

December 8, 2019

ORDER OF SERVICE

Nursery is available for ages 4 and under.

Preparation for Worship

Invocation and Welcome

Roger Crosswell

Announcements

Pastoral Prayer

“Good Christian Men, Rejoice”

Hymn 151

Offering

Doxology

Advent Candle Lighting

“O Holy Night!”

Hymn 148

Scripture reading: John 6:1-15

Sermon: Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand

Pastor Jerry Scheumann

“We Will Glorify”

Hymn 72

Benediction

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If anyone has an announcement that they would like included in the bulletin, please send it to Abi Karner by Thursday night (email: abi.clearlake@gmail.com).

Advent

During this season of Advent we will be showing a short video by The Bible Project highlighting one word each Sunday: Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love. This Sunday our video is about Peace. In the Bible, Peace is a very important word that refers not only to the absence of conflict but also to the presence of something else. This video explores the core meaning of biblical peace and how it all leads to Jesus. If you would like to watch this week's video again at home, you can find it here: <https://thebibleproject.com/videos/shalom-peace/>

Wedding

You are all invited to the wedding of Claude Melanson and Linda Dunworth following this morning's worship service. Reception to follow, downstairs. All are welcome!

Gill Home Service

The Gill Home Service has been cancelled for this afternoon.

Choir

NOTE: Practice this evening will start at 5:00 pm.

Evening Worship Service

This evening at 6:30 pm. Our study in the Word up through December is on evangelism. As believers, we have the responsibility and privilege of proclaiming the Gospel. Come learn how to grow in boldness and faithfulness in proclaiming the good news to our friends and family in Windsor county and beyond.

Evangelism Memory Passage (TONIGHT): “Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, he himself likewise partook of the same things, that through death he might destroy the one who has the power of death, that is, the devil, and deliver all those who through fear of death were subject to lifelong slavery.” —Hebrews 2:14-15, ESV

Love Offering

Today and next Sunday we will be taking a love offering to help Tom and Kathi Deibler with the flood damage they recently incurred. Please make any checks payable to "Ludlow Baptist Church" and include on the memo line "Deibler Love Offering".

ANNOUNCEMENTS - CONTINUED

Women's Bible Study

Meets this Tuesday at 6:30 pm at the church. All ladies are invited!

Mid-Week Prayer & Study

Wednesday evenings, 6:30 pm at the church. If you have prayer requests, you can submit them on our website ludlowbaptist.org.

Birthday Card Shower

Sandie Anderson's 80th birthday is December 15. For those of you who'd like to send a Birthday card to her this week, her address is: Sandie Anderson, 8 Gill Terrace, Room #123, Ludlow, VT.

Ongoing Prison Ministry Needs

The Nunnikhovens are seeking small Christmas gifts for the inmates who have no support. Gifts can include foodstuffs in the manufacturer's packaging. For example, Ramen Noodles, individual hot chocolates, popcorn, wrapped candies, and coffees. Personal items: toothpaste, soaps, deodorant, and shampoos. Clothing also needed: white t-shirts, size large and up, white socks. Please donate unwrapped items to Betty or John before December 15.

Warning: Special Business Meeting

There will be a special business meeting after the morning service on Sunday, Dec. 15th. There are two items on the agenda:

- 1) Acceptance of new members
- 2) Nominating a slate of officers for Church and Sunday School officers for 2020. (nomination occurs in December and voting occurs at the annual business meeting in January)

Angel Tree

Ludlow Baptist has been provided with 25 names of children needing to be sponsored this Christmas through the Angel Tree Prison Ministry Program. The angels will be hung in the downstairs entryway. Please let Julie know which angel you have selected and for further instructions on delivering the gift.

Christmas Caroling

Please plan on joining in caroling on Wednesday, December 18. We will be meeting at 5:00 pm at the church and going from there. This is a great time for fellowship and spreading some Christmas joy in the community. There will be a fellowship time at the church after caroling. Any questions, please see Millicent.