

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Knowing Christ, Making Christ Known

**November 30, 2025
10:30 A.M. Contemporary**

**1st Sunday of Advent
HOPE**



GATHERING THOUGHT

"Friend, you are clothed in grace. You are a beloved child of the living God. God still plants dreams in our heads and hearts. God invites us to move forward toward a hopeful future. God gives new names. So, let us set our hopes high. Living into Advent means living into the hope that good news is coming."

-Rachel Billups, from *An Unlikely Advent*

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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WELCOME

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad in your pew)

CALL TO WORSHIP AND LIGHTING THE ADVENT CANDLE

Week One: Hope

Lighters: Sandra and Kyle Lanier

*Reader One: In a world longing for good news, we remember
God's promises.*

*Reader Two: Zechariah and Elizabeth, our ancestors in faith,
waited for years, longing for a child.*

Reader One: Their hope seemed gone, yet God was faithful.

Reader Two: The angels declare good news to them, and to us.

Reader One: Even in silence and uncertainty, God's Word brings life.

Reader Two: We trust that nothing is impossible with God.

*Reader One: Today we light the first candle of Advent,
the candle of Hope.*

Reader Two: As we light this candle, we proclaim:

**People: Our hope is in the Lord, who keeps promises
to God's people.**

Lighting of the Candle of Hope

Candle Lighting Song *Light Has Come* Dawn Hill, Sarah Kroger

What a wonder God is moving all around us lift your eyes
In the darkness of this weary world, Hope is starting to rise

*Refrain: God is with us, Behold His Son,
Dawn of glory, Light has come*

UNISON PRAYER

God of hope, we come with hearts open to your surprising grace. So often your promises can feel delayed and prayers seem unanswered. Lift our eyes to the signs of your presence among us, even in unlikely places and people. As we begin this new season of your good news in Christ, guide us by your Word and Spirit. You are the One who has come, you are with us now, and you are Lord of the future. Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE *The God We Love (Nicene Creed)* Psalm 104
Wendell Kimbrough

We believe in one God the Father, the Almighty the Maker of all
The One who rules the seen and unseen,
we believe and we adore
Jesus Christ one Lord of creation, from the Father begotten not made
He is the Light from Light eternal, And the God of every age

Refrain: *All glory to the Father now, All honor to the Son
And praise the Spirit now and always, This is the God we love.*

For this world and for our salvation,
he came down from the heavens above
Born of a virgin and the Spirit, Truly man and truly God
He was crucified under Pilate, suffered death and was laid in the grave
And in accordance with the scriptures, on the third he rose again
(Refrain)

And Christ has made his ascent into the heavens above
Where he sits at the Father's right hand now
But he will come back again and he will judge in truth
The Holy Spirit has come, Voice of the prophets of God
Sent to us, he has given us new life
Forgiven now and baptized, One holy church we rise, we rise

Now we wait to be resurrected, and we look for the world without end
This is our creed, our faith, our anthem
This is the God we love, this is the God we love (*Refrain 2x*)

This is the God we love

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

SONG

Pour Out Your Spirit

Tom Lane

Pour out your Spirit, Lord, on your people (3x)
Let it reign, let it reign

Pour out your mercy, Lord, on your people (3x)
Let it reign, let it reign

Pour out your fire, Lord, on your people (3x)
Let it reign, let it reign

Turn our hearts, Lord, to our children,
And every nation to the God of love and holiness
Let the fire of your Spirit burn
(*Repeat from beginning*)

Pour out your Spirit, Lord, on your people (4x)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

THOUGHT FOR CHILDREN

CONGREGATIONAL GREETING – “*The Peace of Christ*”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Shop for Hope

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever, Amen.

