

REYNOLDS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday, January 1, 2012

Organ Prelude and Acolyte Service *Organist*

The Ringing of the Bells

Greeting

Lighting the Advent Candle

***Hymn of Praise:** Come Now is the Time to Worship *Power Point*

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer *Gene Brake*

Time with our Reynolds UMC Youth: *Kathy Clark*

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

***Singing of Our Doxology** 95

***Offering Prayer**

***Call to Worship:**

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

P: And also with you.

L: In many and various ways God spoke of old to our ancestors through the prophets.

P: But in these last days God has spoken to us by a Son, whom he appointed to be the heir of all things, through whom he also created the world.

L: Rejoice in the Lord, Oh you righteous, and give thanks to his holy name; for to us has come a Savior, Christ the new born King.

***Opening Hymn:** Jesus, Name above All Names

New Testament Reading: Luke 2: 22-40 *Lois Heimbaugh*

Message: Christmas is The Christ *Pastor Alan Meyer*

***Hymn of Response:** Holy, Holy, Holy

The Sacrament of Holy Communion *Communion Steward: Barb Uphoff*

***Closing Hymn:** Shine *Power Point*

Spoken Benediction

Postlude *Organist*

If you do not have a "Church Home" in our area, please prayerfully consider making Reynolds United Methodist Church your home church.

Please join us for our Coffee Fellowship immediately following worship.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please continue to pray for healing for those in our congregation who are sick – including Pastor Al & Linda.

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

INDIVIDUALS: Ashlynn Riley, 6 yr old Emma, Baby Molly, Bill & Paula Kunkel, Debbie VanDyke, Donald Adams, Ed & Kristen Riley, Gladys Linebaugh, , Jerry Ford & family, Jim Steder, Keith Long, Marie Kurz's Niece, Marion Berry, Mike Olmstead, Nancy Eggers, Neil Miller, Paula Vogeler, Pastor Al & Linda Meyer, Terry Hunley, Tina(Keith Morge's niece), and a young woman recently diagnosed with brain cancer.

ALSO: Families who have recently lost loved ones, the homeless, the unemployed, All Members of the Armed Services and Families who have lost loved ones while serving in the Armed forces, Needy Families, & Unspoken Requests.