

# THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR WORSHIP

December 24, 2006 *THE FOURTH 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 - LOVE The Cohen Family  
Old Testament Reading – Psalm 118:1-4, 27-29  
New Testament Reading – I John 4:7-16

INVITATION TO SHARE IN WORSHIP Psalm 89:1-2, 8  
I will sing of the Lord's great love forever  
**With my mouth I will make your faithfulness known through all generations**  
I will declare that your love stands firm forever,  
That you established your faithfulness in heaven itself  
O Lord God Almighty, who is like you?  
You are mighty, O Lord, and your faithfulness surrounds you.

## THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP *Still, Still, Still* Luboff

INVOCATION Jeff Allen

\*HYMN NO. 79 *Blessed Be the God of Israel* FOREST GREEN

CHILDREN'S TIME

MINISTRY OF GOD'S WORD Jason Cogdill  
Micah 5:2-5a; Hebrews 10:5-10

PASTORAL PRAYER Jason Cogdill

\*HYMN NO. 109 *Love Came Down at Christmas* GARTAN

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING Wayne Lewis

OFFERTORY *Mary, Did You Know?* arr. Rouse

\*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 *Let Us the Infant Greet*  
Let us the infant greet, in worship before Him fall, and let us pay Him homage meet, on this His festival. Let us to the Infant sing, and bring Him of gifts rich store, Let us honour our Infant King, with praise forevermore. Let us to the Infant kneel, and love Him with faithful love, and let our joyous anthems peal, for Him who reigns above. Glad hymns in the Infant's laud, sing we to Him while we may, In heaven where He is throned as God, our service He will pay. Be we to the Infant true, while we are dwelling on mould, And He will give us our wages due, A crown of purest gold.  
Cindy Johnson, Mary Keltner, Ron Landreth

SERMON *Do You Hear What I Hear?* Pastor  
Luke 1:39-45

\*HYMN NO. 85 *The First Nowell* THE FIRST NOWELL

BENEDICTION Pastor

RESPONSE *Grace to You* STEARNS

POSTLUDE

\*Those who are able are asked to stand.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today

9:00 a.m.  
9:30  
10:45  
12:15 p.m.  
5:00

Prayer Meeting  
Sunday School  
Gathering for Morning Worship  
Visitation Assignments  
Christmas Eve Service

Monday

Office Closed

Tuesday

9:30 a.m.  
6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

No Grace Notes  
No Basketball Practice

Wednesday

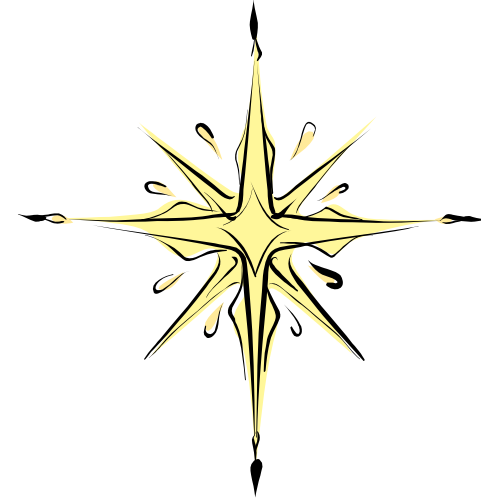
7:30

Saturday

7:00 a.m.

No Family Night Activities  
No Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Men's Bible Study



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