

# Byars-Cobbs Memorial United Methodist Church

## *Fourth Sunday of Advent* *Color: Blue*

Elizabeth Belcher, *Pianist*      Lee Anne Lester, *Choir Director*  
David Sheffield, *Organist*      Jerry Ferguson, *Lay Leader*

### Order of Worship

December 23, 2018

Prelude		
Call to Worship	<i>"He Is Born"</i>	Choir
*Hymn	<i>"Angels We Have Heard on High"</i>	238
*Congregational Greetings/Announcements		
The Lighting of the Advent Candle		
Congregational Celebrations and Concerns		
*Prayer Hymn	<i>"O Little Town of Bethlehem"</i>	230
Morning Prayer and The Lord's Prayer		
*Responsive Reading	<i>"Canticle of Mary"</i>	199
*Gloria Patri		71
The Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory /*Doxology		95
Special Music	<i>"Mary, Did You Know?"</i>	Elizabeth
	<i>"What Child Is This"</i>	Rob
	<i>"Love Came Down at Christmas"</i>	Tricia and Rob
Young Christians' Time		Tricia Rodocker
Scripture Reading	<i>Luke 2:1-7</i>	Rev. Bailey
Sermon	<b><i>"LOVE CAME DOWN"</i></b>	
*Closing Hymn	<i>"Joy To the World"</i>	246
*Benediction		
*Postlude		
	*Congregation Standing	

## Announcements

### *Christmas Eve Candlelight Service*

Our Christmas Eve Candlelight Service will be held tomorrow night, December 24, at **7:00 p.m.** (new time)

### *Glade Spring Food Bank*

We are collecting funds for the purchase of hams for Christmas this year. Help feed the needy, and donate to this very worthy cause! Write "Hams" in the memo line on your check, and make the check payable to Byars-Cobbs UMC.

### ***OUR MISSION:***

**OUR CHURCH EXISTS TO GLORIFY GOD AND HIS SON JESUS CHRIST, AND TO MEET THE SPIRITUAL, EMOTIONAL, AND PHYSICAL NEEDS OF PEOPLE THROUGH SERVICE AND FAITHFUL WITNESS.**

### *Report for Sunday, December 16, 2018*

Sunday School Attendance	11
Worship Attendance	34
Worship Offering	\$3245.00
Food Bank (Hams)	\$130.00