
WELCOME TO

**First United
Methodist Church**

MECHANICSBURG, PA



**CHRISTMAS DAY
WORSHIP**

DEC. 25, 2022

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome

*Call to Worship

"Joy to the World" #246 (v 1 & 2)

*Lighting of the Advent and Christ Candles

* Opening Prayer

The First Lesson

Genesis 3:8-15, 17-19 – Sin and Its Consequences

"Good Christian Friends, Rejoice" #224

The Second Lesson

Genesis 17:1-9 – God's Covenant with Abraham

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" #240

The Third Lesson

Jeremiah 31:31-34 – A New Covenant

"Angels from the Realms of Glory" #220 (v. 1 & 4)

The Fourth Lesson

Luke 2:1-7 – The Birth of Jesus

Sounds of Worship Anthem – "Happy Birthday Jesus"

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks" #236

The Fifth Lesson

Matthew 2:1-12 – The Magi Follow a
Star to Find the Christ Child
“The First Noel” #245 (v 3-5)

The Sixth Lesson

Luke 2:41-52 – The Boy Jesus in the Temple
“What Child Is This” #219

The Seventh Lesson

Colossians 3:12-17 – New Life In Christ
“Love Came Down at Christmas” #242 (v. 3)

Announcements and Offering

*“Angels We Have Heard on High” #238

*Benediction

*Postlude

*(An * indicates a time to stand)*

ALTAR FLOWERS

This week’s flowers are given to the
glory of God and in memory of our
parents by Mary Beth and George
Snoke.

MACHE BASKET

This week’s flowers are given to the
glory of God and in memory of my
parents Paul and Virginia by Marilyn
Donak

LEADING IN WORSHIP

Preaching..... Pastor Dennis Keller

Liturgist..... Sarah Pugh

Worship Team..... Sounds of Worship, Karen Philp, Sarah Pugh

Sound and Media..... Michael Garmen, Jason Kichline



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