Prelude Pam Campbell

Welcome & Announcements Loren Swenson

(\*Please stand as you are able)

\*Christ's Light Enters

\*Opening Hymn People, Look East #202

\*Apostles Creed

**Traditional Version** 

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

Born of the Virgin Mary,

Suffered under Pontius Pilate,

Was crucified, dead, and buried;

The third day he rose from the dead;

He ascended into heaven,

And sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

From thence he shall come to Judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy spirit,

The holy catholic Church,

The communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

And the life everlasting.

Amen.

**Lighting of the Advent Candles** 

Hymn: Advent Song #2090 Vs. 3

Mission Moment Nancy Wentz

**Sharing Joys and Concerns** 

**Time of Prayer** 

**Lord's Prayer** 

Offering

\*Doxology #94

\*Offertory Prayer

God who gives all gifts, in this season, we focus so much on giving gifts to one another. Help us, we pray, to remember what John the Baptist tells us is on your wish list: that we might bear fruit worthy of the repentance that is the very heart of this season: fruit of compassion, fruit of sharing, fruit by denying ourselves so that others who have little will have enough. In response to you, we give that our fruit might please you. In the Savior's name, we pray. Amen. (Luke 3:7-18)

**Hymn** Hark! The Herald Angels Sing #240

Children's Christmas Program The Not-So-Silent Night

\*Hymn of Sending Forth Joy to the World #246

\*Our Purpose

What is our purpose?

To provide a place for all to BELONG to our community, BELIEVE in and experience the transforming love of Jesus Christ, and BECOME his disciples.

**BELONG! BELIEVE! BECOME!** 

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Response Let there Be Peace on Earth #431

Postlude

# Events this week in church: Sunday. December 12, 2021

9:30am Crusaders9:30am Searchers

10:30am Worship Service3:00 Christmas Caroling!

## Monday, December 13, 2021

7:00pm Finance

## Wednesday, Wednesday 15, 2021

10:00am Commodities5:00pm Sitting with Jesus

5:30pm Table Talk

#### Sunday, September 19, 2021

9:30am Crusader 9:30am Searchers

10:30am Worship Service 12:00pm-6:00pm Bell Ringing

PRAYER REQUESTS:

GENE JOHNSON
FAMILY OF CARL ADE

WILLIE, KARLA & NATHAN LAWRENCE

#### **PRAYERS**

Please see the Prayer Board outside the office for ongoing prayer requests.

Join us TODAY at 3:00 pm for Christmas Caroling! We will meet in the upper parking lot.

Caroling will be followed by a Soup Supper in the Fellowship Hall.



# Missions Buckets "Noisy Offering" Today

for CCRC Holiday Baskets









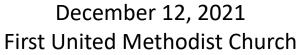




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