

ORDER OF WORSHIP AND PRAISE

1st Sunday of Advent

Color: Purple

November 29, 2020

11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE and CHIMING OF THE HOUR

Choir Enters

LIGHTING of the ALTAR CANDLES

Acolyte

CALL TO WORSHIP

“Majesty, Worship His Majesty”

UMH #176

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING

Leader: A voice cries out:

People: “In the wilderness prepare the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for out God.”

LIGHTING OF THE ADENT WREATH

Advent Song Versus #1

FWS # 2090

* HYMN OF PRAISE

“Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus”

UMH #196

* NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic* and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

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Prayer Concerns and Celebrations

Ongoing Concerns		
Terrell Alewine April Brown Johnny Bullard Ron Cooper Cary Cromer Mary Carlisle Jimmy Davis Debbie Dennis Dr. John Ferguson Scott Frick Barry Graham Jimmy Graham Lib Graham Stephanie Graham Brian Harris Zalia Hawkins Blake Hendrix Gelton Hill Todd Holland Cody Jones Jane Jones	Richard Jones Megan Keenan Joey Kitchens Barbara Lathrop Audrey Lester Lynnette Lever Corinne Lord Eric Longshore Larry Longshore Peggy Longshore Sadie Mae Logging Terry Marlowe Alice Martinez Allen Murphy Judy New Ethel Rawls Terry Rawls Sybil Robinson Amos Salters Dillon Sligh Steven Strange	Trey Summer Lynn Underwood Mike Wise Bonnelle Yarborough Grieving Family & Friends of... Willie Mae Lindler 

Additional Concerns for Prayer Attention:

*Those Who Don’t Know Christ

*Victims of Disasters & Relief Teams

*Our Government & Its Leaders *Military Serving

*Our Church, Our Mandates & SC UM Conference

*Persecution of Christians

*Unemployed Persons

*Pastoral Leadership

*Caretakers

Worship Attendance

10/25-25

11/1-42

11/8-37

11/15-42

11/22-37

Times and Dates to Remember

Church Council- 1st Sunday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

“Go Group -1st Thursday after the 1st Sunday at 12:00 p.m.

Men’s Prayer Breakfast-1st Sunday of the Month at 8:00 a.m.

Women’s Prayer Breakfast- Thursday after the 3rd Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

UMYF- 3rd Sunday of the month at 5:30 p.m.

SOC- 2nd Sunday of the Month at 7:00 p.m.

Bulletin information is due on Thursday’s at 5:00 p.m.

Newsletter information is due on the 15th of each month.

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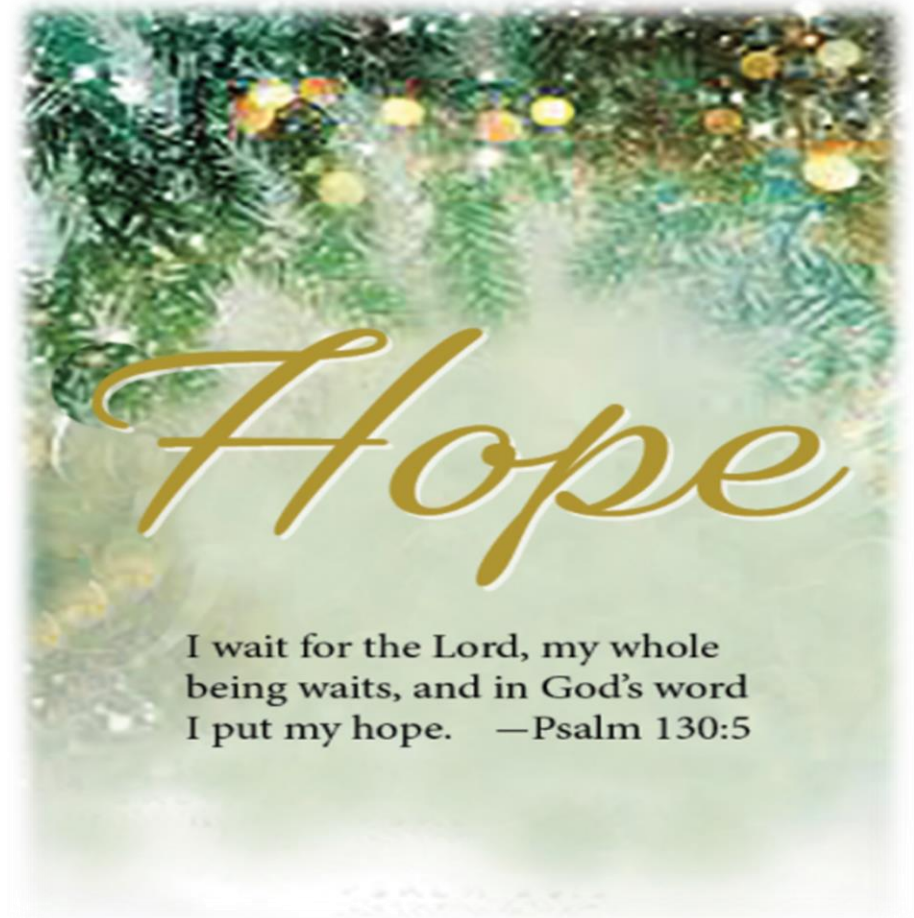
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I wait for the Lord, my whole
being waits, and in God’s word
I put my hope. —Psalm 130:5

