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A graphic on the right side of the church's promotional material. It features a bright, multi-pointed star at the top, with a vertical line extending downwards from its center. At the bottom of this line is a stylized sheaf of wheat, rendered in a glowing white outline. The background is dark with faint, radiating lines emanating from the star.

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W CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

December 31, 2017
Worship at 10AM

**Welcome to
Riverside
Presbyterian
Church!**

*Please take a
few minutes to
calm your
heart, mind,
and spirit for
the worship
and celebration
of Jesus Christ.*

*If you are
interested in
being a member
here at RPC,
please see
Pastor Mike
following
worship!*

PRELUDE *Before The Manger*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN #133 *O Come All Ye Faithful*

*PASSING OF THE PEACE OF JESUS CHRIST

*PRAISE TO GOD THROUGH SONG
Hark The Herald Angels Sing
Blessed Be Your Name

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, we strive to lead lives filled with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, patience, tolerance, and forgiveness, but often we find that the most difficult of all is to do it all with love. As the Apostle Paul spoke of spiritual gifts, the encouragement was that of all of them, the greatest was love. Forgive our self-centeredness, we pray, and by Your Holy Spirit enable us truly to let Your love shine through us in all that we think, say, and do.

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

SONG OF CONFESSION

10,000 Reasons

OFFERING

OFFERING SONG *Leave The Past Behind*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING The Rev. Jim Crawford

*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*

ALL GOD'S CHILDREN

Following the Children's sermon, children are welcome to go to the tables and express their worship creatively as they experience the worship service.

*HYMN #134 *Joy to the World*

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE READING FROM HOLY SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 61:10-62:3

Psalm 148

Luke 2:22-40

SERMON *What Are YOU Waiting For?*
The Rev. Jim Crawford

PASTORAL PRAYER The Rev. Jim Crawford

RESPONDING TO THE WORD (sung by congregation)
The Lord's Prayer

*SENDING SONG *I Saw The Light*
Children are welcome to come to the chancel & join the band for the sending song.

*BENEDICTION The Rev. Jim Crawford

POSTLUDE *Love Came Down At Christmas*