



Greeting

Songs of Praise

- First Reading: **Isaiah 61:10-62:3**
- Second Reading: **Galatians 4:4-7**
- Gospel Reading: **Luke 2:22-40**

Children's Moment

Sermon: **Watch Night** Rev. Roy

Response to the Word: **Affirmation**

Prayers of the People

The Great Thanksgiving

Hymn: **Angels from the Realms of Glory** #220

Sending Forth

- *In this new year, be grateful that God has given you victory over many things over the past year. — Steven M. Hitchcock*
- Our **Men's Fellowship Ministry** is back and currently organizing a breakfast gathering on **Sat., Jan. 13, 2024** at **Bob Evans** restaurant. — Email *Brent* at bsmith34116@yahoo.com for info.
- **Confirmation Classes** will start Wednesday, **Jan. 10th at 6 pm** with *Emily Weeks* and *Aaron* leading them.
- **Wanted...** New members for our **Care & Nurture Group** to help with visitation efforts — providing transportation and meals for those in need. Call Ruth Stirling at 239-455-9261 for more info.
- **2024 Stewardship Campaign** — We appreciate your support in the past... and we thank you for your continued support for our future. — Please take a moment to fill out a *commitment form* in the lobby and turn it in. We continue our sacred work together.
- **Stay tuned...** New **Prayer Study** with Rev. Roy starting January and **Blessing of the Animals** in February.
- *"We will open the book. Its pages are blank. We are going to put words on them ourselves. The book is called opportunity and its first chapter is New Year's Day." — Edith Lovejoy Pierce*



HAPPY
New Year
2024



TODAY

- During 10 am service... Kids are invited to join Lesley for **Godly Play** after Children's Moment.
- No **Engage** Youth Group meeting.

Tue. Jan. 2, 2024

- 6 pm Spiritual Solutions (AA)
- 6:30 pm Young Adult Ministry Group on **Zoom**
- 7:30 pm Praise Team Rehearsal

Thu. Jan. 4th

- *Thursdays @ Six* will resume on Jan. 11th.

Sat. Jan. 6th

- 7 pm Swamp Group (AA)

Mary and Joseph returned to their hometown, Nazareth in Galilee. The child grew up and became strong. He was filled with wisdom, and God's favor was on him.

– Luke 2:39,40 –

CORNERSTONE INFORMATION

Worship Sundays at 8 a.m. & 10 a.m. / 239-354-9160

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First Sunday After Christmas
December 31, 2023