

Third Sunday of Advent

Prelude

Welcome & Greeting

Announcements

Call to Worship

Congregational Singing:

Bless'd Be the God of Israel

Offering - Budget

Offertory

Congregational Singing:

You Are Holy (Prince of Peace)

To Us a Child of Hope is Born

Instruments of Peace

Share Time

Prayer

Sermon – “Jesus will be Born in Bethlehem” – Micah 5:1
Pastor Curtiss

Song of Response

O Little Town of Bethlehem (Hymnal #141)

Benediction

Postlude

Nursery Today – Lou Ann Ressler
Nursery Next Sunday – Emily Hess

Last Sunday:

Offering: Budget - \$3,235.00

Missions - \$100.00

Attendance: 104

Sunday December 20th:

Message – “Jesus Would be Born of a Virgin and called Immanuel” – Isaiah 7:14 – Pastor Curtiss

Offering – Budget (goal - \$3,953.00)

Activities This Week:

- SMILE – Tuesday 9:15 – 11 am

Birthdays:

Helen Mylin on the 15th and Jay Brenneman on the 18th.

Anniversaries:

Trent & Emily Hess on the 17th, their 4th; Tom & Melanie Herr on the 19th, their 11th

Pray for our church, remember Lois Hershey

Announcements

We will be collecting soap for MCC during the month of December!

The Heritage Chorale will be giving a Christmas concert this evening at 7 pm at Neffsville Mennonite Church. Sandi, Nancy and Carl from our congregation at members of the chorale. They will also be giving a concert Jan. 3 at 4 pm at the Holy Spirit Lutheran church.

Bless'd Be The God Of Israel

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Who comes to set us free

Who visits and redeems us

And grants us liberty

The prophets spoke of mercy

Of freedom and release

God shall fulfill the promise

To bring our people peace

Now from the house of David

A child of grace is giv'n

A Savior comes among us

To raise us up to heav'n

Before Him goes the herald

Forerunner in the way

The prophet of salvation

The harbinger of day

On prisoners of darkness

The sun begins to rise

The dawning of forgiveness

Upon the sinner's eyes

To guide the feet of pilgrims

Along the paths of peace

O bless our God and Savior

With songs that never cease

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Prayer Focus

Be in prayer for the following persons from our congregation who are preparing for a mission trip to Haiti in January.

Duane Charles
Linford Hershey, team leader
Ron Horst
Merle, Sue, Mike & Matt Sollenberger
Duane Stoner
John & Shirley Warfel

Pray also for these additional persons from various congregations who are a part of the team.

Tom Breneman
Darren Charles
Josh Lehman
Paul & Michelle Williams

Additional Prayer Requests

Church Activities

SMILE – (Share a Morning in Learning Exchange) – meets Tuesdays from Sept. through April- for ladies, 9:15-11am

Young Adult Bible Study – Tuesday evenings, 7 pm

Sewing Circle – 1st Wed. of the month 9:30am – 4 pm

Prayer Meeting – Every 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month, 7 pm

Youth Group – (high school) Sunday evenings, 7 pm

Elders – Areas of Responsibility

Congregational Worship – Ron Horst
Discipleship – Marty Sommerfeld
Christian Education – Shirley Garber
Congregational Care – Martin Harnish
Mission and Evangelism – Laura Metzler

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Bulletin Editor – Rachelle Stoner – 872-2435 e-mail bulletin@newdanvillemc.org Please give bulletin announcements to Rachelle no later than Thursday evening.

Church Coordinator – Lindsay Harnish – 872-7187 call for church reservations

The Church building is accessible most Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9 am to 1 pm. Please call ahead to schedule meeting with Pastor Curtiss.