Upcoming Meetings & Events

Wednesday, December 9th, 2020

We will meet for Bible study at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

Sunday, December 13th, 2020

We will have the Christmas program during worship service.

The SOC group will meet at 7:00 p.m. in fellowship hall. All attendees are asked to bring a “finger” food and a \$10-\$12 gift.

Wednesday, December 16th, 2020

We will meet for Bible study at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

Thursday, December 24th, 2020

Christmas Eve Service at 9:00 p.m.

Birthday Party for Jesus

Sunday, December 13th, 2020

We will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall. Please make sure to RSVP to Melissa by December 11th.

Building Fund Challenge



A friend of New Hope has pledged \$.20 for every dollar donated to the building expansion fund up to \$5,000. This challenge will run through December 31st.

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PSALTER “Psalm 80: 1-7, 17-19” Response #1 UMH #801

CHILDRENS SERMON

A TIME OF PRAYER

SHARING OF CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING GOD OUR GIFTS OF LOVE AND PRAISE

PRESENTATION OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY UMH #95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee O Israel.

* CONGREGATIONAL HYMN “Jesus, Lover of My Soul” UMH #479

GOSPEL LESSON Isaiah 64:1-9

SERMON: “Eat Your Green Beans” Rev. Cameron Levi

* DISCIPLESHIP HYMN “I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light” UMH #206

* BENEDICTION AND BLESSING

And now go out into the world in peace. Beware, keep alert, for we do not know the hour when we will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great power and glory. Be faithful in service and persistent in prayer; be Advent people, loving and serving the Lord. Amen.

* CHORAL BLESSING UMH #673 Choir & All

*POSTLUDE

*The people standing if able



This Week

Tuesday, December 1st & 8th, 2020

We will meet for Christmas program practice at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, December 6th, 2020

The Men’s Group will meet at 8:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

The Worship Committee will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

The PPRC will meet at 5:30 p.m. in fellowship hall.

Wednesday, December 2nd, 2020

We will meet for Bible study at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

The Administrative Council will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

<u>Birthdays</u>		<u>Anniversaries</u>	
Dec. 1 st	Tommy Barrett	Dec. 1 st	Chris & Allie Graddick
Dec. 4 th	Lee Bedenbaugh	Dec. 3 rd	Terry & Marilyn Rawls
Dec. 5 th	Emily Livingston		

Worship Leaders for Today

TODAY	NEXT WEEK
Greeters: Shane & Linda Livingston	Greeters: Danny & Jenny Stone
Ushers: N/A Until Further Notice	Ushers: N/A Until Further Notice
Acolyte: Layla Huffstetler	Acolyte: Connor Long
Organist: Alice Davis	Flowers: Vickie Clanton



The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God by Jesse and Brooke Harmon in honor of Mila Rae Harmon.

Epworth Christmas Gifts

We are collecting Amazon, Target, and Walmart gift cards for the Epworth children’s gifts this year. Any amount is acceptable. Please drop your donations in the bag located on the pew in the front of the church by December 6th. Thank you for your generous giving to the children of Epworth!

Holiday Meal Boxes for the Pomaria Food Pantry

The Pomaria Food Pantry is asking for the following items to be donated for their annual Holiday Meal Boxes. Canned Corn, Canned Green Beans, Canned Sweet Potatoes, Gravy Mix, Jiffy Cornbread Mix, Box of Stuffing Mix, Box of Mashed Potatoes & Cranberry Sauce.