

The Liturgy for Gathering

Prelude

Lighting the Advent Candle Harry and Betty Peterson
Lay Reader Anda Ray

Advent Hymn #147 *The First Nowell*

Praise Song *Hark the Herald Angels Sing* Psalm 66 Praise Band

Call to Worship and Passing the Peace

Praise Song *My Redeemer Lives* Psalm 66 Praise Band

A Christmas Litany Written by a Presbyterian Youth Group (Responsive)

“What Do You Want From Christmas?”

One: What do you want from Christmas?

All: We want everyone in the world to love and care for one another.

We want to see a smile on every face.

We want children to be healthy and safe.

We want old people to be content.

We want to be willing and able to give of ourselves to others.

One: What do you want from Christmas?

All: We want to feel close with our friends.

We want to trust our parents and be trusted by them.

We want to have a better understanding of ourselves and others.

We want a chance to feel at peace.

We want to know how we fit in.

One: What do you want from Christmas?

All: We want to be less wrapped up in the gifts of Christmas

and more aware of the gift of Christmas.

One: What do you want from Christmas?

The Liturgy of the Word

All God’s Children

(Please come to the front and maintain social distancing)

Pastoral Prayer with Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy 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 thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Worship Through Giving

(The offering will not be taken during the worship hour. Please continue to give on line or by sending your check by mail)

Children's Program A Socially Distanced Christmas Pageant

Robbie, Marleigh, Trinity, Torrie, Kylie

Advent Hymn #128 *Infant Holy, Infant Lowly*

The Benediction

Sending Song *Little Drummer Boy* Psalm 66 Praise Band

Postlude