

Mentor United Methodist Church



December 12, 2021
9 AM and 11 AM Traditional Services
Third Sunday of Advent

Prelude "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" J.S. Bach
Amy Bender, organ

Welcome and Announcements

Advent Wreath Lighting Candle of Joy Nemelka Family

* **Hymn 211 vs. 1-4** "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"

Time of Prayer

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.

Anthem "A Light Will Shine!" Lloyd Larson
Chancel Choir

Offertory "Blessed Is the Lord (Benedictus)" Sprout/Forrest

* **Doxology** UMH 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power
uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

* **Prayer of Dedication**

Worship Through Music "This Child" Mary McDonald

* *Congregation invited to stand if able.*

Scripture

Luke 1:26-38

Sermon

Christ Be My Joy

Rev. Sondra Snode

*** Hymn 213**

“Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates”

*** Benediction**

*** Benediction Sung Response**

“Go Now in Peace”

**Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true. Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.
Amen. Amen. Amen.**

*** Postlude**

“Allegro” from Concerto in a minor

Vivaldi

Altar flowers are presented by Marye Etta Fairchild Reed
in memory of granddaughter Holly Flynn’s birthday.

If you would like to order flowers in memory of loved ones, to celebrate an anniversary, or offer them to the Glory of God, please contact Kathy Fellows at 440-255-5899.

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