

BETHANY MENNONITE CHURCH

December 5, 2021 – 2nd Sunday in Advent

- Prelude Praise Team
- Call To Worship
 - One: O God, whose will is justice for the poor and peace for the afflicted,
 - All: let Your herald's urgent voice pierce our hardened hearts and announce the dawn of Your kingdom.**
 - One: Before the Advent of the One who baptizes with the fire of the Holy Spirit,
 - All: let our complacency give way to conversion, oppression to justice, and conflict to acceptance of one another in Christ.**
 - One: We ask this through Him whose coming is certain, whose day draws near:
 - All: Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.**
 - Hymn of Praise
 - "Emmanuel/Jesus, Name Above All Names" Screen
 - Invocation
 - Morning Greeting
- Lighting of the 2nd Advent Candle
WRAP Presentation – Leah Bjorn
Announcements and Prayer Requests
Time of Prayer
Morning Offering for the General Fund
- Hymn of Thanksgiving
 - "O Come Let Us Adore Him" Screen
- Scripture Reading – Luke 1: 26-48 p. 1012
The Lord Is With You Pastor Shane
- HOLY COMMUNION
- Hymn of Response
 - "Joy To the World" Screen
- Benediction
- Closing "Find Us Faithful" Screen
- Postlude Sheila Wlpf
- ~Retiring Offering for the Elder Sharing Fund

LEARNING/SERVING—THIS WEEK

- Today** 9:00am – Worship
10:00am – Fellowship Time
10:15am – Sunday School
- Next Sunday** 9:00am – Worship
10:00am – Fellowship Time
10:15am – Sunday School/Program Practice

Prayer List

Hannah Smith & Kaos, Robertson's daughter-in-law Lori

Family Matters

Kent, Sonya, Hannah, Sofia, Lydia, & Joella Becker;
Stefan, Naomi, & Elsie Becker

Next Week's offering will be for the General Fund

Food Pantry Volunteers

Friday, December 3: Dennis E & Judy S

Friday, December 10: Closed

Annual Meeting

As the church's fiscal year-end was moved to December 31, the Bethany Annual Business Meeting will be held on January 16 during fellowship time. More information will follow as that time draws closer.

Sunday School Christmas Program

The SS Christmas program will be held on Sunday, December 19 at 7:00pm. Rehearsals will be held during Sunday school hour on December 5, 12, and 19. If needed, an extra practice will be Wednesday, December 15.