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December 24, 2022

Jorship Service

Welcome

Advent Reading & Candle Lighting See insert for the Congregation's Response

Prayer of Invocation

*Songs of Praise

Scripture: Matthew 1:18-25

Special Music: "O Come All Ye Faithful/Oh Holy Night"

Scripture: John 1:1-4

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Special Music: "Noel"

Scripture: Isaiah 9:1-9

Sermon *"Naming a Child"* Pastor Rich Herbster

(Lighting of the candles.)

*Hymn #189 "Silent Night! Holy Night!"

*Benediction and Recessional

*Congregation will stand

Special (Uffering



Today's special offering will be donated to Mosaic Church, a church plant of our presbytery, located in New Brighton. We pray for Pastor Eric and Hope Prinkey and for the work they are doing to extend the gospel in our community. (Offering boxes are located on the table as you enter the sanctuary.)

Mosaic Community Church's Mission

Our overall purpose as a community.

Offering hope by connecting broken people with God and each other. Helping broken people in our community experience transformation through Christ.

Mosaic Community Church's Vision

Who we want to be in the next few years.

To be a community-based church that—through worship, growth, and service—sees new generations in Beaver County experience transformation through Christ.

In Isaiah 56:7, God declares, "My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations."

That verse summarizes our vision for Mosaic Community Church:

- to be a house (a community of that grows deep roots in Christ together)
- of prayer (a community that seeks and enjoys God's presence through prayer and worship)
- for all nations (a community that engages, cares for and serves people from all walks of life)

Advent Reading

This week's Advent Readings are led by: 4:00pm Service: Deb & Drew Vinisky 6:00pm Service: Becky, Buddy, Harrison & Solomon Smeltz

Leader: There were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night.

Congregation: Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified.

Leader: But the angel said to them " Do not be afraid for see...I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people...to you is born a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord.

Congregation: Suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest heaven and on earth peace among those whom He favors."

Leader: We light the Christ candle to remind us that the Savior is born!



Morship with us.



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WORSHIP/SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

8:45am—Coffee/Fellowship 9:00am—Sunday School for All Ages 10:00am—Worship Service

- A nursery is available for children under the age of 3 during the service.
- Children from ages 3 through 2nd grade are welcome to attend a separate Children & Worship program.
- Service times could change on short notice. Please call the church office or visit our website for the most up-to-date information.





Sunday Services are available on YouTube.



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> In Memory of: Cecil Allison

Given by: Sondra Allison

In Memory of:

Freda & Jim Ashcroft Ellen & Duane Solter Given by: Barb & Rich Ashcroft

> In Memory of: Nickolas G. Ciccone Nancy Bush Reilly Bush Given by: Gary Ciccone

In Memory of: My parents Harry & Leona Mayhue My husband Edward O. Coberly 4 Sisters and 3 Brothers *"I will love you always." Given by: Carol Coberly*



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In Memory of:

Danny Green

"Gone but not forgotten. I love you, Mum."

Given by: Mary Davy

In Memory of: Our Sister, Takoda Given by: Kora & Dylan Eaton

In Memory of: Our Granddaughter, Takoda "You are missed & loved." Given by: Nena & Pap

In Memory of: Jaclyn Winterborne "Loved & missed by family and friends." Given by: JoAnn & Neil Fabianich



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In Memory of:

Dee Fiejdasz

Given by: Her children, Pam, Bill, Joyce & Cherie

In Memory of:

Gene & Cathy Frasier

"You are missed."

Given by: Travis & Luann Frasier

In Honor of:

Lou & Janet Staigvil

"We love you."

Given by: Travis & Luann Frasier

In Memory of:

Virginia Simunick

Pat Sloan

Wayne Taormina

Carol Thomas

Given by: The Garland Family



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In Memory of:

George & Evelyn Rowse

Kathryn Haught

Tom & Peg Herman

"We love and miss you at Christmas and always!"

Given by: The Herman Family

In Memory of:

Stan Kuiken Given by: Marge Kuiken & Lorna Tarquinio

In Memory of:

Ann & Anthony Tarquinio Given by: Don & Lorna Tarquinio

In Memory of: Carolyn Lahtinen Given by: Craig & Heather Lahtinen

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In Memory of: Martha & Richard Lampe Carolyn & Russell Slonaker Sharon Slonaker Given by: The Paul Lampe Family

In Memory of: Loretta (Mihalow) Morrison "Loretta, We didn't get to go on our planned adventures. We didn't even get to say good-bye. I miss you, - Jill." Given by: Kathleen Mihalow

In Memory of: Nick Mihalow "Bud, I miss your personalized 'Alaska reindeer' Christmas cards, your freshly caught salmon and saying good-bye. I miss you. - Kid." Given by: Kathleen Mihalow



In Memory of:

Barbara Mihalow

"Barb, This Christmas won't be the same without celebrating Christ with you. I miss you so much!

Merry Christmas, - Jill"

Given by: Kathleen Mihalow

In Memory of: Albert Miller Oliver Buck Jr. "You are loved & missed every day." Given by: Lennie & Sara Beth Miller

In Honor of: Phyllis Miller Freda Buck "We love you more!" Given by: Lennie & Sara Beth Miller

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In Memory of:

Bruce's parents

Given by: Bruce & Nina Parrish

In Memory of:

Nina's parents Given by: Bruce & Nina Parrish

In Memory of:

All my loved ones. Miss you. Given by: Barb Petrovic

In gratitude for our many blessings, especially

the support of family & friends.

Given by: The Rupiks

In Memory of:

Cathy Schweikart Given by: Ken Schweikart *Poinsettia Tributes* Our sanctuary is adorned with Poinsettias,

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In Memory of: Larry Stone Jr. "Forever in our hearts." Given by: Mary & Sophia Stone

In Memory of: Carl & Minnetta Werme Linda Marquis Chuck Werme Given by: Russ & Sandy Werme

In Memory of: John & Bessie Latshaw Skip Kroepil Carol Andrews Given by: Russ & Sandy Werme

In Memory of: Berniece & Sonny Enders Anna & Clyde Whitehill James B. Enders Given by: Mertz & David Whitehill

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