



December 6, 2009

***SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT
MORNING WORSHIP: 10:30 A.M.***

Prelude

Welcome

*Opening Hymn: No. 139 *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

*God's Greeting

Responsive Reading No. 80 *I Stand in Awe*

Hymn of Response: No. 8 *Come, Thou Almighty King*

Pastoral Prayer

Offering & Offertory: Organ and Piano Duet - *While the Child Sleeps*

*Hymn of Preparation: No. 244 *Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus*

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 64:1-9

Sermon: ***HOPE IN THE HURTS OF LIFE***

Prayer

*Hymn of Response: No. 245 *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

*Benediction

*Doxology No. 793 (5) For Thyself, best gift divine,
To our race so freely given,
For that great, great love of Thine,
Peace on earth and joy in heaven:
Lord of all, to Thee we raise
This our hymn of grateful praise.

Postlude

Rev. Eugene Los, Preaching

Organ: Mrs. Ruth Cilley

Piano: Mrs. Edna Christensen

WELCOME: We heartily welcome everyone! May you experience the Lord's Blessing and share the blessing with everyone else. You are invited to the coffee hour that follows in the Fellowship Hall.

EVENING WORSHIP -5:50 P.M.

Prelude

Hymntime: Mr. Anthony Thomas

Welcome

*Greeting

*Opening Hymn: No. 564 *Just a Closer Walk with Thee*

God's Will For Our Lives: Colossians 3:1-17

Hymn of Response: No. 568 *May the Mind of Christ, My Savior*

Evening Prayer

Offering and Offertory

*Hymn of Preparation: No. 750 *Peace like a River*

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 11:1-10

Sermon: **CHRISTMAS HARMONY**

Prayer

*Hymn of Response: No. 705 *It Is Well with My Soul*

*Benediction

*Doxology: No. 813 *Glory Be to the Father Blessing*

Postlude

Rev. Eugene Los, Preaching

Organ: Mrs. Edna Christensen

Piano: Mrs. Carol Dykstra

GREETERS TODAY: Al and Bette Boeve

GREETERS NEXT WEEK: Marv & Barb Vander Band

HOSTS TODAY: Phil and Bette Brink

Gene and Shirley Los

HOSTS NEXT WEEK: Dale and Marilyn Lemmer

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY: A.M. 50; P.M. 45

OFFERING LAST SUNDAY: \$356.00

OUR WEEKLY CALENDER:

SUNDAY: Worship Services 10:30 A.M. & 5:50 P.M.

MONDAY: Board of Trustees Meeting 9:00 A.M.

Men's Golf at Cypress Greens 1:30 P.M.

TUESDAY: Breakfast at the "Eatery" 8:15 A.M.

WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 11:00 A.M. and Brown Bag

SATURDAY: Breakfast at the "Eatery" 8:15 A.M.

CHRISTMAS DINNER: sign up sheets are in the Fellowship Hall for this annual "roast beef" dinner. Bring your own table service.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: to set-up the Fellowship Hall for the monthly pot-lucks beginning with the Christmas Dinner. If interested, please see Ruth Cilley or Barb Stoutmeyer.

ADVANCE NOTICE: mark your calendar! Tuesday, Dec. 15 for an afternoon of Christmas Caroling at two local nursing homes. Meet at church at 1:15 so that we can carpool. We will sing at the home in Winter Haven first and then return to sing at the home in Lake Alfred.

Then back to church for coffee/hot chocolate and goodies. Everyone is encouraged to take part in this annual event.

NEW YEAR'S DAY DINNER will again be at "The Outback" restaurant on Cypress Blvd. Time will be announced later.

ADVANCE NOTICE: mark your calendars:

--Tues. Dec. 15 -- Christmas Caroling

--Fri. Dec. 25 -- Christmas Service with dinner following

--Thurs. Dec. 31 -- Old Year's Service

--Fri. Jan. 1 -- New Year's Dinner

--Thurs. Feb. 11--"The Staffman Quartet" will be here in concert.

--Thurs. Mar. 4--Mark & Andrea Forrester will be here in concert.

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Deadline: Thursday A.M.

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