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**BE ONE. DISCIPLE**  
**MAKE ONE.**

*Looking for new ways to grow in your discipleship? We invite you to join us for these worship, study and Bible reading opportunities, as we focus on our values to be passionate worshippers, lifelong learners and praying followers who open doors for deeper relationships with Christ, one another and our neighbors.*



**WORSHIP SERMON SERIES**

Sundays 8:15 am and 10:45 am

**“Let Heaven and Nature Sing”**

Join us during Advent for, *"Heaven and Nature Sing"* – a sermon series based on the beloved Christmas classic, *"Joy to the World"*, which is turning 300 years old this year! Receiving Divine inspiration for these lyrics from Psalm 98, composer Isaac Watts calls us to sing a "new song" in celebration of the coming of the Lord into the world.

Come to discover the depths of **JOY** we proclaim whenever we sing these ancient words. As we "receive our King," we find joy in the midst of suffering, the work of justice and the presence of compassion - a message the world so desperately needs.

December 1	First Sunday of Advent	"Prepare Him Room: Hopeful Joy"
December 8	Second Sunday of Advent	"Repeat the Sounding Joy: Loving Joy"
December 15	Third Sunday of Advent	"Make the Blessings Known: Unabashed Joy"
December 22	Fourth Sunday of Advent	"Make the Nations Prove: Peaceful Joy"
December 24	Christmas Eve	"The Lord Is Come: Incarnate Joy"
December 29	First Sunday after Christmas	"Wonders of His Love: Compassionate Joy"

*We welcome you to visit us online at [fumchurch.com](http://fumchurch.com), where you can listen to audio recordings of every sermon and find more information about upcoming events.*



## STUDY

Are you looking for new ways to grow and learn from God's Word? Are you also looking for ways to connect and grow in relationship with other believers? Take your discipleship to the next level by participating in any of the following classes/groups:

### Sunday School

We have six different options for adults of all ages and stages of Spiritual formation to choose from. All classes meet Sunday mornings from 9:30 – 10:30 am. Look in the bulletin for more details regarding the class choices. You are invited to drop in any Sunday!

### The Redemption of Scrooge

Based on the Charles Dickens story, A Christmas Carol, this study explores the world of Ebenezer Scrooge, Tiny Tim, and the Cratchits from a Christian faith perspective. Along the way we will meet the Ghosts of Christmas Past, Present and Yet to Come, and learn about living with and for others in a world blessed by Jesus.

This special offering will be held in Fellowship Hall during the Sunday School hour from 9:30 – 10:30 am. The first session starts on Sunday, December 8 and will continue through Sunday, December 29. Each session will include a short video and discussion in small table groups. There is no need to register. See the Welcome Center display for more information. If you have questions contact Tina Eaton at 717-766-4611 or email her at [adultministry@fumchurch.com](mailto:adultministry@fumchurch.com).

### Light of the World

Author, professor, and biblical scholar Amy-Jill Levine explores the biblical texts surrounding the story of the birth of Jesus. Join her as she traces through the stories of Zechariah and Elizabeth, Mary, the journey to Bethlehem, and the visit from the Magi. These stories open conversations around connections of the Gospel stories to the Old Testament, the role of women in first-century Jewish culture, the importance of Mary's visitation, the star of Bethlehem and much more!

This special offering will be held in room B-006 from 9:30 – 10:30 am on Sunday mornings. The first session starts on Sunday, December 8 and will continue through Sunday, December 29. Each session will include a short video and group discussion. There is no need to register. See the Welcome Center display for more information. If you have questions contact Tina Eaton at 717-766-4611 or email her at [adultministry@fumchurch.com](mailto:adultministry@fumchurch.com).

### Let Heaven and Nature Sing

This mid-week "Lunch & Learn" will be led by Pastor John. Based on our Advent sermon series, participants will enjoy studying together, followed by a "dutch treat" lunch out at CC's Family Restaurant. Look in the December bulletins for more details.

## Daily Bible Reading Plan

Join us on this adventure as we read through the Bible together using this plan, which has been specifically designed to go along with the sermon series schedule. Then come worship with us on Sundays to grow closer to God and one another.

*Need a Bible?*

*Pick one up today at the Welcome Center display.*

### Week of November 25

Monday	Isaiah 2:1-5
Tuesday	Psalms 122:1-5
Wednesday	Psalms 122:6-9
Thursday	Romans 13:11-14
Friday	Matthew 24:36-44
Saturday	Rest & Reflect
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>"Prepare Him Room: Hopeful Joy"</b>

### Week of December 2

Monday	Isaiah 11:1-10
Tuesday	Psalms 72:1-7
Wednesday	Psalms 72: 18-19
Thursday	Romans 15:4-13
Friday	Matthew 3:1-12
Saturday	Rest & Reflect
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>"Repeat the Sounding Joy: Loving Joy"</b>

### Week of December 9

Monday	Isaiah 35:1-10
Tuesday	Luke 1:46-49
Wednesday	Luke 1:50-55
Thursday	James 5:7-10
Friday	Matthew 11:2-11
Saturday	Rest & Reflect
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>"Make the Blessings Known: Unabashed Joy"</b>



### Week of December 16

Monday	Isaiah 7:10-16
Tuesday	Psalms 80:1-7
Wednesday	Psalms 80:17-19
Thursday	Romans 1:1-7
Friday	Matthew 1:18-25
Saturday	Rest & Reflect
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>"Make the Nations Prove: Peaceful Joy"</b>

### Week of December 23

Monday	Isaiah 9:2-7
Tuesday	Luke 2:1-20 <b>Christmas Eve "The Lord is Come: Incarnate Joy"</b>
Wednesday	John 1:1-14 <b>Christmas Day</b>
Thursday	Psalms 148
Friday	Matthew 2:13-23
Saturday	Rest & Reflect
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>"Wonders of His Love: Compassionate Joy"</b>

### Week of December 30

Monday	Isaiah 60:1-6
Tuesday	Psalms 72:1-7
Wednesday	Psalms 72:10-14
Thursday	Ephesians 3:1-12
Friday	Matthew 2:1-12
Saturday	Rest & Reflect
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Epiphany Sunday</b>