SHARING OUR GIFTS

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

O come, O come, Emmanuel and ransom captive Israel
That mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear

O come, Thou Wisdom from on high and order all things, far and nigh
To us the path of knowledge show and cause us in her ways to go

Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel, shall come to thee, O Israel
Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel, shall come to thee, O Israel

O come desire of nations, bind all peoples in one heart and mind
Bid envy, strife, and quarrels cease and be yourself our King of Peace

Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel, shall come to thee, O Israel
Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel, shall come to thee, O Israel

Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel, shall come to thee, O Israel
Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel, shall come to thee, O Israel

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 1:5-17; 57-66 (Pew Bible pg. 830-832)

In the days of King Herod of Judea, there was a priest named Zechariah, who belonged to the priestly order of Abijah. His wife was a descendant of Aaron, and her name was Elizabeth. Both of them were righteous before God, living blamelessly according to all the commandments and regulations of the Lord. But they had no children, because Elizabeth was barren, and both were getting on in years.

Once when he was serving as priest before God and his section was on duty, he was chosen by lot, according to the custom of the priesthood, to enter the sanctuary of the Lord and offer incense. Now at the time of the incense-offering, the whole assembly of the people was praying outside. Then there appeared to him an angel of the Lord, standing at the right side of the altar of incense. When Zechariah saw him, he was terrified; and fear overwhelmed him.

But the angel said to him, 'Do not be afraid, Zechariah, for your prayer has been heard. Your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you will name him John.

You will have joy and gladness, and many will rejoice at his birth, for he will be great in the sight of the Lord. He must never drink wine or strong drink; even before his birth he will be filled with the Holy Spirit. He will turn many of the people of Israel to the Lord their God. With the spirit and power of Elijah he will go before him, to turn the hearts of parents to their children, and the disobedient to the wisdom of the righteous, to make ready a people prepared for the Lord.'

Now the time came for Elizabeth to give birth, and she bore a son. Her neighbours and relatives heard that the Lord had shown his great mercy to her, and they rejoiced with her.

On the eighth day they came to circumcise the child, and they were going to name him Zechariah after his father.

But his mother said, 'No; he is to be called John.' They said to her, 'None of your relatives has this name.' Then they began motioning to his father to find out what name he wanted to give him. He asked for a writing-tablet and wrote, 'His name is John.' And all of them were amazed. Immediately his mouth was opened and his tongue freed, and he began to speak, praising God. Fear came over all their neighbours, and all these things were talked about throughout the entire hill country of Judea. All who heard them pondered them and said, 'What then will this child become?' For, indeed, the hand of the Lord was with him.

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

An Unlikely Hope

Leah Hrachovec

SONG OF RESPONSE

Everlasting God

Isaiah 40:28-31

Benton Brown & Ken Riley

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord.
Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord.

Our God, you reign forever, our hope, our Strong Deliverer.

Refrain: *You are the everlasting God, the everlasting God
You do not faint, you won't grow weary.
(repeat from beginning)*

*You're the defender of the weak, you comfort those in need
You lift us up on wings like eagles.*

Our God, you reign forever, our hope, our Strong Deliverer.

Refrain: *You are the everlasting God, the everlasting God
You do not faint, you won't grow weary
You're the defender of the weak, you comfort those in need
You lift us up on wings like eagles.*

From everlasting, to everlasting, God, you are everlasting.

BENEDICTION

SONG OF SENDING

Everlasting God

Isaiah 40:28-31

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O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

Sara Groves

Everlasting God

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Worship Times:
9:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

WELCOME VISITORS! We are glad you are here today. To help us welcome you personally, please sign the *Friendship Pad* with your name, address, email and/or phone number.

If you are interested in knowing more about being a follower of Jesus, have any questions, or desire follow-up information, please speak to one of the pastors. Following worship, they can be found greeting at the doors of the sanctuary.

The next new members' class will be held on **Sunday, February 1, 2026 from 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.** Childcare available if requested by Jan. 25. Register on the website or call the church office.

LECTIONARY PASSAGES: Isaiah 2:1-5 *and Psalm 122*; Romans 13:11-14; Matthew 24:36-44

NARRATIVE LECTIONARY: Daniel 3:1-30

NURSERY CARE (6 months thru 4 years old) is available **until 11:45am** in Room 109.

