

Call to Worship

Announcements

Prelude:

Psalm of Praise

Song

Prayer

Luke 1:46-55

Worship in Giving

Advent Reading

Jaynette Miller and Vi Penner

Based upon Micah 5:2-5 & Luke 1:46-55

Offering:

Worship in Prayer

Epistle Reading

Share and Prayer

Heb. 10:5-10

Worship in Song

Praise Team

Worship and the Word

Sermon

“How Blessed You/We Are”

Pastor Brad

Luke 1:39-45

Worship and Mission

Response

Benediction

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Come join us for Christmas Eve service on Monday Dec24. at 5:00p.m. At 5:30 a meal of soup and bread will be provided. Everyone should bring a goodie to share for dessert! Fun, Food and Fellowship!!!!

You are invited to our Christmas Day service at Alexanderwohl. An organ prelude begins at 9:45 and then at 10:00 a service with readings of the Christmas story from the Gospels, favorite Christmas hymns, and talented musicians.

Next Sunday: Fifth Sunday Offering

This fall Hurricane Michael and Hurricane Florence forced the cancellation of about 250 drives, causing 7,500 units of blood to go uncollected. In this season of giving please consider donating blood (800-733-2767 or redcrossblood.org), sign up to work at the drive, or provide a doz. Christmas cookies (sign up on bulletin board) on Dec. 26. Thanks for saving lives!!

The position of Congregational Secretary will be available as of January 1, 2019. If you are interested please let Brad or Mickey know.

The deadline for yearend reports and handbooks will be January 10, 2019. I thank you in advance for being prompt. Jenny Girard Secretary

Hoping everyone here a very Merry Christmas!!!! Safe travels for all those traveling to and from relatives!



Attendance; December 16, 2018.....45
Offering: December 16, 2018.....\$2220.50
Next Week's Music: Hymns.....
Piano: Harriet Woelk

Weekly Events:

Wednesday Evening: Youth Group 6:30 P.M.

Today's Events

Up Coming Events

- December 24: Christmas Eve Services 5:00 meal 5:30
- December 25: Christmas Service Alexanderwohl 9:45 a.m.
- December 25: Jesus' Birthday
- December 26: Blood Drive 2-6 p.m.
- December 30: Fifth Sunday Offering
- January 1: Happy New Year
- January 10: Deadline yearend and handbook
- January 12: Neuf Memorial Run 10:00 a.m.

Deacon: Jaynette Miller 367-3727
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Everyone Welcome



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BIRTHDAY OF A KING

Christmas Medley

Harriet Woelk

Welcome

Pastor Brad

Hymn... "O Beautiful Star"

Advent Wreath

Duet....Jasmine and Denise Woelk

Lynnette Hiebert accompanied by Marcia Hiebert
"Breathe of Heaven"
"Birthday of a King"

Intro to the Greatest Story Ever Told

"Nun ist sie Erschienen"
Telling the Greatest Story Ever Told... Pastor Brad
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

Sharing Christmas Card Blessings by congregation

Candle Light

"Silent Night"
"The Light of the World is Jesus..."
"Go Tell It On the Mountain..."

Postlude by Harriet Woelk

You are all invited to stay for a time of fellowship around tables of soup and Christmas treats.



Candle Lighting Liturgy

Unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given!

[Here relight the four Advent candles]

God has brought light into every darkness

The promises of God are fulfilled! Wonderful Counselor!
Mighty God!
Everlasting Father! Prince of Peace!

We hear, even today, a chorus of angels bringing good news of great joy to all the people.

We light the Candle of Christ -- witness to the Savior who is Christ the Lord.

[Here light the Christ Candle.]

Glory to God in the highest in Heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favors.