

ORDER OF WORSHIP

December 7, 2025 — 11 A.M.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR		Dr. Gregg Bunn, organ
A WORD OF WELCOME		Dr. Wade Cox
VOLUNTARY	"Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence" Dr. Gregg Bunn, organ	arr. Albert Travis
*CALL TO WORSHIP		
*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 196	"Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"	HYFRYDOL
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881		
*GLORIA PATRI 70	"Glory Be to the Father"	MEINEKE
CALL FOR THE OFFERING		Rev. Adam Jones
OFFERTORY	"Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming" Chancel Choir; Robby Shankle, saxophone; Eliot Hinson, piano; Ryan Jones, director	arr. Shawn Kirchner
*DOXOLOGY 94	"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"	LASST UNS ERFREUEN
*PRAYER OF DEDICATION		Dr. Wade Cox
*SCRIPTURE READING: ISAIAH 11:1-10 (NRSVUE)		Carol Bumbalough
SERMON	"Embracing Peace"	Dr. Davis Chappell
PRAYER CONCERNS AND INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION		Rev. Adam Jones
PRAYER OF CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON		
RESPONSE HYMN 500	"Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart"	MORECAMBE
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING FOR ADVENT		Rev. Adam Jones & Dr. Davis Chappell

HOLY COMMUNION

Mario DaSilva, guitar

***INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

Dr. Davis Chappell

***CLOSING HYMN 431**

“Let There Be Peace on Earth”

WORLD PEACE

***BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL BENEDICTION**

“Lo, How a Rose E’er Blooming”

arr. Shawn Kirchner

Chancel Choir; Eliot Hinson, piano; Jenna Elsberry, director

POSTLUDE

“Finale of HYFRYDOL”

Charles Callahan

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.

Acolyte: Asoka Talafuse

*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?