YOUNG CHILDREN & WORSHIP. Children (pre-K thru grade 5) are dismissed to the Chapel after the Thought for Children. Dismissal time is 11:40am.

WORSHIP BAND: Jon Frost, acoustic guitar; Tim Evers, bass guitar; Andy Reid, drums; Tom Russell, keys; Mark Beazley, piano; Lauren Coffey and Elissa Mauro, vocals

USHERS: Grant Merrill and Joan Cloutman

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Ministers of Jesus Christ
Pastors
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All the Members of the Congregation
Eric Dorville, Jon Frost, Leah Hrachovec
Emily Chudy
Bob Young



WORSHIP INFORMATION

WEEKLY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday Morning in the Sanctuary

9:00am – Traditional worship

10:30am – Contemporary worship with band

Wednesday Morning in the Chapel

9:10-9:30am – Prayer and Communion worship

CARING FOR OUR SANCTUARY – We ask that you refrain from bringing food and drink into our Sanctuary to protect our carpet.

PHONE MINISTRY – Calling in for Worship is offered for those who want to listen to the 9:00 am service by phone. Contact Nancy Christy at 610-696-3284 for dialing instructions.

A REMOTE TV MONITOR is in the Quiet Room (just outside the sanctuary in the west hallway) to view and hear worship in progress for those with restless children or who need to leave the sanctuary.

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available for worship at the Information Center in the Narthex. Additionally, the sanctuary is equipped with an induction loop system that transmits to hearing aids and cochlear implants with telecoils. **PEW CUSHIONS** also available at the Information Center.

PRAY GROUNDS ARE LOCATED along the sides of our Sanctuary and are geared towards young children to engage in items from the cart during worship. This allows a space more suitable for them to be a part of the worship service.

LIVE STREAMING of our services is offered over the internet. A service bulletin for worship may be found through the link on our website or in the weekly update. We invite you to join us at westminsterpc.org when not able to attend worship.

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PRAYER MINISTRY members receive a weekly list of prayer requests via email and members include them in their conversations with God. To have a prayer request included in the Prayer Ministry or to become a member, contact Janet Gauger at mailer@churchcenteronline.com or the church office.

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION is celebrated the first Sunday of every month in all services. If you desire or know of someone desiring **HOME COMMUNION**, please contact Eric Dorville, Transitional Associate Pastor at 610-399-3377 ext. 109.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM is celebrated the **third Sunday of every month**. Our **BAPTISM CLASS** is offered the last Sunday of each month, except December, at 10:00 a.m. in the Library. Starting Sunday, January 25, Baptism Class will be held at 11:45 a.m. in the Library. Children are welcome to attend the class.

NEWS AND EVENTS

November 30, 2025



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ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The Advent and Christmas season are right around the corner and there are several opportunities for you and your household to be part of the behind-the-scenes magic.

Opportunities include:

- Help decorate the church building for the season.
- Volunteer with a team for our wonderful Advent Night.
- Help stuff candles for Christmas Eve
- Help illuminate our church entrance for Christmas Eve with luminaries!

For each opportunity, you will see the date and time frame as well as a brief description of the position.

You are welcome to sign up for more than one slot! **Make sure you make a selection for each person participating. bit.ly/AdventVolunteer25**

Thanks for being part of the magic of the season!

ADVENT NIGHT EVENT

5:00-6:30 pm Sunday, November 30 • Spellman Hall

Join us for an evening of fellowship, fun, and hope as we walk into the journey of Advent.

5:00-5:15pm: Gathering, Fellowship, & Table Activities

- **5:15-6:00 pm: Dinner**
Suggested donation: \$5/person; \$10/family
- **6:00-6:45 pm: Activities in Spellman Hall**
- **6:45-7:00 pm: Closing Carol Sing**

ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING

Anyone interested in participating in lighting the advent candle at either Traditional or Contemporary service may sign up by copying the link into a browser.

bit.ly/AdventCandles25

GET YOUR CHRISTMAS CONCERT TICKETS!

