WELCOME TO SNYDER’S CHURCH

*To all who are weary and need rest; to all who are lonely and desire companionship; to all who mourn and want comfort; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who rejoice and celebrate Christ; and to whomsoever will come ….Snyder’s Church opens its doors. Welcome!*

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FACEBOOK & YOUTUBE LIVE

Streaming On Facebook and YouTube Live starting at 8:50 am Sundays On The Snyder’s UMC Facebook and YouTube Pages!

**CHURCH SIGN ~ HEBREWS 10:23**

*Let Us Hold Fast The Confession Of Our Hope*

*Without Wavering, For He Who Promised Is Faithful;*

THANKS TO OUR WORSHIP HELPERS

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| December 4, 2022 |  | December 11, 2022 |
| Diana Payne | Accompanist | Diana Payne |
| Gloria Diehl  Joe & Quinten Slaseman | Advent Wreath  Reading | Linda Cooper  Roxie Aldrich |
| Sharon Graham | Liturgist | Barb Perkins |
| **Pastor Jeff** | Children Chat | **Pastor Jeff** |
| **Dwayne Beaston** | Greeter | **Dwayne Beaston** |
| **George Stuck Jr** | A/V Tech | **Mike Hartley** |

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING- NOVEMBER 27 2022

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| Tithes & Offerings | Attendance  48  Facebook\YouTube  27 | Weekly Budget Needed |
| Offering | $ 1,103.00 | $ 1,396.00 |
| Paul Rice Mem. Fund | $ 210.00 | \*\*\*\* |
| Missions/Buckets | $ 15.00 | \*\*\*\* |
| Building Fund | $ 15.00 | \*\*\*\* |
| Total Giving | $ 1,343.00 | \*\*\*\* |

PRAYER CONCERNS

Baby Brynlee; Bill Baker; Art Hare; Eyvonne Stuck; Michael Spadafore; Cliff Ziegler; Joe Slaseman; Suzanne Foster; Sharon Peterson; The Ukrainian People; Our School Children; Elderly & Healthcare Workers; Unspoken Requests; Our Youth Ministry; US Troops; Our National, State, County and Local Officials; World Peace.

*2nd Sunday In Advent With Holy Communion*

*December 4, 2022*

*9:00 am Worship*

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*Order Of Worship*

INSPIRATIONAL REFERENCE

*“Pray to have eyes that see the best in people, a heart that forgives the worst, a mind that forgets the bad and a soul that never loses Faith In God!”*

PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

*Upon entry into our Sanctuary, we invite all worshipers to quiet meditation. Out of respect for others, we kindly ask that all cell phones and or pagers be either turned off or muted.*

**WELCOME VIDEO**

**PRELUDE**  *“Jesus, Name Above All Names”*

**ACOLYTE**

**ALLELUIA CHORUS**

**GREETING AND WELCOME** *Pastor Bill*

**\*OPENING HYMN** *“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” #169*

**ADVENT WREATH READING & LIGHTING**

*Gloria Diehl, Joe & Quinten Slaseman*

**ADVENT WREATH CHORUS** *“Advent Song”*

**PROGRESSIVE NATIVITY**  *Sharon Graham & Sharon Godshall*

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON**  *Sharon Graham*

*Psalm 72: 1-7, 18-19* *Pages 464-465*

**CALL TO WORSHIP**   *Sharon Graham*

**PRAYER TIME WITH JOYS AND CONCERNS:** *Pastor Jeff*

*(Please stand when expressing your joy or concern. After voicing your concern, please say “This is my prayer”, the congregation will respond “This is our prayer”.)*

**TIME OF PRAYER AND 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.”*

**HYMNS OF PRAISE**   *“I Wonder As I Wander” #183*

*“While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks By Night” #175*

**CHILDREN’S MOMENT** *Pastor Jeff*

**BUCKET BRIGADE**

**SPECIAL MUSIC CHOIR** *“Hark! the Herald Angels Sing” #184*

**MUSIC INTERLUDE FOR MEDITATION**

**MESSAGE BY PASTOR BILL** *“Prepare The Way!”*

**SCRIPTURES** *Romans 15: 4-13 Page 924*

*St. Matthew 3: 1-12 Page 784*

**HOLY COMMUNION**

**APOSTLES’ CREED**

***\**CLOSING** **HYMN**    *“More About Jesus” #477*

**\*BENEDICTION** *Pastor Bill*

**\*POSTLUDE**

*“If my people who are called by my name humble themselves, pray, seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.” II Chronicles 7:14 NRSV*

**BIBLE STUDY ON REVELATION**

Our Revelation Study will continue on **Monday evenings 6:30 to 7:30 pm** in the Social Hall of Snyder’s Church. We will meet on **Dec 5**, 12, 19**. NO Study on Dec. 26th.** We will resume on Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30and into Feb & March as needed. In the case of bad weather, we have the phone numbers of those attending and we will make phone calls before 5 PM on the Monday to announce no study that evening. We have approximately 38 registered for this special study led by “Chuck” Bretz and Ron Manley. Others are invited to join with us as we learn about the End of Times and God’s ultimate VICTORY over sin! Refreshments will be available.

**CALLING ALL MEMBERS AND ENTIRE CHURCH FAMILY**

As we continue to discern what we will do about possible disaffiliation with the UMC, all members and the entire church family are invited to a very special meeting **Next Sunday December 11 from 2 to 5 PM** in our social hall to receive information and then to ask the members present do we want to have a special Church Conference for the purpose of voting on disaffiliation.  At this meeting we will provide "mounds" of material and information and allow for ample time for questions.  If we decide to hold a special Church Conference, the District Superintendent will authorize such and a date and time for voting will be set, at which time only members present and voting will be held.  Plan to be with us on December 11th for this special meeting.