

Morning Worship

December 18th, 2022

Prelude Sue Gross

Announcements

Call to Worship

Pastor: Come, let's worship and bow down

Cong: Let us kneel before the Lord our Maker

Pastor: For He is our God,

Cong: And we are the people of His Pasture and the sheep of His hand.

*PH Hymn 95B O Come, Let Us Sing

*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

Confession of Faith Apostles Creed (p. 845)

Call to Confession Psalm 106 4:4-7

Reading of the Law Matthew 19: 21-35

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon Psalm 106: 44-48

*TH Hymn 198 Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates!

Congregational Prayer

Offertory Worship

Old Testament *Isaiah 9: 1-7 (p. 692)*

New Testament *Galatians 4: 4-5 (p. 1167)*

**Indicates the congregation stands*

Sermon

THE STARTLING NATURE OF THE SON'S APPEARANCE

*TH Hymn 196 Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

*Benediction and the Doxology

Postlude

Evening Worship

Prelude Megan Boss

Call to Worship Psalm 150:1-6

*TH Hymn 214 Angels We Have Heard on High

*Invocation

Songs of Worship

Sharing & Prayer

Offertory Worship

Scripture *Matthew 2: 1-15 (p. 957)*

Sermon **THE MAGI**

*TH Hymn 233 To Us a Child of Hope is Born

*Benediction

*Gloria Patri

Postlude

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Welcome

A fellowship time, refreshments and Sunday school classes will take place after the morning service. New visitors can sign the guest book in the hallway.

TODAY

Greeter Brabo

Refreshments Lorenz

Building Opener B. Boss

NEXT WEEK

Greeter B. Boss

Refreshments Jensema

Building Opener R. Nyhof

SERMONS NEXT WEEK

Morning Sermon Rev. Brian De Jong

Evening Sermon Rev. Brian De Jong

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GUEST PREACHER

Today we welcome to the pulpit Dr. Brian Wingard.

PRAYER MEETING

Wednesday Prayer meetings are in suspense until January.

OUR BOWLING & PIZZA PARTY

Our Bowling and Pizza Party is scheduled for Thursday, December 29th. We bowl from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm at Odyssey Fun Center (cost = \$10 per bowler). Then we go to church for pizza and games (cost = \$5 per pizza eater). Invite a friend to join us! For more information see Pastor Brian