-grandparents are Virginia and Jack Foster and Peggy Jane Owen.
- Conner & Campbell Gentil on the birth of their daughter, Kathryn Armistead Gentil, on December 5. Kathryn's big sister is Beverley and her grandparents are Margaret and Steve Gentil.

### We pray for members and family serving in the military:

Tripp Bowles, Jenny Sigel Burkett, Zach Kirk, Mason Louthan, Anne Marks, Nathan Thomas Meade, Connor Partlow, Peyton Spivey, Pierce Tarry, and Will Watkins.



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