

Welcome!

We're glad YOU are here!



A community
Centered in Christ,
gathering in love,
growing by grace,
going forth to serve.

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CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

The First Sunday of Advent

December 2, 2018 • 11:00am

OPENING PRAISE

Advent Call to Worship and Prayer

New Redemption Song

Lighting of the Candles

God, we are yearning.

Yearning for You to come into the world and into our lives to restore us completely.

In the meantime, we will sing into the silence.

We will light a candle and offer a prayer in the name of HOPE.

All are invited to light a candle located in the stained glass windows and offer a personal silent prayer.

You are My Joy

Opening the Gift of Hope

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus God With Us

Passing of the Peace

COMMUNITY

Welcome & Announcements

Ministers

The People

Preacher

Rev. Dale Chapin

Communion Servers

Karen King Liz McCarthy Guy Van Rensselaer

Readers

Kimby Hughes Rich Henderson Kevin Fenton

Opening the Sacred Gift

Elijah & Penelope Hughes

Worship Director Vocals, Piano Natalie Handley

Vocals

Julia VanderArk Aaron Considine Aaron Wellman Mike Anderson

Electric Guitar

Samuel Acuña

Cello

Derek Handley

Bass Guitar

John Itson

Drums

Bill Cheadle

Slides

Susan Fenton

Sound

Brandon Andrews

First Impressions Team

Matt Vieth Rachel Jost

Eve & Guy Van

Rensselaer

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Readings

Jeremiah 33:14-16

Luke 21:25-28

Message

The Gift of Hope: Hope in a Hectic World

Moment of Silence

(Each week in Advent, we are invited into stillness & listening through increasing lengths of silence.)

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Affirmation of Faith (see projection)

Invitation to the Table

Communion

All who seek the Lord and are open to receiving the grace of God are invited to take communion.

(You are invited to bring your offering as you come forward.)

Let all Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

Blessing

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