

Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 18, 2011

Eleven O'clock

Prelude	Veni, Emmanuel	Early plainsong
Welcome and Announcements		Kelli Sorg
Passing The Peace		
*Call to Worship		Ron Adams
L: Praise be to God!		
P: Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, who has visited and redeemed the people.		
L: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.		
P: Blessed be the name of the Lord.		
*Hymn	Tell Out My Soul	200
*Opening Prayer		
Purify our conscience, Almighty God, by your daily visitation, that your Son Jesus Christ, at his coming, may find in us a mansion prepared for himself; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.		
*Advent Wreath Candle Lighting		
Jerry & Evelyn Arnold		
Children's Time		Kayren Brantley
<i>Nursery is available for children ages birth to 4 years old</i>		
Anthem	Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming	Praetorius
Psalter Lesson	Luke 1:46b-55	Angelina Soulasinh
Old Testament Lesson	2 Samuel 7:1-11,16	Ron Adams
*Affirmation of Faith	<i>Apostles' Creed</i>	881
*Gloria Patria	<i>Glory be to the Father</i>	70

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offertory He Shall Feed His Flock Handel

*Doxology (94) and Prayer of Dedication

New Testament Lesson Luke 1:26-38 Caroline Steed

Sermon Do We? If So, How? If Not, Why? Kelli Sorg

*Hymn People Look East 202

Pastoral Benediction

Leader: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

*Postlude The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns Jones

**As members of Trinity Church we vow to support it with:
our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness**

Our Prayers: Clarice Garner, Ellie Robinson, Sue Dennis, Kevin Corrigan, Mary Ruth Wood, Earl Stanley, Ellen Garman, Rev. William Turnmire, Jane Kearns, Alice Lee Deaton, Deidra Steed, Villie Morris, Patsy Maness, Linda Beaulieu, Mildred Smith, Fern Owen, Ruth Leach, Nancy Brown, Madge Kearns, Winnie Dorn, Mary Elizabeth Poole, Gene Clodfelter, Diane and Juanita Callicutt, Barbara Garman and Cindy Dohra.

Our Presence:

Sunday	5:30 PM	United Methodist Youth Fellowship	Fellowship Hall
	7:00 PM	Vespers Communion	Sanctuary
Tues	10:00 AM	Worship Committee Meeting	Library
Sat	5:00 PM	Christmas Communion	Sanctuary

Attendance Last Sun: AM Service – 80 PM Service – 14 Total - 94

Our Gifts:

Altar Guild	Chandler Dozier
Nursery	Anna Kennedy

Food Pantry Items: December 18th-peanut butter; December 25th- canned tuna/salmon

Our Service:

There will be no Sunday School or Vespers on Christmas day only Worship at its regular time 11 AM.

Pledge cards are available in the vestibule and by the elevator for those who didn't get one last Sunday. Please prayerfully consider your year-end gift and pledge of support for 2012.

Miss Nikki Honeycutt is in the office each day from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM to answer any questions and help with any general church affairs. Kindly remember to give her 48 hours' notice for making phone calls, posting changes to the bulletin and/or newsletter, etc. Thank You!

<p>Scripture Texts for Next Sunday are: <i>Isaiah 52:7-10; Psalm 98; Hebrews 1:1-4(5-12) ; John 1:1-14</i></p>
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Focus Statement

Disciple-making through hospitality, worship, nurture & outreach