



HARTVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

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To live, love, think, and act like Jesus

December 19, 2021
4th Sunday of Advent
J-n-K Service 10:30 am
Anthony DiMarco, Pastor
Moses Siakula, Worship Leader

Welcome/ Sign Time with Faith

Lighting of 4th Advent Candle

Scripture: Luke 1:26-38

Reader 1 O God, we light the fourth candle of Advent.
(With the first three candles burning, a family member lights the fourth candle.)

Reader 2 We hear your angel Gabriel and witness the faith of Mary. Fill us with your grace and light.

Reader 1 Mary was a young, strong, spiritual woman. Even though her life was not easy, she heard God's voice and said yes. Her song was a prayer that would uplift those who were downtrodden. Her lyrics shattered the proud and called the world to change. She would bear within her the promised child, Jesus, the Light of the World. This Advent, we respond to God's beckoning to us as well.

People *Revealing God, visit us and fill us with your Spirit. Bring your good news to life within us. Give us courage to carry your light into the injustices and shadows of this world. Amen.*

Hymn: "Away in a Manger" #194 Blue

Praise "Songs

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Scripture/Teaching: Luke 1:39-55 Pastor Anthony

Table Time

Prayer Time

*Closing Song

*Benediction

**Denotes congregation standing*

SERMON NOTES

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PHYSICAL NEEDS

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jim • Sue Campbell • Christopher Cane • Ed Fashbaugh • Karen Heinbuch 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jay Heinbuch • Linda Kuhn • Madison McGuire • Margaret & Gary Rush • Unspoken
Bold Names added December 12 or December 19	

Sermons & Scriptures

December 19 6:00pm "The Unused Gift" Titus 2:11-14
 December 26 Moses Siakula Preaching
 January 2 "Our Moral Compass" Ephesians 1:3-14
 January 9 "In Good Company" Isaiah 42:1-7
 January 16 "The Extended Mind" 1 Corinthians 12:1-11
 January 23 "Uncensored Libraries" Nehemiah 8:1-10
 January 30 Moses Siakula Preaching

Lake Area Clergy has invited all area churches to join in a cycle of prayer for churches in our area. This week, we are asked to lift in prayer **Advent Lutheran Church led by Bob Cheyney and Bethany Mennonite Church led by Matt Zook**. Please keep these in your prayers throughout the week. Thank you.



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CDs of the Service are available. Please see the Information Booth or call the office if you would like one.

Please be sure to check out the Information Booth for several new resources. Please check back often as items are added regularly. All items are FREE.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday December 19 thru Sunday December 26

SUN	9:30am	Morning Devotion
	10:30am	Worship Service
	6:00pm	Christmas Candlelight Service
MON		Leadership Reports Due
TUES	6:00pm	Boy Scouts
	7:00pm	Bible Study
FRI	4:00pm	Pursuit Friends Church
SAT		MERRY CHRISTMAS
SUN	9:30am	Morning Devotion
	10:30am	Worship Service

Please join us for our
CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT SERVICE
Tonight
Beginning at 6:00pm

PRAYER NEEDS

(Please fill out and place in offering plate.)

For: _____

Reason: _____

Submitted by: _____

Date: _____

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Guests! We are glad you have joined us this morning! Please stop by the Information Booth for a special Guest Pack and coffee mug.

SERVICE INFORMATION If anyone is interested in joining the service by zoom to be a part of table discussions, please let us know so we can get you information.

Please have all information for the January Newsletter to Barb today. Thank you.

Leadership Team Reports are due to Barb tomorrow, December 20. Remember, these reports are for the All-Church Council Meeting on January 9, 2022. Thank you.

Bible Study is held weekly on Tuesdays at 7:00pm at Pastor Anthony's home. The program entitled "Not a Fan" is exploring the difference of being a fan of Jesus and an actual follower. Everyone is welcome to join in.
Please note there is no Bible Study on Leadership Team Meeting evenings.

We will be serving meals to the hungry at the **Refuge of Hope**, 715 Second Street NE, Canton, **next Friday, December 31**. Volunteers are needed between the hours of 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM. See Faith to volunteer.

Gary Rush is in rehab at Altercare in Alliance. Please feel free to send cards or notes to:

Gary Rush
330-871-2485
Altercare of Louisville
7187 Saint Francis Street, Room 111
Louisville, OH 44641



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