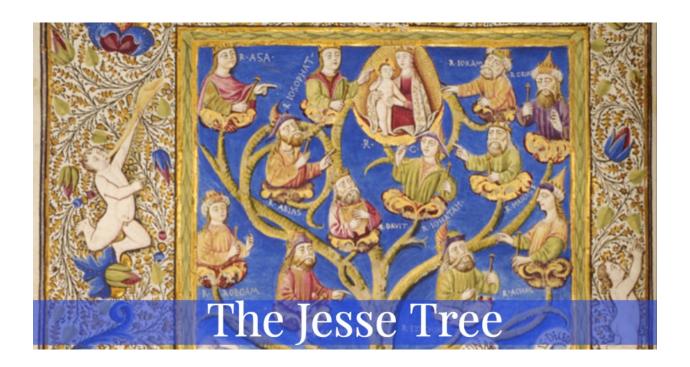
OCEAN SHORES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICE

December 4, 2022



Rev. Angela Renecker, Pastor

OCEAN SHORES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

2nd Sunday of Advent December 4, 2022

WELCOME

PRELUDE

Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

As we prepare to grow with God,

We nurture love and understanding.

As we prepare to grow with Christ,

We bring forth justice and peace.

As we prepare to grow in Spirit,

We live the promises of Christmas, Promises of love, hope, and peace.

*OPENING HYMN

Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus UMH 196

*INVOCATION (Unison)

O God, in Jesus you revealed to us your spirit. Now send your spirit upon us. Too long we have judged by the sight of our eyes and decided by the hearing of our ears. Too long we have shunned wisdom and understanding. Now we pray for the descent of your spirit, that we might see with our eyes, hear with our ears, and understand with our hearts. Then we shall turn from our selves to you and our neighbor.

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLES

SONG Light the Advent Candle FWS 2090 Verse 1

PSALM (Responsive) Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Isaiah 11:1-10

NEW TESTAMENT READINGS: Romans 15:4-13

Matthew 3:1-12

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God!

MESSAGE

HYMN Star-Child FWS 2095

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH 886

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS OFFERTORY

*RESPONSE Doxology UMH 95

PRAYER

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS PRAYER
THE 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 trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory,
forever. Amen.

HOLY COMMUNION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING FORTH O Come, O Come Emmanuel UMH 211 **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

*Indicates stand if you are able

Music: Janice Nations Readers: Barbara White,

Song Leader: Rev. Betty Chamberlain

Videographers: Frank Mutak, Glenda Swindler

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If you or yours seek pastoral support, please contact Pastor Angela at Galilean 360.289.3313.

Advent Services at Galilean— Saturday, Dec. 24, 7:00 Joint Christmas Eve Service Wednesdays at 6:00 pm, Mid-Week Advent Service