

# *Welcome to the Worship of the Lord*

Auburn United Methodist Church

November 28, 2021

10:30 am

Greetings and Announcements

Call to Worship: from 2 Chronicles 20:21

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good;

**People: For His steadfast love endures forever.**

Leader: Let us worship the Lord.

Hymn - # 211 "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"

Opening Prayer, followed by 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.

Prayer Response— 211 "Emmanuel, Emmanuel" - sung softly

Emmanuel, Emmanuel, His name is called Emmanuel.

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

Children's Message

Scripture – Romans 3:18-21

<sup>18</sup>Therefore just as one man's trespass led to condemnation for all, so one man's act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all. <sup>19</sup>For just as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous. <sup>20</sup>But law came in, with the result that the trespass multiplied; but where sin increased, grace abounded all the more, <sup>21</sup>so that, just as sin exercised dominion in death, so grace might also exercise dominion through justification leading to eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Special Music—"Carol of the Epiphany"

Scripture – Colossians 3:12-17

<sup>12</sup> As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. <sup>13</sup> Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. <sup>14</sup> Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. <sup>15</sup> And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. <sup>16</sup> Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. <sup>17</sup> And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Message "Jesus is Coming..."

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

*Christ invites to His table all who love God, who repent of their sin and seek to live in peace and love. Let us together confess our sin before God.*

Prayer of Confession:

***Gracious God,***

***we come before You acknowledging our need for grace.***

***We know that we will always find it in Your steadfast love.***

***We confess that we have done things against Your word and against Your will.***

***We confess also that we have not done some things that are Your will for us.***

***Gracious Lord, may we gain eyes to see and ears to know Your call clearly.***

***May we learn to turn to You quickly and earnestly;***

***and may we be faithful disciples in this time and place.***

***May we, through this Holy Sacrament, remember that in Christ we are redeemed, and by our ongoing walk with Him we are transformed.***

The Great Thanksgiving: from 2 Corinthians 5:17-20

*"If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us. So we are ambassadors for Christ, since God is making his appeal through us; we entreat you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God." (2 Cor. 5:17-20)*

*Let us prayerfully ask God's blessing:*

On the night in which He gave Himself up for us, Jesus took bread, gave thanks to You, broke the bread, and gave it to His disciples saying:

“Take, eat; this is My Body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of Me.”

Jesus also took the cup, gave thanks to God, gave it to His disciples, and said: “Drink from this, all of you; this is My Blood of the New Covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

Gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the Body and Blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the Body of Christ, redeemed by His Blood. By Your Spirit make us one in Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world. Amen.

\*Hymn - # 196 “Come Thou Long Expected Jesus”

\*Benediction

# *Auburn UMC Prayer List*

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*Note: To add a name you can email the church office.*

## **Our Church Family: Members & Active Constituents...**

Roger Miller, Phyllis Roberts, Ted Tiede

## **Special Prayers for...**

- The outreach of the Auburn Food Pantry at Thanksgiving.  
Update: Total 93 families, totaling 293 people.
- Our service gifts pledges.
- The hostage situation in Haiti
- The families of the 23,315+ lost in Michigan to Covid 19, 772,157+ lost in US.

## **Homebound and Assisted Living...**

Ken & Ruby Christopherson, Sharon Dengel, Shirley Doll, June Filcek, Echo Ignasol, Ardis Juhala, Robert & Dolores Wise

## **Also in Our Prayers: Those beyond local church...**

- Tyler— recovering from car accident — added by Linda C.
- Patrick Nahgahgwon— added by April
- Cary Nahgahgwon— added by April
- Mary— added by Patti Wescott
- Logan— added by Liz Shephard (grand-nephew)
- Larry— added by Pat
- Clint— added by Pat
- Walt & Peggy— added by Kathy Gilson
- Douglas— Tiede's nephew
- Kim— Tiede's neice
- Shirelle— Neighbor of Bev Witherspoon
- Keegan Martin— recovering from car/bike accident
- Bill Bedtelyon— Bruse's dad
- Ardis Juhula— Carol Holiday's sister

## **Ministries and Missions prayer support for...**

- Auburn UMC: Mission, Ministries, programs, staff, leaders
- UMCOR— United Methodist Emergency Relief Response
- Auburn Food Pantry
- One Week One Street
- Helen Nickless Clinic— Free medical care.
- Fresh Aire Samaritan Counseling Centers
- Midwest Mission Distribution Center

## *Auburn "News You Can Use"*

### ADVENT DEVOTIONALS

The 2021 Advent Devotionals are ready! Help us save postage by picking up your copy in the Fellowship Hall. All the Devotionals are labeled with your family name so we know who has received them. Please feel free to deliver a neighbors book if they are not here. There are some extra with no labels if you would like to take one for a friend.

### HANGING OF THE GREENS

Church wide Hanging of the Greens will be Sunday, November 28 at 11:50 am. Pizza lunch served at 1:00.

### BELL RINGERS

Our music department is looking for individuals interested in playing the bells during the Christmas season. Contact Pat McIlvenna at [music@auburnumc.org](mailto:music@auburnumc.org) or contact the office.

### VIDEO SERIES ON WEDNESDAYS AT AUMC

"That the WORLD May Know" with Ray Vander Laan. Wednesdays at 11:00 am. Sign up sheet is at the Serving Center. For a complete list of the videos see the Link News Letter. Each week is an independent story.

## *This week at AUMC*

### Wednesday:

DVD Bible Study, 11:00 am, Parlor

Carving Club, 1:30 pm, rm 7 downstairs (all are welcome)

Praise Band Rehearsal, 6:30 pm, in the Sanctuary

Special Charge Conference with DS re: Boy Scouts 6:45 pm, Hall

### Thursday:

Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 pm, rm. 12, downstairs

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