

# *Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham*

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**December 1, 2024**

**First Sunday of Advent**

**Blessing of the Altar Guild**

*Our culture often speaks of hope as either a Pollyannaish positivism or a measured optimism. Viewed through the lens of the cross, hope becomes an agent of empowering transformation instead.*

*It does not deny suffering. Hope acknowledges that the present conditions are desperate, and it depends on God, with whom nothing is impossible. Hope is honest about suffering and urgent about God's future.*

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**Prelude:**

**GATHERING**

P: Greeting to you in the name of the triune God, the one whose word always accomplishes: the Shaper of Life, the Savior of Humanity, the Spirit of Renewal.

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

*(Stand if you are able)*

P: Today, as we confess our sins, we recognize how easily we overlook the gifts God gives. And we accept the sad truth that our limitations often create the conditions for sin. Let us come in truth before the one who loves us and has freed us from our sin.

*(Silence is kept for reflection)*

P: Let us pray,

**C: God, we want a faith that feels like more than words, but we lack your power to embody goodness. We hear your call to serve others yet feel too worn out to make the food. We hunger to taste justice but fear the burning spice of the meal. We want our place at your table but resist sitting beside a stranger. We have lost our appetites for mere thoughts and prayers, but we fail to match our intentions to our actions. Forgive us and restore us with the healing wholeness of your presence. Amen.**

P: My friends, God knows you are imperfect. But God did not invite you here today for what you have done or how you have behaved. God loves you. God always cared much more for you than for your shortcomings. God forgives you all your sins.

**C: We accept God’s forgiveness and take our place in God’s purpose. Amen.**

**Gathering Hymn: ELW 244**

**Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers**



1 Re - joyce, re - joyce, be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear;  
2 The watch-ers on the moun - tain pro - claim the bride-groom near;  
3 The saints, who here in pa - tience their cross and suf - f'ring bore,  
4 Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;



the eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, and dark - er night is near.  
go forth as he ap - proach - es with al - le - lu - ias clear.  
shall live and reign for - ev - er when sor - row is no more.  
a - rise, O Sun so longed for, o'er this be - night-ed sphere.



The bride-groom is a - ris - ing and soon is draw - ing nigh.  
The mar - riage feast is wait - ing; the gates wide o - pen stand.  
A - round the throne of glo - ry the Lamb they shall be - hold;  
With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, we plead, O Lord, to see



Up, pray and watch and wres - tle; at mid - night comes the cry.  
A - rise, O heirs of glo - ry; the bride-groom is at hand.  
in tri - umph cast be - fore him their di - a - dems of gold.  
the day of earth's re - demp - tion that sets your peo - ple free!

P: The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God and the community of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you**

**Kyrie-WOV 601**

## Kyrie



1, 3 Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.  
2 Chris - te e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son.  
1, 3 Lord, . . . . have mer - cy. Lord, . . . . have mer - cy.  
2 Christ, . . . . have mer - cy. Christ, . . . . have mer - cy.



Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.  
Chris - te e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son.  
Lord, . . . . have mer - cy. Lord, . . . . have mer - cy.  
Christ, . . . . have mer - cy. Christ, . . . . have mer - cy.

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### Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

Stir up your power, Lord Christ, and come. By your merciful protection alert us to the threatening dangers of our sins, and redeem us for your life of justice, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

(Please be Seated)

### First Reading- Jeremiah 33:14-16

*In the Old Testament, "righteousness" often has to do with being faithful in relationship. God acts righteously both in punishing Israel for its sin and in having mercy. In today's reading, Jerusalem's future name—"The Lord is our righteousness"—proclaims that God is even now working salvation for Israel.*

L: A reading from the 33<sup>rd</sup> chapter of Jeremiah.

