

Welcome to Christ United Methodist Church - A Reconciling Congregation!
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We are a community of faith, who welcomes ALL people. We believe that the love of Jesus was, and is, radically inclusive. We desire for you to find this sanctuary and church to be a safe place, full of love and grace.

Thank you for filling out the enclosed Connection Card and placing it in the offering plate during offering time.

December 24, 2022 – 9:00 & 11:00 p.m. Christmas Eve

(*Those who are able, please stand.) (Bold face type – parts we all speak or sing.)

MUSIC 9:00 “Go Tell it On the Mountain” arr. J. Raney
apPRAISEation Bell Choir
11:00 “Sing We Now of Christmas” arr. K. McChesney
The Wesley Bell Ringers

A CHRISTMAS GREETING & WREATH LIGHTING Rev. Lisa Petty

*SONG “O Come, All Ye Faithful” vv. 1, 3, 6 UMH #234

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

On this holiest of nights,

We come, joining the shepherds, who are stunned by wonder.

On this most silent night,

We come, our hopes and dreams joining those of Mary and Joseph.

On this night of carols and candlelight,

We come, our glad songs joining with the choirs of angels.

This...this is Christ the King!

The King, our Prince of Peace, God Incarnate – Emmanuel!

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 9:2,6-7

MUSIC 9:00 “Candlelight Carol” arr. J. Rutter
Chancel Choir

11:00 “A Winter Scene” arr. A. Reese
The Wesley Bell Ringers

SECOND LESSON Luke 1:26-38

SONG “Angels We Have Heard on High” UMH #238

THIRD LESSON Matthew 1:18-23

MUSIC 9:00 “O Little Town of Bethlehem” UMH# 230

11:00 “God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen” arr. E. Duncan
The Wesley Bell Ringers

FOURTH LESSON Luke 2:1-7

OFFERING

OPTIONS: QR Code: Use the QR code. Text to Give: Text a dollar amount to 801-317-8833 and follow the prompts. Offering Plate: Place your giving in the basket as it passes you. Thank you!



9:00 “It Came Upon a Midnight Clear” arr. S. Ethiu
apPRAISEation Bell Choir

11:00 “God With Us for All Time” arr. B. Garee
The Wesley Bell Ringers

FIFTH LESSON Luke 2:8-20

MUSIC 9:00 “What Strangers are These” arr. D. Forrest
Chancel Choir

11:00 “O Holy Night” arr. L. Smith
Maryna Pohlman

SIXTH LESSON John 1:1-5

MESSAGE “A Lighted World” Rev. Lisa Petty

*CLOSING SONG “Silent Night” vv. 1 & 4 UMC #239
(With candles lowered)

“Joy to the World” vv. 1 & 2 UMC #246
(With candles raised)

*SENDING OUT

CLOSING MUSIC “Joy to the World”

We hope you enjoyed worship this evening! Join us tomorrow morning for Christmas Cinnamon Roll Sunday. Wear your Christmas pajamas for our shortened worship at 10 a.m., interactive for all ages, and stay for cinnamon rolls afterwards!
Merry Christmas!

Thank you to all of our scripture readers this evening.

Christ UMC – Christmas Day Events

10:00 am – Worship in the Sanctuary, wear your Christmas pajamas if you like

11:00 am – Cinnamon Rolls & Coffee Time, Gym

Christ UMC Events This Week: Dec 26–Jan 1

Monday – Wednesday: Church Office is Closed!

Thursday: Office Open from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon

End of Year giving is due in the office by 12:00 noon

Friday – Saturday: Church Office is Closed!

Sunday: New Year's Morning Worship

10:00 am Recharge Worship in Gym,
followed by Fellowship/Coffee Time

CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor	Rev. Lisa Petty
Associate Pastor	Rev. Bruce Kolasch
Children's Ministry	Alicia Griffing & Alicia Simons
Youth Ministry Liaison	Pasty Simons
Nursery Care	Eliza Prater & Alyssa Fajardo
Office Administrator	Kelly Carpenter
Communications Director	Sharon Balch
Music Director & Organist	Shelby Fisher
Chancel Choir Director	Logan Bingham
Chime Choir Director	Desi Jensen
Asbury Choir Director	Tony Slinger
apPRAISEation Director	Terry Waite
Wesley Bell Ringers Director	Katie Lay
Facilities Coordinators	Vea & Lita Ofa
Financial Coordinator	Maxine Jones
Media	Kelly Carpenter, Barrett Carpenter & Shannon Meyer
Explorer Preschool Director	Cornel Faith
Chapel Accompanist	Rick McClure
Sunday Set Up Crew	Dave & Jeff Martin