7:30PM FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12,

3:00PM SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13

3:00 & 6:00PM, DECEMBER 14 (3:00PM LIVE STREAMED)

Concerts last about an hour. Tickets are free but are required to avoid overcrowding. There is a limit of 6 tickets per reservation. A \$25 donation per ticket is suggested. If groups are interested in more than 6 tickets, please contact the church office. Unused tickets will be released 15 minutes before the program begins. Childcare is available at the afternoon concerts by reservation. Contact Mary Maina to reserve space for your child(ren).

Ordering tickets is online only on our website. Go to westminsterpc.org, at the top of the page within the blue banner, Alert 1/4, click on **Reserve Your Tickets Now.**

WESTMINSTER'S GIVING TREE ONLINE

The need for gift donations is even greater this year and we need your help to share God's love at Christmas! The Gifts for each organization are posted on separate links: Pocopson Nursing Home, Migrant Ministries, and a separate link which includes Domestic Violence Center, Family Promise, and Bridge of Hope. Simply type the specific link for the gifts you wish to purchase, and follow the directions provided.

Please drop off your gifts in the narthex by the Giving Tree on Sunday, November 30 and Sunday, December 7. We will be delivering the gifts on Wednesday, December 10, let us know if you need to make other arrangements for drop off.

Please take time to visit these links with your family and friends and help to make this holiday season special for those in need. For questions or assistance with gift delivery, please contact Angela Emrich at ang.emrich@gmail.com or Debbie Zakarian at dzakarian@verizon.net.

Migrant Ministries - bit.ly/Migrant25

Pocopson Nursing Home - bit.ly/Pocopson25

DVCCC, FPSCC and BoH - bit.ly/GivingCards25

SHOP FOR HOPE: AN ALTERNATIVE CHRISTMAS MARKET

Sunday, December 7 | 9:30 AM – 1:00 PM | Spellman Hall

This Christmas, celebrate the season of giving in a meaningful, sustainable way! Join us for **Shop for Hope**, Westminster's annual **Alternative Christmas Market**, where you'll find thoughtful gifts that give back — and inspire hope around the world.

Explore creative ideas for **alternative and eco-friendly gifts, beautiful sustainable wrapping**, and **charities and organizations** you can support this season.

You'll also find **handmade treasures from our Westminster children, fair-trade olive oil, and fun activities for kids.**

Come share in the joy of giving that truly matters — gifts that bring hope to others and warmth to your heart.

"Maybe Christmas," he thought, "doesn't come from a store.

Maybe Christmas... perhaps... means a little bit more."

— Dr. Seuss, *The Grinch Who Stole Christmas*

BLOOD DRIVE IN JANUARY



Friday, January 9, 2026

11:00 am to 4:00 pm., Spellman Hall

Use redcrossblood.org to register using the code WPC.

POINSETTIAS

You can help us adorn our sanctuary with poinsettia plants this Christmas. If you'd like to order a poinsettia plant in memory of or in honor of a loved one or friend, contact Barb Drain

at bdrain@westminsterpc.org or 610-399-3377 ext. 100 with your name and the dedication you would like listed in the

bulletin. **Cost is \$10.** Make checks payable to Westminster Presbyterian Church (with poinsettia on memo line) and drop off in the church office. Session also encourages those who wish to

contribute to the **Endowment Fund** in memory or honor of a loved one or friend to do so; names will also be listed.



THE CHOSEN SMALL GROUP

Join us in January and February for The Chosen, an engaging small group where we'll watch and discuss Season 2 of the groundbreaking TV series about the life of Jesus. Each week, we will discuss one of eight episodes together and experience the story of Jesus and his followers in a fresh way. If you want to deepen your understanding of the Gospels and share meaningful moments with others on this journey then this group is for you! **Meet either Monday nights at 7pm in person at Westminster, or Wednesday nights at 7pm Virtual on zoom.** Whether you're new or returning, everyone is welcome—bring a friend! For more information or to sign up, email mcfallsdiane@gmail.com or visit our church website (Events section). Source: The Chosen. <https://watch.thechosen.tv/>

JOIN US IN THE WEST CHESTER CHRISTMAS PARADE!

