



December 14, 2025

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Prelude - Jan Mix

Jubilant Ringers – This is My Father's World arr Larry Sue

Wesley Ringers – Ding Dong Merrily on High arr Lloyd Larson

Welcome, Next Steps & Greeting

Lighting of the Advent Candles - Jonas and Brian Anderson

Advent Hymn - People Look East UMH #202 v 1-3

Opening Hymn – O Come All Ye Faithful UMH 234 v 1-3

Children's Time

Sanctuary Choir - Advent Rose - arr. by Joseph Martin

Hymn - Come Thou Long Expected Jesus UMH 196

Scripture – Isaiah 9:2, 6-7 - Aubrey Visocsky

Sanctuary Choir - Let Christmas Begin - arr. by Joseph Martin

Gospel Reading – John 1:1-14 - Pastor Dave York

Prayer Time & Lord's Prayer

Offering and Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving – Ever-present God, we offer our gifts to you that they may be used to further the promise of hope, peace, and joy in our community and in our world. Empower us, O God, to follow these gifts into the world around us so that they, and we, might become bearers of peace, love, and grace on the earth. Amen.

Scripture – Luke 1:26-35, 38 - Marsha Gaffin

Special Music – A Baby Changes Everything - Liz Brown

Scripture – Luke 2:1-7 - Sandy Wood

Hymn – Joy to the World – Praise Band

Scripture – Matthew 2:1-6, 9-12 - Marti Crow

Sanctuary Choir – Carols for Seekers - arr. by Joseph Martin

Closing Hymn – Hark the Herald, Angels Sing

Benediction





Doug & Alice Hall, Jennifer Bell, Linda Steele, Ruth Wepking, Norma McCallister, Esther Polson, Doug Harter, Frank & Gini Geib, Richard Hansen, Jimmie Stallings, Jack Walker



Our Christmas Offering will all go to Samaritan's Buffet. Samaritan's Buffet gives away around 600 meals each time they serve. That is 100 more than last year at this time. Please use the Christmas envelopes or mark your check "Christmas." You can also give online.

You are invited to lunch this Tuesday at noon. We will meet at Sila Thai Restaurant which is next to Domino's Pizza on Fifth Street. If you need a ride, contact Sandy at 913-547-6916.



All men are invited to breakfast on December 20 at 8 am in the Fellowship Hall. For more info, contact Mike Mix at hairymule@gmail.com or Dave Landis at dlandis@hughes.net.

One of our family values here is making everyone feel welcome. We are in need of greeters to volunteer for one month of service three times a year. If you would like to volunteer, contact Kathi LaMoe at lamoe4@hotmail.com.



Can you smile?
Can you shake hands?
Do you know where the bathroom is?
Congratulations!
You're qualified to be a **Greeter**
WE NEED YOU!
To volunteers, contact Kathi LaMoe
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Christmas Eve is a highlight of each year. We will have two services at 5:30 and 7:30 pm. The Leavenworth Brass Ensemble will be performing between the services. Nursery will be offered both services. Invite someone to join you!

Because we will have many families traveling for the holidays, we will have one united worship on December 28 at 10 am. Sunday School will meet at 9 am. We will go back to our normal schedule in January.



Wonderful Wednesday is for kids 3 years to sixth grade and meets from 3:45-5:30 pm. Please register kids at fumclvks.org/ww. For info, contact Nancy Shade at nshade@fumclvks.org.

Seventh through twelfth grade students have youth group tonight at 6 pm For info, email khowell@fumclvks.org.

Refuge Youth



Fifth and sixth grade students are taking a break for December. They will resume in January. For more info, email Nancy at nshade@fumclvks.org.

Would you be willing to spend \$5 or \$10 more at the grocery store to help feed families in our community? Stronghold and Trinity are in need of canned fruit, pancake mix and Syrup but ANY non-perishable item is appreciated.



WEEKLY Sneak Peek

Tuesday, December 16

9:00 am Prayer Group
10:00 am Women's Bible Study
12:00 pm Let's Do Lunch - Sila Thai
1:00 pm Spouse Grief Share

Wednesday, December 17

1:00 pm Heart and Soul
3:45 pm Wonderful Wednesday
5:30 pm Christmas Caroling
6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, December 20

8:00 pm Men's Prayer Breakfast

Christmas Caroling December 17 5:30 pm



Share the joy of the season by singing carols to the residents of Twin Oaks. We will meet at the church at 5:30 pm on Dec. 17. Let us know you're coming.



DIGITAL OFFERING

Online giving is available at fumclvks.org/give or use the QR code above to go directly to the website. You can use a check or credit card. For help, contact Steven at sshade@fumclvks.org.



We love kids! Kids are dismissed in the 11 am service for Kids 1st Worship after the Children's Moment. We have a nursery for kids three and under in the basement. We have "busy bags" to borrow with activities for them in the red wagon in the foyer.