

**WAUPUN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Waupun, WI**



December 11, 2022

Sunday worship – 9:00 a.m.

**Welcome to worship.**

**May you find the presence of God wherever you are.**

At the \* sign, please stand as you are able.

**Bold print** = Congregational response

Prelude

Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Wreath Candles

on screen/supplement

Video Call to Worship

“Joy!”

**\*Call to Worship: Magnificat**

(inspired by Luke 1:47-55)

My soul glorifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,  
for all his loving kindness to me day by day.

**Great is our God and worthy to be praised.**

The Mighty One has done great things for me; holy is his name.

**Let it be to me according to your word.**

God’s mercy reaches to all those who fear him, in every generation.

**Great is our God and worthy to be praised.**

The Lord has performed mighty deeds with his arm; he has humbled those who are haughty and proud.

**Let it be to me according to your word.**

God has brought down rulers from their thrones but has lifted up the poor and lowly.

**Great is our God and worthy to be praised.**

The Lord has filled the hungry with good things but has sent the rich away empty.

**Let it be to me according to your word.**

God has kept his promises: He has helped his servant Israel,  
and shown mercy to Abraham and his descendants forever.

**Great is our God and worthy to be praised.**

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.**

**As it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever. Amen.**

**\*Opening Song**

**Red #241**

**on screen/supplement**

**“That Boy Child of Mary”**

**\*Advent Prayer: Maranatha**

The glory of God shall be revealed and all flesh shall see it together

**Maranatha, Come, Lord Jesus, come soon!**

Sing aloud, waste places of Jerusalem!

Sing to the God who gives courage and strength.

**Maranatha, Come, Lord Jesus, come soon!**

You who are unsure of what you believe, or whether you believe at all: listen!

You who are weighed down by thoughts of failure, or feelings of grief: listen!

You whose hearts are heavy, whose problems seem insurmountable: listen!

**Maranatha, Come, Lord Jesus, come soon.**

Soon God’s salvation will come; God’s deliverance will be revealed.

For a woman shall conceive and bear a son and shall call his name Emmanuel: God with us

**Maranatha, Come, Lord Jesus, come soon!**

Children’s Message

“Weak knees”

Pastor’s Message

“Chosen”

**Tithes and Offerings**

**\*Song of Thanksgiving - Red No. 238 (one verse)**

**“Angels, We Have Heard on High**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

Announcements

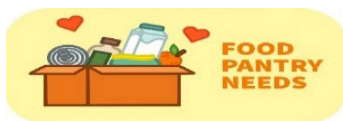
**\*Closing Song**      **Red #224**      **on screen/supplement**      **“Good Christian Friends, Rejoice”**

\*Blessing/Dismissal      on screen/supplement

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| Today's Worship Ministers: | All of us - wherever we are      |
| Tech Operators:            | Cole and Callan Bartlett         |
| Pianist:                   | Sue Rens Guell                   |
| Pastor/Worship Leader:     | Steve Miller                     |
| Counters:                  | Wayne Strehlow and Marsha Schaub |

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Today, Sunday, December 11: Confirmation – 10:15  
Tomorrow, Monday, December 12: Worship Committee – 5:15  
Tuesday, December 13: Church Conference – 6:00  
Wednesday, December 14: Choir rehearsal – 6:30



December – Monetary donation

January - Pasta

When the Sanctuary was recarpeted, some Church pews were removed and stored and are available. If you are interested, talk to one of the Trustees: Mary Vande Zande, Curt Core, Gary Chase, Steve Guell, or Jan Nickel.

The bulletins for December are sponsored by Laura Schultz in memory of Ken, her husband.

### **INTENSIVE PRAYER CONCERNS**

Joyce Brown    Tammy Kasuboski    Janette Ruck    Bob Bradley  
Paula Wendt    Ray Dolgner    Ryan Giese  
Family and friends of Shane Bronson  
Those impacted by war in Ukraine    The Confirmation class  
Those affected by mass shootings

#### **Remember our homebound:**

At Home: Doris Laurain (in Indiana)  
Hillside Manor, Beaver Dam: Joyce Berry  
Prairie Place, Ripon: Elaine Stanton  
Prairie Ridge, Waupun: June Witowich, Phyllis McDowell, Alice Chase, Betty Buchholz  
Remembrance Home, Beaver Dam: Dick Walters  
Stone Terrace, Beaver Dam: Laura Schultz

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| <p><b>Waupun United Methodist Church</b><br/>Church phone: 920-324-9721<br/>Church website: <a href="http://waupunumc.com">waupunumc.com</a><br/>Church e-mail: <a href="mailto:waupunumc@gmail.com">waupunumc@gmail.com</a><br/>Pastor's e-mail: <a href="mailto:waupunumcpastor2019@gmail.com">waupunumcpastor2019@gmail.com</a><br/>Pastor's Cell Phone: 608-697-9045<br/>Church Facebook page: United Methodist Church-Waupun</p> | The logo consists of a white cross with a red flame-like shape on the left side, set against a white background. |
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