

Wesley United Methodist Church

November 30, 2025 – 8:30 a.m.

To Love God with all our Heart–To Love the World as Jesus Does

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*(Visitors, Members, and Friends of Wesley, please sign the “Friendship Pad”
to register attendance with us today. We are glad you are here!)*

HYMN “Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus” (UMH#196)

LIGHTING THE ADVENT WREATH

*The prophet Isaiah calls to us from the past to imagine the future when
God’s reign will be fully realized and recognized throughout creation. When
that time comes, God “shall judge between the nations and shall arbitrate
for many peoples; they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their
spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation;
neither shall they learn war anymore” (Isaiah 2:4).*

**Today, we choose to live in hope, because the time of God’s reign has
already come and not yet fully come among us.**

*We light this candle of hope as a sign of our promise to follow the Light as
we answer God’s call to transform our hope into reality today and in the
days to come.*

*HYMN “What Child is This” (UMH#219)

OFFERING OURSELVES, OUR LIVES, AND CONCERNS

*(Our Altar is open for anyone to pray and bring their petition to God.
Ask, knock, kneel, and allow God to answer.)*

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

**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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine
is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC “O Come O Come Emmanuel” Jendy Way

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY (UMH#95)

(Kids are invited to come down to the front during the Doxology)

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 9:2, 6-7

MESSAGE “A Haunting Advent Series: Now Marley was Dead...”
Rev. Dr. Shalom Renner

*SONG OF RESPONSE “I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light” (UMH#206)

FLOWER CELEBRATIONS AND MEMORIALS

*BENEDICTION

*Stand as you are able.

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SONG OF CELEBRATION

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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LIGHTING THE ADVENT WREATH

*MUSIC OF PRAISE

PRAYER TIME

Personal Time of Prayer *(Please remember those on our prayer list.)*

Morning Prayer

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**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power,
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CHILDREN’S MOMENT

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*Children Preschool through 5th Grade are invited
to Children’s Church **on the first Sunday of the month.***

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 9:2, 6-7

MESSAGE

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*CLOSING MUSIC

*BENEDICTION

**Stand as able.*

Wesley United Methodist Church Canton, IL



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