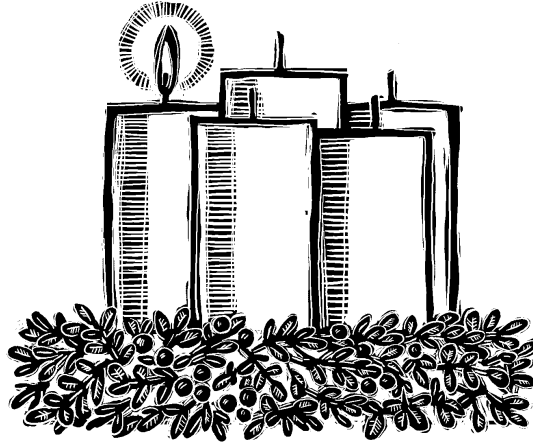
<sup>14</sup> The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will fulfill the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. <sup>15</sup> In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the

land. <sup>16</sup>In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

## First Sunday in Advent



P: Each of our Advent candles represents God's generous goodness, the advent of Jesus, God's greatest gift, the Spirit's fluttering flicker of joy. As we light each candle, we recognize the gifts God has given us this week. Together, we pray:

P: God, you shield us like tender flames;

C: **your care enables us to burn brighter.**

P: God, we pool our faith like candlelight;

C: **through you we reveal hidden goodness.**

P: God, your justice upends this broken world.

C: **Use your mercy to transform everything that harms.**

P: God, we reach for unreasonable hope;

C: **and you prepare an incomparable future.**

P: Now that the warmth of God's presence fills this place, we pray that the Spirit will illuminate our lives through the words we hear, the songs we sing, and the pathways of prayer engraved on our hearts.

### **Lighting the First Candle of the Advent Wreath**

#### ***Lighting of 1<sup>st</sup> Candle***

#### **Blessing Prayer**

The Williams family: Spirit, you know how shallow hope feels when our faith hides from what is real. Use your holy story to show us the human moments when you worked wonders for your people, so we can find hope in our lives, too.

#### ***Place figures in Manger***

## Candle lighting hymn ELW 240 Verse 1

### Light One Candle to Watch for Messiah



- 1 Light one can-dle to watch for Mes-si - ah: let the light ban-ish dark - ness.
- 2 Light two can-dles to watch for Mes-si - ah: let the light ban-ish dark - ness.
- 3 Light three can-dles to watch for Mes-si - ah: let the light ban-ish dark - ness.
- 4 Light four can-dles to watch for Mes-si - ah: let the light ban-ish dark - ness.



He shall bring sal - va - tion to Is - ra - el, God ful - fills the prom - ise.  
He shall feed the flock like a shep-herd, gent - ly lead them home - ward.  
Lift your heads and lift high the gate-way for the King of glo - ry.  
He is com - ing, tell the glad tid - ings. Let your lights be shin - ing!

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Music: TIF IN VELDELE, Yiddish folk tune  
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## Second Reading -1 Thessalonians 3:9-13

*Upon Timothy's report from the congregation at Thessalonica, Paul is exuberant with gratitude for them. In this passage from his letter, Paul voices overflowing thanks, joy, and blessings for the people of this growing church.*

L: A reading from the 3rd chapter of first Thessalonians.

<sup>9</sup> How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy that we feel before our God because of you? <sup>10</sup> Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you face to face and restore whatever is lacking in your faith.

<sup>11</sup> Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our way to you. <sup>12</sup> And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, just as we abound in love for you. <sup>13</sup> And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Acclamation:

# Gloria

Capó 1 Antifona  
Mi Si<sup>7</sup> Mi  
Fa Do<sup>7</sup> Fa

¡Glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ria en las al - tu - ras a Dios!  
Glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ria, glo - ry to God . . on high!

Si<sup>7</sup> Mi Si<sup>7</sup> Mi  
Do<sup>7</sup> Fa Do<sup>7</sup> Fa

Y en la tie - rra paz pa - ra a - que - llos que a - ma el Se - ñor.  
and on earth . . peace to God's peo - ple. Glo - ry to God.

Texto: *Gloria in excelsis Deo*; texto in inglés English Language Liturgical Consultation  
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## The Gospel: Luke 21:25-36

*God will fulfill God's purposes and, already, hidden signs of that fulfillment abound. On that great day there will be dismay, perplexity, confusion, and terror, but God's people shall be given strength to stand boldly and receive God's promised redemption.*

**P:** The holy gospel according to Luke, the twenty-first chapter.

**C:** **Glorify to you, O Lord.**

**P:** Jesus said: <sup>25</sup> "There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. <sup>26</sup> People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. <sup>27</sup> Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in a cloud' with power and great glory. <sup>28</sup> Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near."

<sup>29</sup> Then he told them a parable: "Look at the fig tree and all the trees; <sup>30</sup> as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. <sup>31</sup> So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. <sup>32</sup> Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. <sup>33</sup> Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

<sup>34</sup> "Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day does not catch you unexpectedly, <sup>35</sup> like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. <sup>36</sup> Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man."

