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Second Sunday of Advent
Saturday, December 12, 2020, 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, December 13, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

Upcoming Events

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Sunday, December 13	Sunday School on Zoom	10:30 a.m.
Sunday, December 13	Virtual Advent Concert Series (Brass Ensemble)	2:00 p.m.
December 14-18	Pastor Edd's Daily Devotional on Facebook	1:30 p.m.
Wednesday, December 16	TOPS	8:30 a.m.
Saturday, December 19	Evening Worship Service	5:00 p.m.
Sunday, December 20	Handbell Rehearsal	8:00 a.m.
“ “	Small Choir Rehearsal	8:30 a.m.
“ “	Morning Worship Service	9:00 a.m.
“ “	Virtual Advent Concert Series (Lessons and Carols)	2:00 p.m.

Prelude

Dr. Calvin Permenter, piano 5:00
Michael De Voe, organ 9:00

Processional Song

Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming

ELW 272

Small Choral Ensemble 9:00

Call to Worship

Leader: The Liberator is on the way!

People: We're watching and waiting.

Leader: The Liberator will arrive soon!

People: Blest is the One who comes in the name of the Lord.

Leader: Lift up your hearts; Lift up your heads,

People: So that the Liberator can come in.

Leader: We are watching; we are waiting; we are anticipating....

ALL: The Coming of our Liberator, The King of Glory, The Savior of the world!

Opening Prayer

All: O Lord, you know the deserts and the parched places in our lives. We seek your healing power. Lead us on this Advent journey to the place of new birth and the place of our redemption, for we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

The lighting of the Advent Candles

Wait for the Lord

ELW 262

Small Choral Ensemble 9:00

The Word

*Please stand

First Reading

Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11

Psalm (spoken at 5:00 p.m. and chanted at 9:00 a.m.)

Psalm 126

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

*Gospel Reading

John 1:6-8, 19-28

Homily

Rev. Edd Wunderlich 5:00
Rev. Deacon Taylor Tracy 9:00

Musical Offering

Dr. Calvin Permenter 5:00
E'en So, Lord Jesus, Quickly Come arr. by Paul Manz
Small Choral Ensemble 9:00

Prayers of the People

*Each petition ends with, A "Hear us, O God." C "Your mercy is great."
*the prayer concludes with, A "... Jesus Christ our Lord." C "Amen."

*Prayer of Confession

All: Patient Lord, forgive our lack of faith in your loving power. We look around us, and all that we see is what we don't have. We overlook the daily blessings you lavish upon us. Clear our blindness to the needs of others. Strengthen us and move us from lame excuses for not serving you. Help us truly listen to one another, not with our pat answers ready, but with loving and generous hearts. Heal us and make us ready to truly be your disciples. In Jesus' Name, we pray. Amen.

Words of Assurance

P Behold and believe in the wondrous power and love of God! It is poured out for you and for God's beloved world. Rejoice in this good news, for it is given especially to you. Amen.

Holy Communion

Words of Institution

Rev. Edd Wunderlich

The Lord's Prayer

All: 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 and ever. Amen

Benediction and Blessing

Rev. Edd Wunderlich

Dismissal

A Rejoice, rejoice, believers, and let your lights appear;
C the evening is advancing, and darker night is near.
A The bridegroom is arising and soon is drawing nigh.
C We rise, pray, and watch, for redemption is drawing nigh.
A Together with Christ
C We care!

Closing Hymn (9:00 a.m.)

Fling Wide the Door

ELW 259
Small Choral Ensemble 9:00

Postlude

Dr. Calvin Permenter, piano 5:00
Michael De Voe, organ 9:00

*Please remain seated for the closing hymn. Then you can get up and spread the good news!
*Communion is available upon exiting.