

Saltillo First United Methodist Church

10:00 am Worship

November 27, 2022

Tim Green and John Foster, Pastors

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First Sunday of Advent

Invocation and Prelude

Welcome and Prayer

"Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" Methodist Hymnal, page 196

"There's a Song in the Air" Methodist Hymnal, page 249

A Service in Preparation of the celebration of Advent

Blessing of the Greenery, the Chrismon Tree, & the Advent Wreath

The lighting of the Advent Wreath

Lee and Holly Griffin

Dismissal of AGLOW Kids (4 years of age thru 5th grade)

(Children's Church in Children's Wing)

The offering of our gifts and ourselves

Doxology

Selected Music

Message from God's Word

"O Come, Emmanuel" – Luke 1

Invitation

"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" Methodist Hymnal, page 211

Benediction and Postlude

"Ye are the light of the world lift up your head and shine that men may glorify your Father in Heaven forever may your light so shine that men may glorify your Father in Heaven forever may your light so shine."

Prayer List

Susan Ward, Josie Carr, Will Tennison, Curtis Robertson, Billy & Magdalen Irwin, Garrett Hill, Sophie Grubbs, Sydney Phillips, Howard Crump, Billy Graham, David Fleming, Jerry Goodner, Bryson Welford

Ye are the Light of the World

The Prayer focus for November - "Be Thankful!" Our Scripture texts are Colossians 3:15; Psalm 107:1; I Thessalonians 5:18; James 1:17.

Newcomers and Visitors

Thank you for worshiping with us today! If you want more information about our church, please call the church office at **662-869-2956**

Bus Driver for December

Ronnie Dunaway is the Bus Driver for December & may be reached at 662-871-9133.

Opportunities for This Week and Beyond

Today

- 4:00 pm – Children's Christmas Musical Practice with full cast
- 5:00 pm – Handbell Practice
- 5:00 pm – Children's Advent Event in the Family Life Center

Wednesday

- 6:00 pm – Children's Christmas Music Practice
- 6:30 pm – Bible Study for Youth & Adults, G-Zone for children
- 6:30 pm – Choir Practice

Thursday, December 1

- 6:30 pm – Community-Wide Prayer meeting at Saltillo City Hall

Sunday, December 4

- 7:00 am – United Methodist Men's Fellowship Breakfast in FLC
- 3:30 pm – Children's Christmas Musical Dress rehearsal
- 5:30 pm – Handbell Practice

Wednesday, December 7

• 6:30 pm – Informational meeting with District Superintendent Fred Britton, Conference Treasurer David Stotts, or one of his representatives informing the congregation on methods to leave the United Methodist denomination if we so choose. This meeting is intended to help us fully understand all our options as we discern the best way forward for our congregation. All members are strongly encouraged to attend.

Saturday, December 10

- 9:00 am – Breakfast with Santa in the Family Life Center

Sunday, December 11

• 10:00 am – "On Our Way to Bethlehem" presented by our Children's Ministry