

January 2, 2022
Second Sunday after Christmas
North Warren Presbyterian Church
Reverend Burfoot S. Ward, III, Pastor
Cathy Peterson, Pianist

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

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, fully vaccinated persons do not need to wear masks; but masks may be worn per individual discretion.

Prelude

Register Attendance

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

Announcements

Call to Worship "Salvation By Grace" No. 524
(read responsively)

***Hymn** "Love Has Come" No. 256

***Invocation**

***The Lord's Prayer** (we will use the words "debts" and "debtors")

Children's Message Rev. Ward

Scripture Lesson John 1:1-18 p. 1645

Sermon "A Child of God" Rev. Ward

Joys and Concerns

***Hymn** "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne" No. 292

***Benediction**

Postlude

Please respect the social distance of others as you leave the building.

*Those Who Are Able, Please Stand
We welcome all who have come to worship with us.
We pray that this service will be a blessing to you.



Lay Leader today is Chris McClellan.

Ushers/Greeters for today are Mark and Sheryl Ash.

Video/Sound Booth operator is Gloria Lindell.

The Sanctuary flowers today are given by Kathy Whittemore in memory of all members who have gone to be with the Lord.

Looking Ahead

Monday, Jan. 3 - 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in Fellowship Hall, Hebrews 1:1-3 - *"Jesus' Identity."*
- 6:30 pm Qadosh Bell Practice in sanctuary

Thursday, Jan. 6 - 6:00 pm Deacons in pastor's office

Sunday, Jan. 9 - 9:30 am Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 am Worship Service

Monday, Jan. 10 - 6:00 pm Community House committee meets
6:30 pm Qadosh Bell Practice in sanctuary

Tuesday, Jan. 11 - 6:00 pm C.E. committee in pastor's office

Sunday, Jan. 16 - 9:30 am Sunday School for all ages.
11:00 am Worship Service
6:00 pm Session meets in Fellowship Hall

Monday, Jan. 17 - 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in Fellowship Hall, Hebrews 2:5-18 - *"Jesus is Better."*
- 6:30 pm Qadosh Bell Practice in sanctuary

NEW Women's Bible Study begins. The book of Hebrews, from Right Now Media with Dr. Derwin Gray. The book of Hebrews was written to people in crisis. They were persecuted, tempted by the rampant sin around them, and doubting their faith in Jesus. It was not so different than what many of us go through today. Join Dr. Derwin Gray in this 8-session series as he walks through Hebrews teaching us how to live for Jesus in every season of life. Hebrews shows us that Jesus is better than anything the world can offer. We simply need to answer, "Am I willing to trust him above everything else?" If interested let Gloria Lindell know, but anyone is welcome to join at any time during this series.

Offering plates are located at the entrances to the sanctuary. Please place your tithes and offerings in the plates on your way in or out of the service. You can give electronically by going to our website or snapping the QR code on the front cover and clicking on the “Donate Now” button on the first page. THANK-YOU!

Sermon Outline for January 2, 2022

Rev. Ward

TITLE: “A Child of God”

TEXT: John 1:1-18

- I. Introduction: John 1:12 tells us, “Yet to all who did _____ Jesus, to those who _____ in his _____, God gave the _____ to become _____ of _____ ...”

- II. The first _____ of _____ a _____ of _____ is that we are _____ into a new _____ .

- III. The second _____ we _____ as a _____ of _____ is that of a new _____ for our _____ .

- IV. The third _____ we receive as a _____ of _____ is a new _____ rooted in God's _____ .

- V. I hope and pray that you will start this New Year with a new identity rooted in love, and grace, and truth as . . .
“ _____ !”