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In-Person and Live Remote Service, Sunday, December 7, 2025, at 10:45 a.m. Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android: https://v.ringcentral.com/join/530051885

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WELCOME

- Scrip's orders due to Mary Ellen today.
- Advent Readers needed. See Pastor
- Bible Study on Wednesday, December 10, from 6-7 pm.
- Call Pastor if you need a ride to Bible Study.
- Adopt-a-Family gift tree is out in the foyer.
 Pick a gift tag, and sign your name in the last column to the right, for the person you picked on the clipboard—all gifts due Sunday, December 21st, wrapped with the gift tag attached.
- Food drive through Sunday, December 21st.
 We will be collecting food for our Christmas
 Adopt-a-Family and local food banks. Looking
 for canned meats, stews, and soups; Mac &
 Cheese, canned veggies and fruit; pasta &
 spaghetti sauce; taco dinners, granola bars, and
 diapers of any size. Leave it on the counter
 between fridges in the kitchen.
- Apple Pies \$14.00 for sale. See Robbin or Shelley.
- Advent daily readings are on the credenza.
- Montville Christmas Parade Sunday, tonight
 © 5 pm. See Karri.
- The Candy Cane Festival returns! December 13, 2025, 10:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m.
- Quaker Hill Tree Lighting 5 pm, December 13th. We are providing cocoa and cookies.
- Please sign up for Toddler care. The sheet is in the foyer.
- Riley is collecting bottles and cans to fund maintenance work.
- Email prayer requests to pastor@qhbc.org

PRAISE SCRIPTURE:

Psalm 96

1 Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth. 2 Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day. 3 Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples. 4 For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods. 5 For all the gods of the nations are idols, but the Lord made the heavens. 6 Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary. 7 Ascribe to the Lord, all you families of nations, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength. 8 Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. 9 Worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness; tremble before him, all the earth. 10 Say among the nations, "The Lord reigns." The world is firmly established; it cannot be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity. 11 Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let the sea resound, and all that is in it. 12 Let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them; let all the trees of the forest sing for joy. 13 Let all creation rejoice before the Lord, for he comes, he comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in righteousness and the peoples in his faithfulness.

PASTORAL GREETING AND INVOCATION

ADVENT READING & CANDLE LIGHTING

First Reader: Advent reminds us that we are people who share a story, the story of Jesus, who enacts peace by judging in favor of the poor and deciding with equity for the meek of the earth. We long for the day when "the wolf shall live with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, the calf and the lion will feed together, and a little child shall lead them" (Isaiah 11:6).

All: Today, we choose to live the story of peace, believing that true peace comes when we seek the flourishing of all God's creation.

Second Reader: We light this candle of peace as a sign of our commitment to bring Light to the places the world seeks to hide until that day when all creation lives together in harmony and abundance. (Light the second candle of the Advent wreath.)

PRAISE SONG 1

Angels from the Realms of Glory Hymnal #259 Verses. 1 & 2

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Allison Prayer of the People/Silent Requests

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAISE SONG 2

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing" Hymnal # 277 v. 1&2

SCRIPTURE: Luke 2:8-14

8 And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. 9 An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. 10 But the angel said to them, "Do

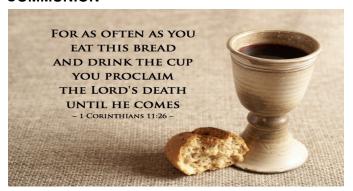
not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. 11 Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; He is the Messiah, the Lord. 12 This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger." 13 Suddenly, a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, 14 "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom His favor rests."



SONG OF PREPARATION

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing" Hymnal # 277 v. 3

COMMUNION



CLOSING SONG "Bless Be the Tie That Binds" Hymnal #426 Verse 1

https://youtu.be/N AYrIHRm5c

BENEDICTION/BLESSING: Pastor Allison

PRAYERS:

Prayers for Larry, eye infection Mary Ellen: Prayers for brother Todd

Meagan: Aunt Carrie has cancer, (Dad) Ronald is very sick, praise that (Mom) Sharon is recovering well. Sylvia: Brother is doing well & dad's eye is healed.

Sylvia: Ken is recovering nicely from surgery Ed: Up and walking and doing PT after stroke.

Louise: Kim C.'s husband, Dan, is going into hospice. Prayers: Agnneta, Charlie & family upon Katie's death.

Prayers for the Craig K. Sr. family upon his death.

