

Welcome new friend! Thank You for sharing in this time of worship with us. We invite you to consider making this your church home. Please, stay after worship for coffee in the Fellowship Hall and let us meet you! If you would like a friendly visit, prayer or just information, please fill out the attendance pad (please include your address), and we will make sure it is given to the pastor. If you prefer, you may call Pastor Amanda at (928) 772-6366.

December 1, 2019

Welcome, Greeting to our guests
Informal Hymn Sing, Announcements
Prelude, Procession of the Light
Lighting of the Advent Candle

***Call to Worship**

One: We come from a world of darkness

All: Into Christ's world of light.

One: We come from a world of weariness

All: Into God's strength and hope.

One: We come from a slumbering world.

All: Strengthened by the Spirit, we come to awaken our souls and watch for the coming of Christ.

***Opening Prayer**

God of manger and star, let us enter your story once again and find ourselves kneeling with the shepherds, singing with the angels and worshipping with the magi. Touch our hearts with the wonder of birth and the depths of your love. Speak to us in your word and song and lift us to the realms of glory. Amen.

Responsive Reflection

Message in Music

He Shall Feed His Flock

R. C. Wilson

Giving of our gifts to God

*Doxology – Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

#95 UMH

*Offertory Prayer

Joys & Concerns

Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayers

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Choral Response

Scripture

Matthew 4:18-20

Page 1536 in Bible

Hymn

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

#196 Hymnal

Scripture

Matthew 4:20-22

Page 1536 in Bible

One:

The Word of God for the people of God

All:

Praise be to God!

Hymn

Prepare the Way of the Lord

#207 Hymnal

Meditation

"Who We Were: From the Past . . ." Pastor Amanda

Hymn

Life-giving Bread

#2261 Faith We Sing

Holy Communion

***Benediction**

***Song of farewell and mission**

Until Jesus Comes

#3050 W & S

(see insert or screen)

***Postlude**

*stand as you are able (rise in spirit)