

Holy Trinity United Methodist Church

December 15, 2024

9:30am

DO THE GOOD THAT IS YOURS TO DO/JOY

Prelude

Welcome/Call to Worship

Anthem "A Time for Advent" Chancel Choir

Advent Candle Lighting Posthumus family

Sung Response "Love Broke Forth"
(Sung to the tune IRBY/#250 Once in Royal David's City)

***Love broke forth to know completely
Who you are and who you'll be
Gathering into one body
All of our humanity
Tenderly Love speaks your name
Your belonging to proclaim***

Opening Prayer (unison)

**Eternal God, We know that you are constantly speaking to us.
Through music, scripture, nature, and relationships, you make yourself known again
and again. In gratitude, we long to return the favor. In gratitude, we long to meet
you halfway. So in this moment, we are quieting the noise in our heads.
We are closing our eyes. We are leaning in. We are listening.
We are doing the good that is ours to do.
Speak to us through the chaos. Speak to us as only you can.
With hope in our hearts we listen, we pray. Amen.**

Hymn "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" Hymnal 89

Children's Time Pastor Leigh

Scripture Isaiah 58:9-12

Anthem "Immanuel, God with Us" Chancel Choir

Scripture Luke 3:3-16

Anthem "Come, Jesus, Prince of Peace" Chancel Choir

Message Rev. Leigh Brown

Anthem "A Star, A Song, A Sign" Chancel Choir

Offering

*Doxology (To the tune of #219 What Child Is This)

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God all creatures here below
Praise God all heavens and the earth
Our hope for today and always***

Joys and Concerns

Prayer Song "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (verse 4) Hymnal 230

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Announcements

Hymn "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" (vs. 1, 2, 6, 7) Hymnal 211

Blessing

Postlude

Chancel Choir led by Randi Erlandson

Maureen Armstrong, piano

Heidi Wojahn, violin

Worship Leaders

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Ushers: Collan and Heather Zehnder
Greeters: Lois Burkart and Sandy Feldhake

This Week:

Monday, Dec. 16	7:00pm	Al-Anon (Parsonage)
Tuesday, Dec. 17	1:00pm	Lakefront Bible Study
	1:00pm	Quilters
	7:00pm	Co-Dependents Anonymous (Parsonage)
Wednesday, Dec. 18	4:00pm	Bells Rehearsal
	5:30pm	Advent Study
Thursday, Dec. 19	6:00pm	Veterans AA (Parsonage)
Sunday, Dec. 22	9:30am	Worship/Live-Stream



Prayer Requests:

Maia Noer—cousin Luke having surgery to remove cancer from his tongue

The Guenthers—continued healing and progress for dad Scott after his aneurysm

Heather Zehnder—friend Robin’s brother-in-law was put on hospice for cancer and her step-mom had a heart attack the following day

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