Immanuel Presbyterian Church



8:30am and 11:00am Worship Service

3rd Sunday of Advent December 17, 2023

Discovering and displaying Christ in here and out there

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S DAY

(*Please stand as you are able)

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

*CAROL O Little Town of Bethlehem

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LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

8:30am The Bishop Family 11:00am Belinda Badger, Ann Jarvis, and Marlene Stevens

APPALACHIAN WINTER A CANTATA FOR CHRISTMAS

PRELUDE

'TIS A SEASON FOR SINGING

LONG TIME AGO Lucy Cable, soloist

HOPE AND EXPECTATION

CAROL OF THE WINTER WIND

Tim Bacchus, Becky Diebold, Jeff Hotchkiss, trio

MOUNTAIN CAROL

GENTLE CAROLS OF BETHLEHEM

WHILE SHEPHERDS WATCHED

A RUSTIC STAR CAROL Becky Diebold, soloist

CHILDREN, GO TELL IT ON THE MOUNTAIN

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OFFERTORY

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Participants:

Rev. Dr. John Tittle, Pastor Clay Whittington, Director of Music Ministries Kris Goorsky, Director of Christian Formation Ed Vander Woude, Bradley Bishop, Michael Dungan - audio visual

Musicians:

Gabriel Albertus, percussion Jonathan Cain, cello Cameron Mannor, mandolin/banjo Dr. Andres Pantoja, guitar Sandra Russell, flute Susan Hendrix Swanson, violin Carol Van Gelder, piano

Choir:

Sopranos Altos Tenors Bass Jordayn Bailess Susan Barnes Sue Anderson Tim Bacchus Britnee Cable Lucy Greenleaf Jeff Hotchkiss **Curt Christy** Tim Swanson **Becky Diebold** Joy Hager Lily Wood Bob Van Gelder Kieryn Zizzo

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