Welcome

Call to Worship
One: Rise up! This is God's new day!
All: We look to God for strength.
One: Be awake and be aware!
All: We are God's people, ready to sing praise!
One: God is calling us to life anew.
All: We gather in faith
to celebrate the love of God.
One: Come, and worship God.

Hymn We Gather Together #421

Gathering Prayer
Ever-lasting God, thank you for gathering us as your church where we can share in your presence and honor you in worship. May your Word be written on our hearts and guide our living as our faith is renewed, our love strengthened, and our hope sustained. Amen.

Sung Response – Gloria Patri
Glory be to the Father,
and to the Christ and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be.
World without end. Amen. Amen.

Responsive Reading Psalm 90:1-4
One: Holy One, you have been our dwelling place from generation to generation.
Many: Before the mountains were brought forth or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.
One: You turn humankind back to dust and say, "Turn back, you mortals."

Many: For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past or like a watch in the night.

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
Sermon

Hymn How Firm a Foundation #407

Joys and Concerns
Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Generosity

Doxology
Praise God who gives all blessings birth.
Praise God, all creatures here on earth.
Praise God today and evermore.
Praise God whose glory we adore. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication
Loving God, accept our offerings as a testament to our faith, love, and hope. Magnify them for your glory and to meet the needs of the community. Expand our reach and glorify your name through our giving, O God. Amen.

Announcements

Hymn Now Thank We All Our God #419

Blessing

Holiness doesn't mean doing extraordinary things but doing ordinary things with love and faith.
- Pope Francis

Keep in Prayer

John Smith, Rollie Homan,
Jane Sanders & Bill Sanders
Our Shut-ins: Eloise, Allen, Linda

Offering may be left in the basket in the back of the sanctuary. Thank you for supporting our ministry!

Announcements

Sermon on the Mount Bible Study, Monday at Noon
Advent Study coming November 30, 12:00pm

Non-Food Bank, November 18, 9am to 12pm

Sunday School meets next Sunday after worship
S.S. will meet each Sunday in Advent (11/29-12/20)

Advent/Christmas Decorating, November 22

Yard/Garden Clean Up, November 29 after worship

Basket Auction, November 29, 6pm

Christmas Dinner, December 4, 6pm
Please sign up

Christmas Poinsettias
Sign up to sponsor in memory of honor of a loved one

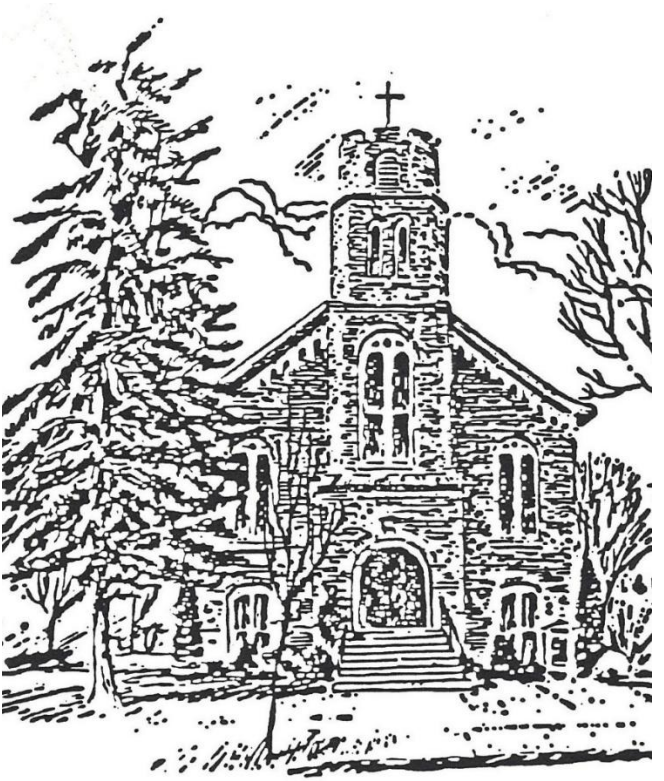
Thanks to everyone who donated items for the Veterans Home!
In Advent we will be collecting for the Christmas Fund

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