

## Today's Service Information

**GREETERS:** Darlene Kelly, Pat George

**USHERS:** Ed & Mariana Owens,  
Jeff & Debi Round

**LAY LEADER:** Kacelyn Jameson

**ADVENT LIGHTING:** The Jamesons

**Jr. CHURCH:** Aaron Crider

**CHAPEL CAFÉ HOST(S):**  
Barbara Emery

TODAY'S CHANCEL FLOWERS are  
given as a gift by  
Bob & Rose Lawton.

## SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Wednesday **6:45** Session mtg.

Thursday **5:30** Bell Choir  
**6:30** Choir practice

Sunday 12/17 9:15 Sunday School  
10:15 Chapel Café  
10:45 Worship Service

Oatmeal, soup,  
crackers, sauerkraut,  
boxed mashed  
potatoes



## Upcoming Events

The Deacons would like for you to hang a Christmas Card in the back of the sanctuary to send Christmas Greetings to all your Northminster family!

**Children's Christmas Program**  
**Sunday, Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> during Worship**  
*Refreshments afterwards!*



Tuesday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>  
12:30 pm at Hito's (W. Pitts)  
Please RSVP to Nancy Hudson  
or Kay Hilliard

**Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion**  
**Sunday, Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:00pm**

UN-DECORATING the Church  
Sunday, Jan. 7<sup>th</sup> after Worship



**PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU PICK  
UP YOUR 2017 OFFERING  
ENVELOPES!**

Check the table in the back!  
Thank you!

**Leaderfest 2018**  
**Saturday, January 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**8:30am – 1:30pm**

Early Bird registration: \$20/person  
Young leaders (ages 14-22): \$5/person  
Visit [www.shenango.org](http://www.shenango.org) for more info.



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## SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT

December 10, 2017

10:45 A.M.

THE PRELUDE

THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

\*THE PRAISE SONG - "Come, Emmanuel"  
"Do You Hear What I Hear?"

THE LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH

**The Call to Worship**  
**The Prayer of Entrance**

\*THE HYMN- No. 169 "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**The Choral Call to Prayer and the Silent Prayer**  
**The Pastoral Prayer**  
**The Lord's Prayer ("sins and those who sin against us")**

THE ANTHEM "Who Would Send a Baby?"

THE WORSHIP OF GOD WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

**The Offering**  
**\*Doxology**

THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*Aaron Crider*

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THE SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 40:27-31

Luke 1:39-45

THE SERMON "Where Christmas Happens" *Rev. Bill King*

\*THE HYMN – No. 190 "Angels from the Realms of Glory"

\*THE BENEDICTION

\*THE CHORAL BENEDICTION "Proclaim the Joyful Message"

\*THE POSTLUDE

*\*Congregation may rise in body or spirit*

*\*\*\* Children dismissed for Jr. Church*

*Maureen Jaklic, Music Director/Organist*  
*Aaron Crider, Director of Children & Youth Ministries*

### PRAYER REQUESTS: REMEMBERING HIS FAITHFULNESS

Matthew Ringwellski; Soldiers & families; Politicians & elected officials; Police & protesters; Refugees; Europe; Israel; Arab world; Sudan; Victims of Natural disasters (fire, drought, flooding); Home-bound people.



We hope that you will return regularly. **Please sign in on the pew sheet so that we may be in touch with you.** If you do not have a church home, please know we hope you will join our Northminster family. Pastor Bill would be pleased to discuss this with you.



**Greeters:**

17 – John Norris, Marcia Earl  
24 – Kip Haas, Dan Umbs  
31 – Karyn Weisz, Dan Umbs

**Ushers:**

17 – Children's Program  
24 – Hudak family (morning)  
24 – Hudson family (evening)  
31 – Dennis Alduk, Kai Hobbs,  
Jeff & Meredith Alduk

**Lighting of the Advent Wreath:**

17 – Aaron & Annaliese Crider  
24 – Carol Kaufman, Tom Kaufman  
24 – John & Cheryl Norris (evening)

**Lay Leaders:**

17 – Children's program  
24 – Dave Wilson  
31 – Paul Ubry

**Chapel Café:**

Barb Emery

**Committee Meetings:**

Session – Wed, Dec 13, 6:45pm  
Corp Affairs – Thurs, Dec 21, 6:30pm

Pastor Bill King may be reached by calling his home (724-543-1267), his cell (724-664-8175), or the office. His e-mail is: [pastorbill@npcnc.org](mailto:pastorbill@npcnc.org). He will usually be in the community Wed, Thurs & Sunday.

Please inform him or the office when a church member is in the hospital or in need of pastoral care. In case of an emergency, please call his **home** phone.