

St. John's United Church of Christ

201 West Market Street Germantown, OH 45327

December 8, 2024 10:30AM

Second Sunday of Advent

Liturgist: Brenda Williams Organist: Decker Jones Pastor: Mark Anthony

Announcements

Lighting of the Candles

Welcome

Advent Wreath Prayer

The Schaeff Family

Passing of the Peace

Prelude

The Lord be Your Light

***Call to Worship:**

Leader: A new light shines amid the gloom of our world.

People: As children of God, we bear witness to the light.

Leader: The Word comes to renew our lives.

People: As followers of Christ, we proclaim the wonder of rebirth.

***Hymn**

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

B 123

Verses 1,3

***Opening Prayer**

Leader: Let us pray.

All: Holy God, from whom all good things come, through your Living Word, Jesus Christ, shine among us, live within us, enlighten and empower us. Make us faithful partners of yours in transforming this world into one in which hope, love, justice, and peace inform all our actions. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Musical Offering

Ding Dong Merrily on High

Bell Choir

Children's Moment

Scripture

Isaiah 60: 19-20

John 1: 1-9

Message

A New Light Dawns

Mark Anthony

***Hymn**

Come, O Long Expected Jesus

R 125

Verses 1-2

***The Offering**

***Doxology**

All: Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below, Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

***Closing Hymn**

Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun

R 95

Verses 1,4-5

***Dismissal with Blessing**

Postlude

The Light of Men

***All join us in standing as able**

Calendar of Events:

Tuesday (12/10):	12-2PM	Food Pantry	Brombaugh Room
Thursday (12/12):	12-2PM	Food Pantry	Brombaugh Room
Saturday (12/14)	10A-12PM	Food Pantry	Brombaugh Room

Staff:

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Worship Team:

Liturgist: Brenda Williams

Special Music Group: Bell Choir

Tech: Kendall Peters, Rich Miletic, DJ Truax,
Grace Gregor, Tom Weaver



St. John's United Church of Christ is an inclusive congregation where God's love is felt by all, for all, and in all we do through worship, mission and community.

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