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## What's Happening



- Sunday, December 13th-  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School on Zoom
- Sunday, December 13th-  
10:30 a.m. Worship  
(in person & online)
- Wednesday, December 16th-  
7:00 p.m. Warren's Bible Study
- Friday, December 25th-  
12:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Service
- Friday, December 25th-  
6:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Service
- Saturday, December 26th-  
10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.  
Genesis Homeless Feed



December 20, 2020

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# Order of Worship

**Call To Worship**                      **Light of the Stable**

**Welcome/Announcements**

**Lighting of Advent Wreath**

**Praise**                                      **Let There Be Peace On Earth**  
**O Little Town of Bethlehem**

**Children Dismissed for Children's Church**

**Prayers of the People**

**Scripture**                                **Matthew 1: 18-25**

**Message**                                **The Wonder of a Promise**

**Song of Response**                      **Oh Holy Night**

**Closing Prayer**

## Prayers for Healing and Recovery

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| * Service Men and Women                    | * Theresa Martin– healing from COVID   |
| * COVID-19 Pandemic                        | * Brandon Moss– healing & health       |
| * Betty Ann Alcaraz                        | * Jayne Nag– healing from knee surgery |
| * Sharon Alkema-healing                    | * Emma Patrick– healing from COVID     |
| * Margaret Anderson- healing from cancer   | * Sherry Pelkey– recovery from COVID   |
| * Rev. Anne Barcus                         | * Martin Peters-healing                |
| * Jennifer “Jay” Beaver-healing            | * Rosemary Phipps-recovery & healing   |
| * Ginger Byars-healing                     | * Thel Pound- healing                  |
| * Joann Byman-healing                      | * Bradley Rice-healing from stroke     |
| * Terri Cheshier-healing from cancer       | * Carla Robinson-healing from cancer   |
| * Jade Collins-healing                     | * Steve Rust-healing                   |
| * Ed Cowan-recovery from stroke            | * Buddy Sanders– healing               |
| * Beckett Cutter (baby boy)– healing       | * Tommy Shannon– healing               |
| * Mark Danner-healing-Covid, in ICU        | * Gary Sittniewski-healing             |
| * Galen Harper-healing from cancer         | * Bill Stephens-healing                |
| * Carol Henriquez-healing                  | * Danny Stevens-healing                |
| * Hilary Harber-healing, recovery, comfort | * Rita Swopes-comfort & peace          |
| * Steve Hill-recovery from COVID           | * Nora Taylor-healing                  |
| * John James-healing                       | * Elliot Thompson– healing             |
| * Denise Kidd-healing from cancer          | * Marianne Traylor-healing             |
| * Lowella Kimbrell-healing                 | * Scott Wilkinson-healing from cancer  |
| * Austin King-physical healing & recovery  | * Beverly Woodward-healing             |
| * Karen Kozak-healing                      | * Scott Wood-healing from cancer       |
| * Jerry Leach-healing from cancer          |  |
| * Jim Lenderman– healing from cancer       |  |

⇒ *To add or remove someone from our church prayer list please email us at [farmingtonumcar@gmail.com](mailto:farmingtonumcar@gmail.com)*

**GROW. PRAY. STUDY.**

**Grow: Matthew 1:18-25**

Sermon Notes

18 Now the birth of Jesus the Messiah[a] took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been engaged to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit. 19 Her husband Joseph, being a righteous man and unwilling to expose her to public disgrace, planned to dismiss her quietly. 20 But just when he had resolved to do this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, “Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife, for the child conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. 21 She will bear a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.” 22 All this took place to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet:

23 “Look, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel,” which means, “God is with us.” 24 When Joseph awoke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him; he took her as his wife, 25 but had no marital relations with her until she had borne a son;[b] and he named him Jesus.

**PRAY-Advent Prayer for the Holidays**

Father, I want this holiday season to be filled with light instead of darkness. Please help me discard my emotional masks and be real before You as well as my family and friends. Father help me make this holiday season an offering of praise to You. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

**Study: Daily Bible Readings**

Monday, December 21, 2020: Luke 1:46b-55; 1 Samuel 1:1-18; Hebrews 9:1-14

Tuesday, December 22, 2020: Luke 1:46b-55; 1 Samuel 1:19-28; Hebrews 8:1-13

Wednesday, December 23, 2020: Luke 1:46b-55; 1 Samuel 2:1-10; Mark 11:1-11

Thursday and Friday, December 24 & 25: Christmas Eve and Christmas Day

Saturday, December 26, 2020: Psalm 148; Jeremiah 26:1-9, 12-15; Acts 6:8-15; 7:51-60

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