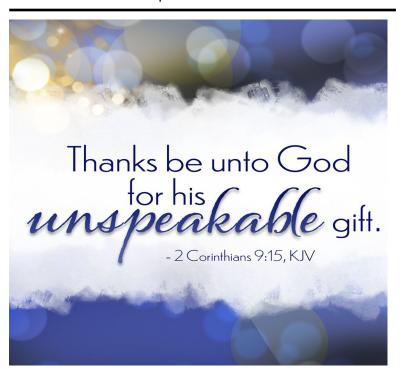
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# **Christmas Day Dinner**

11am-1pm available for dine-in, carry out, or delivery



<sup>\*</sup>Hearing assistance devices available by request at the sound board

<sup>\*</sup>Overflow room available in the Fellowship Hall



# Evangelical Covenant Church December 24, 2021 Christmas Eve

Prelude

**Welcome and Announcements** 

Call to Worship
"God With Us" video
Reading of Psalm 98

Lauree Parker

Invocation

Opening Hymn: #146 "Joy to the World"

Advent Clarissa Mennenga

Prayer

**Lighting of Candles** 

All Sing: #120 "O Come, O Come Emmanuel"

Old Testament: Isaiah 9:2-7 New Testament: John 1:1-14

Lighting of the Christ Candle

All Respond: "His name is Jesus, God with us."

All Sing: Doxology

Gospel Reading: Luke 2:8-20 Aubrey Busboom

Sermon: "The Advent of Jesus: Part 5"

Video: "Silence and Fury"

Hymn of Response: #171 "What Child is This?"

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 1:1-4 David Parker

Candlelight/Christmas Carols See Insert for instructions and lyrics

#164 "Away in a Manger"
#147 "O Come, All Ye Faithful"
#172 "Silent Night"

### Sending

L: Christ has come, and He will certainly return again soon. So take the light of Christ and freely offer it to all within your reach. Merry Christmas Covenant Family.

#### **Postlude**

## **Prayer Concerns**

### Long Term/Home Care

Lavonne Burklund Pat Nelson

## <u>Missions</u>

Cathy Campobello
(Medellin, Colombia)
Joe & Tammy Faulkinbury (Covenant
Mountain Mission Bible Camp;
Jonesville, VA)
Ted & Sharon Wingo (South
Carolina)
Greta Henry (Merci Ministries;
Champaign, IL)

## **Announcements**

This year the Christmas Eve offering will be going to the PBL Homeless Ministries.