**P:** The gospel of the Lord.

**C:** **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Children's Sermon / Sermon (please be seated)

Hymn of the Day: ELW 247

Come Now, O Prince of Peace  
*Ososǒ, Ososǒ*



*O - so - sǒ o - so - sǒ, pyong - hwa - ŭi - im - gŭm*  
1 Come now, O Prince of peace, make us one bod - y.  
2 Come now, O God of love, make us one bod - y.  
3 Come now and set us free, O God, our Sav - ior.  
4 Come, Hope of u - ni - ty, make us one bod - y.



*u - ri - ga han - mom i - ru - ge ha - so - sǒ.*  
Come, O Lord Je - sus, rec - on - cile your peo - ple.  
Come, O Lord Je - sus, rec - on - cile your peo - ple.  
Come, O Lord Je - sus, rec - on - cile all na - tions.  
Come, O Lord Je - sus, rec - on - cile all na - tions.

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Music: OSOSŌ, Geonyong Lee, b. 1947  
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**Apostle's Creed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*The pastor will read the first and last prayer, those in the congregation are invited to read the other prayer aloud as they feel called. The congregation may turn and face the aisle.*

P: As we prepare for Emmanuel, God-with-us, let us pray for all people and places that long for God's presence.

*A brief silence.*

God of righteousness, your people live in hopeful expectation of your coming. Fill your church with renewed passion for our shared mission, and deepen our relationships with other Christians and other faith traditions in our local community and across the world. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Receive our prayer.**

God of the cosmos, all creation shows that your presence is near. Help us sense your goodness and love in the sun and moon, in sprouting leaves and bare branches, in the roaring sea and quiet breeze. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Receive our prayer.**

God of the nations, your reign extends over all principalities and powers. Give leaders and all in authority hearts for justice and peace. Encourage efforts to enact policies that benefit the common good. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Receive our prayer.**

God of change, you accompany us through life's transitions. Be near to all who are changing jobs, moving, welcoming children, or facing the loss of loved ones. Sustain those who are ill or suffering (*especially*). In times of change, remind us of your steadfast love. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Receive our prayer.**

God of community, your Spirit holds us together. Sustain our care for one another (*especially through our efforts of PALM church unification and outreach supported by this congregation*). Inspire us to seek new ways to live together and to embrace the diversity of thought and identity in our communities. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Receive our prayer.**

God of memory, we give you thanks for faithful ones who have died (*especially those we mention now or in the comfort of our hearts*). Tend to our grief and sorrow with renewed trust in your promise of abundant and eternal life. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Receive our prayer.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

P: Savior of the nations, come, and receive these prayers and the pleas of our hearts, in the name of Jesus Christ.

**C: Amen.**

**Blessing of the Altar Guild**

**Sharing of the Peace**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

**OFFERING**

**Choir Anthem: "Keep Your Lamps"**

**PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS**



## What Feast of Love

1 What feast of love is of-fered here, what ban-quet come from heav-en?  
What food of ev-er-last-ing life, what gra-cious gift is giv-en?  
This, this is Christ the king, the bread come down from heav-en.  
Oh, taste and see and sing! How sweet the man-na giv-en!

Text: Delores Dufner, OSB, b. 1939

Music: GREENSLEEVES, English ballad, 16th cent.

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### Offering Prayer

P: Together we pray. Holy Spirit, please bless these small gifts we give.

**C: You set the table with plenty of love.**

P: Prepare room in your home

**C: for my neighbor and me.**

P: Prepare a place in your vision

**C: for my neighbor and me.**

P: Prepare a seat at your table

**C: for my neighbor and me.**

P: Holy Spirit, you have blessed these gifts we give.

**C: You set the table with plenty of love.**

### THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### The Great Thanksgiving

P: God is with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Offer your hearts to God

**C: We do, because we know God cares for us.**

P: We give thanks to God.

**C: God always deserves our thanks and praise.**



Jesus taught them, Jesus served them, Jesus took bread and said, This is my body, given for you, so you can eat it whenever you are hungry and every time you are hungry you can know my love.

Then Jesus took a cup filled with wine, and said, My forgiveness is more than words. This is my blood, poured out for you, so you can drink it to know that I forgive every sin.