Prayers for the Scott C. family upon his death.

Lorraine: Prayers for Jean M's family upon her death.

Shelley: Prayers for Charlene's medical treatments

Pray for all those in Jamaica and those who were hit by the hurricane.

Louise: Colleen died

Tim: sister Linda is home and taking physical therapy

Robin: Sue's daughter, Kim, is recovering from heart

Surgery.

Louise: Kim is having health issues, and her daughter, Kassandra is having surgery again after Christmas.

Charlene: Dee is using a walker, and Doug's cancer has metastasized, causing heart issues.

Kim: Heather is having personal issues.

Prayers for Merna

Prayers for Chicky: recover from a fractured shoulder and fell again, and hurt her knee.

Pastor: Prayers for heart issues for Dad

Prayers for Val Swift. She broke her shoulder.

Edie: prayers for strength and health

ME: Sue is recovering from a stroke + for caretaker Mike.

ME: Kurt K. needs a liver transplant

Prayers for Sally after the death of her husband, Ralph

Prayers for the Community Meal situation

Sylvia's coworker Rochelle is recovering from shoulder surgery. Sylvia has to cover her work while she is out.

Sylvia: Lisa is still having issues with Lyme disease.

Vicky: Jim's brother-in-law, Cliff having hemodialysis.

Vickie: Stepsister Carol is recovering from a stroke

Prayers for addicts and those in recovery

Robin: Brother Don's health issues.

Robin: Roberta has pancreatic cancer and seizures.

Robin- Sharon & daughter Chloe have an autoimmune disease.

Robin: Jordan family issues, ramp up prayers.

Robin: Work friend Michele has pancreatic cancer

Barb and Larry: Praise and prayers for health

Louise: Michelle's mom has brain cancer surgery

Louise: Lu's husband has cancer

Louise: Leah has cancer

Louise: Tracy's husband, Pete, is in residential care -

dementia

Louise: Prayers for healing; Bruce & Kim.

Sylvia: step-sister Dee finished cancer treatments, but

keep prayin'...

Crystal: friend's mother-in-law (Darley), feeding tube at

end-of-life decisions.

ME: Prayers for Alana, struggling with physical health

issues/unable to take meds.

Cam: sister Jean with dementia & Chris's memory issues

Pray for people who have strayed from God and his love.

Bethany: Natalie's cancer tests were clear. Still pray.

Sally: Sue has brain cancer.

Merna: Prayers for Gwen with breast cancer.

Prayers for Karen's health, at home.

Prayers for Andrew

Prayers for Claude's daughter, Tru

Chickie: Daughter's brother-in-law needs a kidney.

Marion R.'s health concerns

Prayers for the lost, vulnerable, and God's guidance.

PRAISE SONG 1 Angels from the Realms of Glory Hymnal #259 Verses. 1 & 2

Angels from the realms of glory, Wing your flight o'er all the earth; Ye who sang creation's story Now proclaim Messiah's birth.

Refrain:

Come and worship, come and worship, Worship Christ, the newborn King.

Shepherds, in the field abiding, Watching o'er your flocks by night, God with us is now residing; Yonder shines the infant light:

Refrain:

PRAISE SONG 2 Hark! the Herald Angels Sing" Hymnal # 277 v. 1&2

Hark! the herald angels sing:
"Glory to the newborn King!
Peace on earth and mercy mild
God and sinners reconciled."
Joyful, all ye nations rise
Join the triumph of the skies
With angelic hosts proclaim:
"Christ is born in Bethlehem."
Hark! the herald angels sing:
"Glory to the newborn King!"

Christ by highest Heav'n adored
Christ the everlasting Lord!
Late in time, behold Him come
Offspring of a Virgin's womb
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
Hail the incarnate Deity
Pleased as man with men to dwell
Jesus, our Emmanuel
Hark! the herald angels sing:
"Glory to the newborn King!"

SONG OF PREPARATION Hark! the Herald Angels Sing" Hymnal # 277 v. 3

Hail the heav'n-born Prince of Peace
Hail the Sun of Righteousness
Light and life to all He brings
Ris'n with healing in His wings
Mild He lays His glory by
Born that man no more may die
Born to raise the sons of earth
Born to give them second birth
Hark the herald angels sing
Glory to the newborn King

CLOSING SONG
"Bless Be the Tie That Binds"
Hymnal #426 Verse 1
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Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love. The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.