

"The Church with a Welcome for All!"

North Warren

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)

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*And all
mankind
will see God's
Salvation*

Luke 3:6

Sunday Schedule:

9:15 AM Prayer Meeting
9:30 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship

Regular Office Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, and
Friday: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Handicap Accessible at Church Street Entrance.



December 9, 2018
Second Sunday in Advent
North Warren Presbyterian Church
Reverend Burfoot S. Ward, III, Pastor
Kris Soderberg, Organist

*"We trust God's Spirit to work in us, through our
words and deeds, wherever we are."*

Prelude

Passing The Friendship Registers

Please sign the friendship register, your name only if you
attend regularly, completely if you are new or visiting.

Announcements

Call to Worship

Luke 1:68-79

Advent Wreath Candle Lighting (Joy)
on Power Point

*Hymn "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" No. 244

***Invocation**

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Offertory Response "We Give Thee But Thine Own" No. 816

Junior Sermon

Rev. Ward

*Hymn "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You" No. 271

Scripture Luke 3:1-6 p. 1593

Sermon "Jesus is the Gift" Rev. Ward

Joys and Concerns

*Hymn "How Great Our Joy!" No. 269

***Benediction**

Postlude

**Those Who Are Able, Please Stand*

*We welcome all who have come to worship with us.
We pray that this hour will be a blessing to you.*



Lay leader today is Gloria Lindell.

Ushering today is Dixie Brumagin, Gary Brumagin, Nyssa Brumagin, and Tristan Brumagin.

Sound Booth Operator today is Jim Ashbaugh.

Greeting the congregation at the close of the service today are Rev. Buddy and Anne Ward at the Church Street door Gloria Lindell and Martha Brackemyre at the State Street door.

Advent Candle Lighter this morning is Ivy Whilton. God is eternal. A wreath, formed in a circle, like God, has no beginning and no ending. For centuries, people have used the symbolism of the never-ending wreath to represent God, especially at Christmas.

After Church Coffee Hosts this morning are Chris and Denny McClellan. Come downstairs after worship and enjoy a few minutes of conversation and some snacks.

Ladies Prayer Luncheon Group: We want to invite all ladies of the church to Christmas Luncheon on December 13 at 12:00 at Hilltop Restaurant at the Career Center. Wait staff will serve lunch at 12:00 so arrive early. The cost is \$9.00. If you have not made your reservation or you need to cancel, telephone Sandy Billman at 726-0275 or Hilltop Restaurant at 726-1260 no later than December 10.

The Children's Annual Christmas Party will be held a week from Saturday on December 22, 2019 here at the church. All children in the Church, Sunday school, Day Care, and from our Summer Day Camp are invited!

You Can Attend Advent Services at the First United Methodist Church in Warren on Thursdays starting at noon and running a bit over 30 minutes with a light lunch afterward. Take time out to reflect on the reason to celebrate this time of year.

Prayer Requests Today:

- Meadville First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Brian Jensen, Pastor, Missionaries of the PC (USA) Throughout the World,
- All health care patients, survivors, their families, and their caretakers,
- California fire victims, as well as so many other recent natural disaster victims within our own country,
- Our church and pastor

The Week Ahead

Sunday, December 9

- 9:15 AM Prayer Meeting
- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship Service
After Church Coffee – Chris & Denny

Monday, December 10

- 10:00 AM Ladies Bible Study
- 5:45 PM Worship Team
- 7:00 PM Qadosh Bells

Wednesday, December 12

- 7:00 PM Youth Rec

Thursday, December 13

- 12:00 PM Ladies Prayer Luncheon
- 7:30 PM Men's Bible Study

Sunday, December 16

- 9:15 AM Prayer Meeting
- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship Service
After Church Coffee – Judy McElhatten
- 6:00 PM Session

