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# 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent

November 27, 2022

10:00 AM

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## **WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD**

CHIMING THE HOUR

WELCOME AND MISSION MINUTE

SILENT CENTERING PRAYER

*Holy One, you urge us to wake up! Help us to be present during this time of waiting. Remind us to give thanks for simple, everyday things that we may take for granted. Travel with us on this inward journey of attentiveness that our hearts may know your peace; and your peace will flow through our words and actions. Amen.*

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

***Andy Brussel, Liturgist***

One: Awaken us, O God

**All: We are waiting for someone special, let us keep watch**

One: Prepare us to embark on this journey

**All: May peace be within each of us**

One: As we travel your path of peace together

\*HYMN #2 "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus"

ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Matthew 24:36-44 **Rev. Dr. Carson O. Mouser**  
red Bible pg. 1205 black Bible pg. 27

This ends our reading of God's word this day.

**Thanks be to God.**

SERMON: "The Deep Longing for Life"

**Rev. Dr. Carson O. Mouser**

## **WE OFFER OUR LIVES TO GOD**

\*HYMN #434 "Today We Are Called to Be Disciples"

SHARING JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORDS'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.**

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY (tune is Old Hundredth) \*HYMN #592

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

**O God, you call us to travel on Your paths, with people from every nation. May we live in the light of God that we may unlearn war and learn peace. We bring the best of ourselves and our offerings, to God's church and world. Amen.**

\*HYMN BENEDICTION #12 "People, Look East"

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\*For those who are able, please stand.

- **Today's Usher:** Marge Calkins
- **Coffee Hour** today is hosted by Mark Chamberlin.
- **Session:** Tues., Nov. 29, 7:00 p.m. in the Media Center
- **Bible Study:** will resume on Monday, Nov. 28 at 11 a.m. in the Media Center and again on Thursday, Dec. 1 at 7 p.m. via Zoom.
- **Music & Worship:** Mon., Dec. 5, 10 a.m. in the Media Center
- **Book Club:** Tues., Dec. 6, 10 a.m. in the Media Center

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**Remember in Your Prayers & Correspondence**

Barry Bullis; Nancy Dobbins; Mimi Dundon;  
Heidi Henderson, upon the loss of her father Allan Henderson; Rush Pond

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We are a loving family of God, following Christ by practicing our legacy of worship, education, and mission to neighbors.

