First Sunday after Christmas Day: December 27, 2020.

Welcome! Thank you for joining us in service today. If you have any prayer concerns that you would like to be included in our weekly Caring Ministry email, please contact Mary Brown.

For assistance or questions, please contact the church office.

Today's Altar Flower Arrangement: In loving memory of Dean Knauss. Given by Charlotte and Dale Knauss.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

| WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS | | Sally Simon |
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| *CALL TO WORSHIP | "Surely the Presence of the Lord" | UMH 328 |
| SCRIPTURE READING | Galatians 4:4-7 | Sally Simon |

*HYMN "Joy to the World" UMH 246

OFFERTORY PRAYER Sally Simon

OFFERTORY

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

*Doxology

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Gurley

PASTOR'S PALS Rev. Gurley

*APOSTLES' CREED Sally Simon

*GI ORIA PATRI

*HYMN "Because He Lives" UMH 364

SPECIAL MUSIC

*SCRIPTURE Luke 2:22-40 Rev. Gurley

MESSAGE Rev. Gurley

*Invitational Hymn "Into My Heart" *See Screens

*BENEDICTION Rev. Gurley

*BENEDICTION SONG "Go, Tell It on the Mountain" UMH 251 Refrain Only

*Postlude

Nurture

Therefore encourage one another and build up one another, just as you also are doing.
--1 Thessalonians 5:11

New Prayers:

Continued Prayers:

Our Church Brent Alexander Nellie Mae Ward Donna Bohannon Mary Baker Paul Walters Mitch Orr Yolie Beavers

Wyatt Alexander, Aiden Baker. Roger & Alice Barker, Joaquin Bejarano, Melissa Berger, Ruby and Charlie Bone, Sue Cohn. Sammy Coleman, Bill Cross, Jerry & Pat Davis, Abigail Dawdy, Dr. Jack Dowdy, Rosemary Farmer, Jo Gaskill. Rose Giordano, Lynda Hale, Linda Harris, Michael Johnson, Landry Johnson, Zachary Joplin, Elizabeth Juhl, Kendra King, Virginia Lane, Linda Maldonado, Paulette Martin, Helen McAllister, Chervl Miller. Randy Pool's Father, Robert Qualls, Jean Robinson, Claudine Salter, Kelly Simpson, Don Speer, Jim Starrett, Dee & Don Trull, and Linda Wolston.



Angels In The Wings:

Greta Boultinghouse Gladys Caulking Charlotte Finnegan Mary Friedel LaNelle Gillreath Jessie Kelley Benita King Mary Jo Lemons Pam Long **Knox Lowe** Shirley Menasco Sherry Nash Betty Pollock Charlotte Reppen Cynthia Sperry Pat Underriner Peggy Whisenant

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^{*}Stand if able: UMH=United Methodist Hymnal, TFWS=The Faith We Sing.

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Helping Hands Desk:

Tuesday: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Call ahead for assistance.

God's Helping Hands Food Ministry:

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Angel's Wings Clothes Closet:

Closed until the first of the New Year, 2021.

Sunday Schedule:

Adult Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.

In-Person and Livestreamed Worship at 10:00 a.m.

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Would you like to know more about Jesus Christ, how to become a Christian or would like more information about church membership? Perhaps you just need someone to pray with or talk to you. Please let us know!

Sunday, December 27, 2020

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10:00 a.m. In-Person and Livestreamed Worship Service

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