

January 1, 2023
New Year's Day
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

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 *"Psalm 148"* No. 135
(Read by lay leader)

***Hymn** "As with Gladness Men of Old" No. 290

*Invocation

Children's Message Rev. Ward

Scripture Lesson Matthew 2:1-16, 19-23 p. 1497

Sermon *"The Light of Wisdom"* Rev. Ward

Joys and Concerns

***Hymn** "We Three Kings" No. 288

*Benediction

Postlude

*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 Darrell Pusateri.

Ushers/Greeters for today are Bill Ransom & Ellen Nelson.

Video/Sound Booth operator is Drake Lawson.

Nursery worker is Gloria Lindell.

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 downloading the app, going to our website, or snapping the QR code on the front cover and clicking on the "Donate Now" button on the first page. Our new invitation code is **TB43VX**. THANK-YOU!

The Sunflowers are in support of the Ukrainians as they fight for their freedom against the Russians.

The Christmas Poinsettias are given through your donations.

Looking Ahead

Monday, January 2 - 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in Fellowship Hall, the fifth study will be, *"Jesus Gives Us Hope"* w / Sadie Robertson Huff
- 6:00 pm C. E. Committee in Pastor's Office
- 6:30 pm Qadosh Bells practice in Sanctuary

Wednesday, January 4 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm Youth Recreation at the Community House

Thursday, January 5 - 6:00 pm Deacons meet in pastor's office

Sunday, January 8 - 9:30 am Sunday School for all ages
11:00 am Worship - The Lord's Baptism

Monday, January 9 - 6:00 pm Community House meets upstairs
- 6:30 pm Qadosh Bells practice in Sanctuary

Wednesday, Jan. 11 - 6:00 - 7:30 pm Youth Recreation at the C.H.

Sunday, January 15 - 9:30 am Sunday School for all ages
11:00 am Sunday Worship Service

Monday, January 16 - 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in Fellowship Hall, the sixth study will be, *"Jesus Empowers"* w / Jada Edwards
- 6:30 pm Qadosh Bells practice in Sanctuary

Sunday, January 22 - 9:30 am Sunday School for all ages
11:00 am Sunday Worship Service

Sermon Outline for January 1, 2023

Rev. Ward

TITLE: *“The Light of Wisdom”* TEXT: Matthew 2:1-16, 19-23

I. Introduction: The _____ were _____ in _____ ,
the science of their time.

II. The _____ of the _____ did not make them _____
in human _____ , specifically the _____ of _____ .

III. _____ character is _____ in his _____
for the _____ he _____ .

IV. The account of the _____ also reveals the _____ of
_____ .

V. _____ still _____ our new _____ .

IV. The light of Christ and His Epiphany is . . .”
“ _____ !”