

READING THE BIBLE THROUGH: December

1 1 Corinthians 10 – 13	16 Titus 1 – 3; Philemon 1
2 1 Corinthians 14 – 16	17 Hebrews 1 – 4
3 2 Corinthians 1 – 4	18 Hebrews 5 – 8
4 2 Corinthians 5 – 9	19 Hebrews 9 – 10
5 2 Corinthians 10 – 13	20 Hebrews 11 – 13
6 Galatians 1 − 3	21 James 1 – 5
7 Galatians 4 – 6	22 1 Peter 1 – 5; 2 Peter 1 – 3
8 Ephesians 1 – 3	23 1 John 1 – 5
9 Ephesians 4 – 6	24 2 John 1; 3 John 1
10 Philippians 1 – 4	25 Luke 2:1 – 20; Jude 1
11 Colossians 1 – 4	26 Revelation 1 – 4
12 1 Thessalonians 1 – 5	27 Revelation 5 – 9
13 2 Thessalonians 1 – 3	28 Revelation 10 – 13
14 1 Timothy 1 – 6	29 Revelation 14 – 17

15 2 Timothy 1 – 4

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30 Revelation 18 – 1931 Revelation 20 – 22



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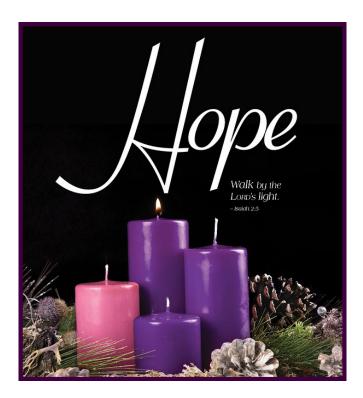


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November 30, 2025

First Sunday of Advent



Mission Statement:

Worship Passionately Love Extravagantly Witness Boldly

Order of Worship

Liturgical Color: Purple

Welcome and Announcements

Deanna Nelson

Prelude

*Hymn "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" (vs. 1,2,3) Pg. 180

Affirmation of Faith (The Apostles' Creed)

Congregation

Lighting of the Advent Candle 8 A.M. Tim & Kathy Hooper

10 A.M. Tony & Tammy Lowe

Chorus "Emmanuel"

Congregation

Emmanuel, Emmanuel, his name is called Emmanuel, God with is, revealed in us, his name is called Emmanuel.

Children's Moment Mrs. Ashley

(Children will exit for Children's Church today)

*Doxology (Ushers bring the offering forward) Congregation
Prayer Concerns Rev. Matt Albritton
Lord's Prayer Rev. Matt Albritton

Anthem "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" Chancel Choir

Scripture Romans 5: I – 8 Rev. Matt Albritton

Sermon Christ Our Hope Rev. Matt Albritton

*Hymn "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus" (vs. 1,2) Pg. 163

Postlude Kathy Willis

The beautiful flowers are placed on the altar this morning to the glory of God.



Eddie Brantley Marge Roate Tammy Albritton Amanda Flores
Janice Cash Diane Colquitt Misty Macon Ann Bruce Nell Head
Carl Bledsoe Diane Tyler J.D. & Pat Hobbie Lorlei Linger
Joyce Richardson Presley Mills Joan Yarnell Donnie West
Baker Callahan Virginia Vilardi Nancy Holdbrooks Sherri Jenkins
Andy & Betsy Patchel & Sandy & Robert Johnson Janice Whorton
Our military deployed: Kirsten Marco & Alexis Gissendanner

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY—Our Angel Tree Christmas Alive Program begins today in Wesley Hall. Freel free to choose one or as many angels as you'd like to make wishes come true. We ask that you bring your wrapped gifts to the church NO LATER THAN SUNDAY, Dec. 14. Be sure to include the angel gift tag with your gifts! THANK YOU for your generosity in supporting this Christmas ministry!

Next SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7

Bring your family as we celebrate "Christmas: The Love of God", our Chancel Choir Christmas Musical—
ONE SERVICE ONLY AT 10 A.M.

Invite someone to come and be blessed by our very talented singers. Come at 9 a.m. to fellowship before worship and enjoy coffee and snacks in Wesley Hall.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7 at 2 p.m. is our next Finance Committee Meeting in the church library. Members of the committee please take note and be present at this VERY IMPORTANT meeting.

A new Bible study has begun at 6 p.m. in the church library, "Behold the Savior", a 4 week study led by Jennifer Daniels.

Meal: Wednesday, December 3—Two kinds of soup, grilled cheese, and green salad.

<u>TUESDAY</u>, <u>DECEMBER 9</u>—It's the Keenagers Old Fashioned Christmas at II:45 a.m. in our FLC. Gloria has lots of Christmas surprises in store...who knows, even the big man himself might show up! You don't want to miss it.

^{*}Please stand as you are able.