

# THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR WORSHIP

December 10, 2006 *THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT* 10:45 a.m.

*Thank you for being here today. We believe that worship is essential to our faith. When we gather, we gather in the midst of God, and His Spirit inspires and directs. During our Gathering Time, we invite you to extend a warm welcome to each other and to our guests as we celebrate the gift of Christian fellowship! May you find the joy of God's love and grace as we share this time together.*

**We would also ask that in consideration of other worshipers, please turn off, or switch to silent mode, all paging and cellular devices.**  
Hearing Assistance devices are available from any usher.

WELCOME TO WORSHIPERS and MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS Jeff Allen

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH-PEACE Rita & Tyler Lee  
Old Testament Reading – Isaiah 11:1-6  
New Testament Reading – Ephesians 2:14-18

INVITATION TO SHARE IN WORSHIP based on Psalm 85:7-13  
Show us your unfailing love, O God, our Savior,  
**And grant us your salvation.**  
Listen to what the Lord our God says:  
**He promises peace to his people, who are his beloved saints.**  
The Lord will indeed give what is good.  
**Righteousness goes before him and prepares the way for his steps.**  
May the Lord make his holy face to shine upon us in the time of Advent worship.  
May we see God's face and so know peace. **Amen.**

## THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PRELUDE *Silent Night* Johnson  
Becky Grubbs & Betty Hardison, handbells

CALL TO WORSHIP *Jesus, Name Above All Names* Hearn

INVOCATION Jeff Allen

\*HYMN NO. 77 *Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus* HYFRODOL

MINISTRY OF GOD'S WORD Jason Cogdill  
Malachi 3:1-4, Philippians 1:3-11

PASTORAL PRAYER Jason Cogdill

\*HYMN NO. 93 *It Came Upon the Midnight Clear* CAROL

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING Jeff Rawls

OFFERTORY *Angels We Have Heard on High* arr. Gehrke

\*DEDICATION OF GIFTS *Doxology* OLD 100TH  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

ANTHEM *There Shall A Star Come Out of Jacob* Mendelssohn  
There shall a star come out of Jacob, and a scepter shall rise out of Israel, with might  
destroying princes and cities. There shall a star come out of Jacob,  
As bright the star of morning gleams, so Jesus shedeth glorious beams of light and consolation.  
Thy Word, O Lord, radiance darting, Truth imparting, gives salvation;  
Thine be praise and adoration!

SERMON *It's Your Life...Or Is It?* Pastor  
Luke 3:1-6

\*HYMN NO. 410 *It Is Well* VILLE DU HAVRE

BENEDICTION Pastor

RESPONSE *Go Now in Peace* GO NOW IN PEACE

POSTLUDE *Now Sing We, Now Rejoice* Bach

\*Those who are able are asked to stand.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Today

9:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting, Youth Ministry Council  
9:30 Sunday School  
10:45 Gathering for Morning Worship  
11:00 Children's Celebration  
12:15 p.m. Visitation Assignments, Deacons' Luncheon  
4:30 *Ainesis* Rehearsal  
6:00 ***A Christmas Concert – Handbells & Channnels*** - Sanctuary  
7:00 L.I.F.E. Worship Service

### Monday

10:00 a.m. Monday Bible Study  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 907, Community Bible Study

### Tuesday

9:30 a.m. *Grace Notes* leave for Homestead Hills  
6:00 – 9:00 p.m. Basketball Practice

### Wednesday

5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Supper Line Open  
6:00 *Cherub Choir, Sing for God, Psalm 8:2* Rehearsals, Youth *Crosstraining*  
6:45 ***Grace Notes cantata***  
Mission Friends, RA's, GA's, Youth Discipleship/Missions  
7:30 *Sanctuary Choir* Rehearsal

### Thursday

7:00 – 8:30 p.m. *Sanctuary Choir* Rehearsal

### Saturday

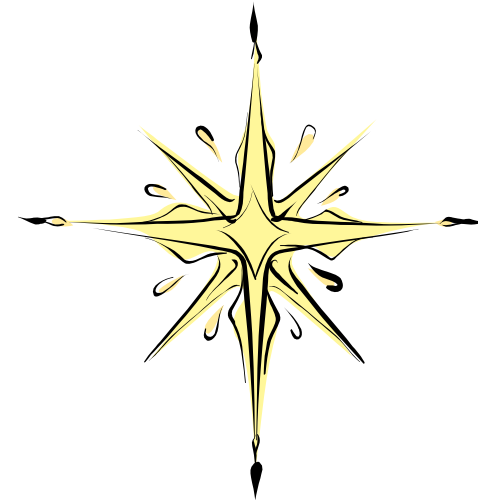
7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study  
8:30 Intermediate Boys Basketball – FBC Winston-Salem  
9:30 WMU Missions Brunch – Smith Hall  
11:00 Junior CoEd Basketball – Mt. Tabor Methodist  
Senior High Boys Basketball – Becks Baptist  
Girls Basketball – Old Town Baptist  
12:30 p.m. Cantata dress rehearsal  
3:00 p.m.

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