

harmony SPRINGS

November 23, 2025 | Sunday Gathering | Deck the Halls

Welcome We're Glad You're Here!

We do communion each week. Everyone is invited to participate. If you are joining online, grab juice and bread (or anything you can find) to be prepared.

We'd appreciate it if you'd [check in online](#) to let us know you were here so we can send our thanks!

Welcome | Glenn Black

Prayer & Lord's Prayer | Pastor Kim Barnett

Introduction & Responsive Reading | Pastor Joel Engman

Carol | Deck the Halls | Voices in Harmony

Decking the Halls (Christmas Trees and Garland)

Ken and Karen Williams, Dave and Alice Mull, Jim Blankenship

The Symbols of Christmas

Evergreens | **Valentina Hall** (reading)

Placing Window Trees – The Hall Family

Christmas Trees | **Pastor Joel** (reading)

Hanging Christmas Ornaments on Trees – **Liz Hibbs and Children**

Paraments | (reading) – **Rachel Curby**

Placing Blue Paraments on Lectern – **Pam Blankenship**

The Advent Wreath | (reading) – **Shannon Getz**

Placing Advent wreath on Communion Table – **Sarah Black**

The Bells | **Matt Wilks** (reading)

Ring of the bells – **Debbie MacDonald, June, Brittany & Sylvia Smith**

Placing Bells on Communion Table – **Liz Hibbs and Children**



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The Holly and Ivy | **Glenn Black** (reading)
Placing Holly and Ivy on Communion Table – **Tanya Forcone**

The Mistletoe | **Kenneth Williams** (reading)
Place mistletoe on sides of lectern (hooks) - **Karen Williams**

The Star | **Darla Wheeler** (reading)
Place star on two Christmas Trees at front – **Jakai Engman**

The Poinsettias | **Greg Blanchard** (reading)
Place the poinsettia behind communion table - **Jenifer Murphy**

Placing The Nativity

Scripture | [Luke 2:1-7 \(NRSV\)](#) | (reading) | **Pastor Joel**
Carol | O, Little Town of Bethlehem (Chalice #144) | Voices in Harmony
Mary, Joseph, baby Jesus, and donkey enter

Scripture | [Luke 2:8-16 \(NRSV\)](#) | (reading) | **Grayson Snyder**
Carol | Away in the Manager (Chalice #147) | Voices in Harmony
The cow, shepherds, and sheep enter

Scripture | [Matthew 2:1-12 \(NRSV\)](#) | (reading) | **Pastor Kim**
Carol | We Three Kings (Chalice #172) | Voices in Harmony
The magi enter

Carol | Joy to the World (Chalice #143) | Voices in Harmony

Gathering at the Table – Lighting the Christ Candle | **Pastors Kim and Joel**
Prayer | **Jacqui Bell**
Table Song | Silent Night (Chalice #145) | Voices in Harmony

Announcements & Benediction | **Pastor Joel**



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