



On Dec. 24th we will have two Christmas Eve Services at Noon and 6 pm.

We invite you to come and worship with us at either service. You will be blessed.

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- **Sunday, December 19th**
8:30 a.m. Traditional Service
- **Sunday, December 19th**
9:30 a.m. Sunday School

- **Sunday, December 19th**
10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship in person & online
- **Tuesday, December 20th**
9:00-10:30 a.m. Get Fit Exercise Class
- **Tuesday, December 20th**
10:00 am Leila Shinn Circle
- **Wednesday, December 21st**
6:00 a.m. Early Risers
- **Thursday, December 16th**
9:00-10:30 a.m. Get Fit Exercise Class
- **Thursday, December 16th**
5:30 pm Farmington Food Pantry
- **Friday, December 24th**
Noon Christmas Eve Service
- **Friday December 24th**
6:00 pm Christmas Eve Service
- **Sunday December 26th**
9:30 am Sunday School
- **Sunday December 26th**
10:30 am Combined Worship Service in person and online



Farmington United Methodist Church

Disciples Making Disciples



December 19, 2021

Order of Worship
Traditional

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

Lighting the Advent Wreath

*Hymn of Praise Joy to the World UMH 246

*Affirmation The Apostles Creed UMH 881

*Gloria Patri UMH 70

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn In the Bleak Midwinter UMH 221

Scripture Luke 2:8-20

Message The Christmas Dilemma: The Shepherds

*Hymn Once in Royal David's City UMH 250

*Benediction

*Hymn of Procession Pass It On UMH 572

** The congregation is invited to please stand as they are able.*

Order of Worship
Contemporary

*Call to Worship

Welcome

Lighting the Advent Wreath

*Songs of Praise

Passing of the Peace

Children's Message

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Luke 2:8-20

Message The Christmas Dilemma: The Shepherds

*Song of Response

*Closing Prayer

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GROW. PRAY. STUDY

December 19th; 4th Sunday of Advent

Grow: Luke 2:8-20(ESV)

8 And in the same region there were shepherds out in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. 9 And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with great fear. 10 And the angel said to them, "Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. 11 For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. 12 And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger." 13 And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,

14 "Glory to God in the highest,

and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!"

15 When the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has made known to us." 16 And they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby lying in a manger. 17 And when they saw it, they made known the saying that had been told them concerning this child. 18 And all who heard it wondered at what the shepherds told them. 19 But Mary treasured up all these things, pondering them in her heart. 20 And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

Pray: Prayer for 4th Sunday of Advent

Stir up your power, O Lord, and with great might come among us; and as we are sorely hindered by our sins from running the race that is set before us, let your bountiful grace and mercy speedily help and deliver us; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Study: Daily Bible Readings

Monday, December 20, 2021: Psalm 113; Genesis 25:19-28; Colossians 1:15-20

Tuesday, December 21, 2021: Psalm 113; Genesis 30:1-24; Romans 8:18-30

Wednesday, December 22, 2021: Luke 1:46b-55; Micah 4:1-5; Ephesians 2:11-22

Thursday, December 23, 2021: Luke 1:46b-55; Micah 4:6-8; 2 Peter 1:16-21

Prayers for Healing & Recovery

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| * Service Men and Women | * Paul Moore-healing and peace |
| * COVID-19 Pandemic | * Brandon Moss– healing & health |
| * Betty Ann Alcaraz | * Beth Noe-healing |
| * Margaret Anderson- healing from cancer | * Michelle O’Gorman-healing from cancer |
| * Rev. Anne Barcus | * Mary Jo Parker-Healing |
| * Jennifer “Jay” Beaver-healing | * Angel Patrick-healing after surgery |
| * Andy Bolin-healing | * Martin Peters-healing |
| * Joann Byman-healing | * Thel Pound– comfort & peace |
| * Terri Cheshier-healing from cancer | * Lettie Jude Rau-healing for heart |
| * Jade Collins-healing | * Jay Reed-healing |
| * Zach Frederick-healing from injuries | * Bradley Rice-healing from stroke |
| * Hilary Harber-healing, recovery, comfort | * Carla Robinson-healing from cancer |
| * Betty Hardman-healing from cancer | * Mark Shaw-healing |
| * Galen Harper-healing from cancer | * Gary Sittniewski-healing |
| * Carol Henriquez-healing | * Bill Stephens-healing |
| * Shirley Hileman-comfort and healing | * Danny Stevens-healing |
| * John Huddleston-Healing | * Nora Taylor-healing |
| * John James-healing | * Will Tennyson-healing from cancer |
| * Lowella Kimbrell-healing | * Elliot Thompson– healing |
| * Austin King-physical healing & recovery | * Marianne Traylor-healing |
| * Jeannie Sue Kisner-healing after car wreck | * Shirley Weldon-comfort & peace |
| * Karen Kozak-healing | * Scott Wilkinson-healing from cancer |
| * Alvin Luther-healing | * Beverly Woodward-healing |
| * Lonnie Luther-healing | * Scott Wood-healing from cancer |
| * Marybeth Mauroner (Dara Jett’s Mom) comfort and peace | ⇒ <i>To add or remove someone from our church prayer list please email us at</i> |