This is the body of Jesus, the blood of Jesus. Jesus, we remember you died.

**C: We remember.**

P: We remember God's love sparked life in your dead body.

**C: We remember.**

P: We remember you shall return to empty every grave.

**C: We remember.**

P: And we remember these gifts as we pray the way Jesus taught us.:

**C: 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 and ever. Amen.**

### **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

P: Holy Spirit, you are here now in this food, where you embody forgiveness; and in these people, whom you have leavened with grace. People of God, God's love grew unseen, but now you know it; God's love echoes in silence, but you have sung the song. Now come taste the goodness of God's mercy and notice what God has done for you.



# Lamb of God

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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;  
 have mer - cy on us, have mer - cy on us.  
 Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;  
 have mer - cy on us, have mer - cy on us.  
 Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;  
 grant us peace, grant us peace.

*\* May be sung in canon beginning here.*  
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**Distribution of Bread & Fruits of the Vine (please follow usher)**

**SONG DURING COMMUNION: ELW 715**

## Christ, Be Our Light

1 Long - ing for light, we wait in dark - ness. Long - ing for  
 2 Long - ing for peace, our world is trou - bled. Long - ing for  
 3 Long - ing for food, man - y are hun - gry. Long - ing for  
 4 Long - ing for shel-ter, man - y are home-less. Long - ing for  
 5 Man - y the gifts, man - y the peo - ple, man - y the  
 truth, we turn to you. Make us your own,  
 hope, man - y de - spair. Your word a - lone  
 wa - ter, man - y still thirst. Make us your bread,  
 warmth, man - y are cold. Make us your build - ing,  
 hearts that yearn to be - long. Let us be ser - vants  
 your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.  
 has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice.  
 bro - ken for oth - ers, shared un - til all are fed.  
 shel - ter - ing oth - ers, walls made of liv - ing stone.  
 to one an - oth - er, signs of your king - dom come.

**Refrain continued on next page**

*Refrain*



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the  
 dark - ness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your  
 church gath - ered to - day.

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## Prayer after Communion

P: God, what you have planned for us unfolds slowly.

**C: Your love is often unrecognizable, unappreciated, gentle and unnoticed.**

P: But in this place we have noticed what others do not see.

**C: We have tasted your unspoken goodness. And now we will magnify your love.**

## Announcements

### BLESSING

P: Where is the care in this world? Where is the faith we were promised? Where is the hope we desired, when peace moves into our homes, and joy is a constant presence, and justice is for everyone?

**C: God, this world waits to know that your love is more than words.**



## Sending Song: ELW 248

### People, Look East



1 Peo - ple, look east. The time is near of the crown - ing  
2 Fur - rows, be glad. Though earth is bare, one more seed is  
3 Stars, keep the watch. When night is dim, one more light the  
4 An - gels an - nounce with shouts of mirth him who brings new



of the year. Make your house fair as you are a - ble,  
plant - ed there. Give up your strength the seed to nour - ish,  
bowl shall brim, shin - ing be - yond the frost - y weath - er,  
life to earth. Set ev - 'ry peak and val - ley hum - ming



trim the hearth and set the ta - ble. Peo - ple, look  
that in course the flow'r may flour - ish. Peo - ple, look  
bright as sun and moon to - geth - er. Peo - ple, look  
with the word, the Lord is com - ing. Peo - ple, look



east, and sing to - day— Love, the Guest, is on the way.  
east, and sing to - day— Love, the Rose, is on the way.  
east, and sing to - day— Love, the Star, is on the way.  
east, and sing to - day— Love, the Lord, is on the way.

Text: Eleanor Farjeon, 1881–1965

Music: BESANÇON, French carol

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## DISMISSAL

**P:** People of God, you have already shared the advent of God's goodness. You carry the blessing of God, God, the First Whisper, Jesus, the Living Promise, Spirit, the Speaker of Hearts. Now go into this world expecting God's justice and nurturing God's peace.

**C: God, we will magnify your love.**

## Postlude:



Our Outreach envelopes for December will support AHUB (Advocates for the Homeless in Upper Bucks) as they work to provide Code Blue shelter to the homeless during bad weather.

