

*Our Service of Worship*  
*4th Sunday of Advent*

10:55 am

December 19, 2010

\*We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

**Gathering Music**  
**Announcements**

Janet Broen  
Rev. Tilk

**Time of Welcoming**

Persons may greet other members of the community with signs of reconciliation and love.  
Please be seated as we begin worship.

*Blest Be the Tie That Binds*

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;  
the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

**Opening Scripture**  
**Chimes**

Rev. Tilk

**Opening Voluntary**

*Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring*

Marjorie Morgan, Organist  
J. S. Bach

**Lighting the Altar Candles**

**\*Opening Hymn**

*O Come, All Ye Faithful*

# 234

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

# 885

**\*The Gloria Patri**

*Glory Be to the Father*

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

# 70

**Lighting of the Advent Candle**

Phillip, Joanne and Andrew Suber

**A Story for All Ages**

*Jesus Loves Me*

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.  
Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.

Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Rev. Tilk  
# 191

Following this, all children through Kindergarten

Are invited to "Children's Church" time next door in our Education Building.

Parents may pick them up there following the worship service.

**Prayer Sharing**

**Call to Prayer**

*Emmanuel, Emmanuel*

Rev. Tilk  
# 204

**Morning Prayer**

*The Lord's Prayer*

Rev. Whitehead

# 895

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.

**The Offering**  
**Offertory**

*Cradle Song*

Tune: Resonet in Laudibus

**\*Doxology**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

# 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 up-  
lifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Lord, open our hearts and minds**

**by the power of your Holy Spirit,**

**that, as the Scriptures are read**

**and your Word proclaimed,**

**we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

**Epistle Lesson**

Romans 1: 1-7  
(pg. 184 NT)

Rev. Whitehead

**Special Music**

*I Wonder As I Wander*

Heather Watson, solo  
Appalachian Carol

**Gospel Lesson**

Matthew 1: 18-25

Rev. Tilk

**Sermon**

"A Profound Love"

Rev. Tilk

**\*Hymn**

*There's a Song in the Air*

# 249

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Hark! the Herald Angels Sing*

Marjorie Morgan, Organist  
David Cherwien  
(B. 1957)

**Worship Matters**

We want to **remember and lift up in prayer** these folks: Marian & Raymond Hurst, Mary Neal Nixon, Ralph & Rachel Perkins, Mildred Suber. Also, those men and women serving in our military overseas: Anthony Cuchens, Lisa Prince and Jonathan Rodriguez.

## Announcements

Communion will be served in Shelfer Chapel immediately following the worship service.

Christmas Eve candlelight service is **Friday, December 24** at **6pm**.

Watch Night service will be **Friday, December 31** at **11:30pm** in **Shelfer Chapel**.

### Our Presence Last Week

Worship	100
Sunday School	43

### Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund	\$4,670.00
Plate Offering	\$114.00
Sunday School	\$21.00

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