

ORDER OF WORSHIP

December 1, 2024 — 8:15 a.m.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

Dr. Gregg Bunn, organ

VOLUNTARY

“Three Variations on ‘Comfort, Comfort Ye My People’”

Robert Lau

Dr. Gregg Bunn, organ

A WORD OF WELCOME

Rev. Ani Missirian-Wilson

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN 211**

“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”

VENI EMMANUEL

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE OF HOPE

***RESPONSE SONG**

“Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love”

BAUGH

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

“Come to Us, Lord”

John Helgan

BUMC Youth Choirs; Jenna Elsberry, flute; Eliot Hinson, piano;

Dennis Palmer, percussion; James Wells, director

***DOXOLOGY 94**

“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

***SCRIPTURE READING: LUKE 21:25-36 (NRSVUE)**

Susanne Post

SERMON

“Good Timing”

Dr. Jim Hughes

PRAYER CONCERNS AND INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Dr. Davis Chappell

PRAYER OF CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE HYMN

“The Promise of Your Coming”

ST. LOUIS

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Dr. Davis Chappell & Dr. Jim Hughes

HOLY COMMUNION

“Let Every Heart Prepare a Throne”

Mark Patterson

BUMC Youth Choirs; Kelsie Wiegman, soloist; Eliot Hinson, piano; James Wells, director

“Light of the World”

Ed Cash

BUMC Youth Choir; Eliot Hinson, piano; James Wells, director

*INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Dr. Jim Hughes

*CLOSING HYMN 196

“Come, Thou Long Expected-Jesus”

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*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

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POSTLUDE

“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”

arr. Robert Powell

Dr. Gregg Bunn, organ

**stand as you are able*

Paraments: The color purple is a sign of royalty and welcomes the Advent of the King.

*The chancel flowers are presented to the glory of God by Annette and Ken Donahey
with grateful hearts at the season of Advent.*

SERMON REFLECTION

1. What are my biggest take-aways from the sermon?

2. What is God teaching me?

3. What from the sermon can I apply to my life this week?

4. When did I feel most uplifted?

5. When did I feel most unsettled?