<b>ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>			
<b>December</b>	<b>BIRTHDAYS</b>	<b>ANNIVERSARIES</b>	<b>BAPTISMS</b>
2	Clayton Leichliter		
4			Rowan Froehlich
6			Brian Ashmore Sr.
<b>THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Sunday, December 1</b> First Sunday of Advent	9:15 AM <b>10:00 AM</b>	Adult Sunday school in the library. <b>Communion Worship</b>	
Monday, December 2	1:00 PM- 3:00 PM	Admin Office Hours	
Wednesday, December 4	10:00 AM 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal Office Hours	
Thursday, December 5	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM 12:00 PM 1:00 - 3:00 PM	Office Hours Chat & Chew with Pr. Jim Adult Bible Study @ Hlavaty's	
Friday; December 6	5:00PM- 8:00 PM	Parent's Night Out Care-A-Lot Fundraiser	
<b>UPCOMING ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Sunday, December 8</b> Second Sunday of Advent	9:15 AM <b>10:00 AM</b> After Worship 5:00PM-7:00 PM	Adult Sunday school in the library. <b>Communion Worship</b> Congregational meeting followed by covered dish Confirmation Class @ St. Luke's Ferndale	
Monday, December 9	1:00 PM- 3:00 PM	Admin Office Hours	
Tuesday, December 10	7:00PM	Monthly Council Meeting	
Wednesday, December 11	10:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Office Hours	
<b>Saturday, December 14</b>	<b>5:00 PM and 7:00PM</b>	<b>Live Nativity at Trinity Pleasant Valley</b>	
<b>Sunday, December 15</b> Third Sunday of Advent	9:15 AM 9:30 AM <b>10:00 AM</b> After Worship	Adult Sunday school in the library Choir Rehearsal <b>Communion Worship</b> Caroling and Poinsettia delivery to homebound	
Monday, December 16	1:00 PM- 3:00 PM	Admin Office Hours	
Tuesday, December 17	1:00 PM	Christian Education Meeting @ Church Office	
Wednesday, December 18	10:00AM 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal Office Hours	
Thursday, December 19	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM 12:00 PM 1:00 - 3:00 PM	Office hours Chat & Chew with Pr. Jim Adult Bible Study @ Hlavaty's	
Friday; December 20	9:00 AM	Decorating the Church	



Virginia Hager would like to extend a warm Thank You to the congregation for all of the thoughts and prayers extended to her and her family after the loss of her husband, Kenneth Hager. She greatly appreciates all of the donations made in his name and the support she received from the church family during such a difficult time. Virginia would also like to note that her address will be changing. Please check in with her or Kat for her new address.



**For Healing of those in our Congregation:**

David Antoni; George Kreitz; Paul McGinn; Cheryl Mesko; Bethany Michl; Ed Xander; Joanne and Bobby Ziegenfuss.

**For Healing of Friends and Family:**

Frank Allebach; Phyllis Allebach; Bob Benoure; Paula Benoure; Jason Bigley; Stephen Bizon; Clay Butler; Doris Calverley; Deb Carmichael; Jane Carr; Peggy Coleman; Stephanie Courtney; David Davis; Nancy Edelen; Leon Errico; Nora Fallon; Fred Foerster; Gabriella Froehlich; Barbara Foster; Debbie Gardner; Candie Gimbar; Barea Lee Goodman; Jason Gourley; Rev. Bradley Gow; Penni Griffith; Andrew Hales; Penny Houck; Bill Hunt; Lois James & family; Martine King; Tim Koplun; Mary Lily; Rev. David Lisner; Jim McAnally; Charleigh McCade; Letitia McCrea; Connor McDevitt; Patrick McNaulty; Nancy Morris; Sue Odor; Cindy Oswald; Lucia Otero; Jim Pavlica; Jennifer Phelps; Lisa Ridge; Connie Rugen; Tammy Sassman; Paul Sauter; Douglas Schlegel; Bart Shaw; Laurel Sheetz; Donna Storm; Russ Trauger; Joe V.; Kelly Walsh; Jacqueline Ward; Dean Erika Wesch; Henry Wong; Wayne Yeisley; Barbara Yob.

**For those who are Homebound:**

James Altemose; Cleo Eck; Frank Mammana; Jayne Miller; and Silas Rodenbach.

**For families and friends grieving the loss of:**

Norma Fox and Kenneth Hager

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Lector	Josephine Williams
Head / Communion Usher	Mark Harwick
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Technology & Livestreaming	Ken Anderson
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Custodian	Dianna Streletz