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, GATHERING AT 5:30 PM

Is participating in a parade on your bucket list ... or have you done it before and long to do it again? Westminster will have a float in the West Chester Hometown Christmas Parade. Led by the Chancel Choir, we seek up to 100 singers and friends to participate. Participants will either be seated on chairs on a flatbed truck or walk beside the truck. The flatbed will be decorated with banners welcoming the community to attend Westminster's Christmas Concerts and Christmas Worship Services. Accompanied by a recording, we will sing first verses of well-known Christmas Carols. Individuals and families are encouraged to participate or come watch and cheer us on! To learn more or register, use bit.ly/WPCParade25

ALL PLAY for CHRISTMAS



Calling all Orchestra & Concert Band Instrumentalists!

Play Christmas Music on December 28
10:00am worship service

Rehearse on December 22
7:00-8:30pm

Youth welcome!

Questions?
Kirsten Santos Rutschman
krutschman@westminsterpc.org

REGISTER HERE



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ALL PLAY FOR CHRISTMAS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28

(10:00 service) Do you play a band or orchestra instrument? Play Christmas music in worship on December 28. Rehearsal is on Monday, December 22 (7:00pm). Questions/Sign up: krutschman@westminsterpc.org

A VERY WESTMINSTER WORSHIP COLLECTIVE

Christmas Concert vol. 2 - Home

4:00 pm Saturday, December 6 • Sanctuary

Join the Westminster Worship Collective (Contemporary Worship Team) for a free festive concert of Christmas music exploring the theme "Home." Selections will include both popular and sacred favorites as well as new songs for the season. Stick around afterwards for a reception with light holiday refreshments. Enter this link to get your free tickets.

bit.ly/Collective2home

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Footsteps Walking Group Upcoming Walks

Sunday, 12/7, 2:00pm Ridley Creek State Park, Media

Sunday 1/11, 2:00pm The Laurels Preserve, Coatesville

Advent Devotional - Interested in a daily devotional this Advent? Go to the website and download one as a resource for spending quiet time with God through a daily scripture reading, reflection and prayer in preparation of the celebration of God coming among us through the birth of Jesus Christ. If you'd like a physical copy, they can be found in Café 10 West or in the Narthex.

Scripture Seekers: Prophecies filled by Jesus-

This December, we'll be discovering the inspiring connections between Old Testament prophecies, like Isaiah 53, and how they were fulfilled in the life of Jesus Christ. Join us on **Monday nights—December 1, 8, and 15 at 7pm.** For more information or to sign up, simply email mcfallsdiane@gmail.com or visit our church website (Events section). We can't wait to welcome you!

Alzheimer's/Dementia Support Group. If you are a loved one supporting someone with Alzheimer's/Dementia, please join us! Our meeting is usually on the fourth Tuesday of each month. This month's meeting is moved to December 2 at 6 PM at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Room 414 (in person or on Zoom). Email Page Hinkle at phinkle@brandywineECM.com for Zoom link. **Our next meeting is Tuesday, December 2 at 6:00pm. (One time change)**

Westminster's Library- Stop in to see the "Giving Thanks" display. While there, feel free to check out any books or DVDs of interest. Please remember to check out materials taken. Also, a complete list of books still missing from our inventory can be found in the library.

Thrift Shop News - The Westminster Thrift Shop Board of Directors, at their recent November board meeting, unanimously passed a motion to donate \$10,000 to the Thrift Shop Mission Fund, the recipients being: West Chester Senior Center, ACT now (formerly Act in Faith) and the Chester County Housing Authority Fuel Assistance. We have been able to donate the following monies, just over the past three years: \$16,000 in 2023; \$35,000 in 2024 (recognizing the thrift shop's 35 years in business); and \$10,000 in 2025, with a total of 14 organizations being recipients. The Westminster Thrift Shop's mission statement is: to promote quality recycled merchandise at affordable prices to local families; to care for creation by providing an outlet for recycled goods. With God's blessings in 2026, the Westminster Thrift Shop will continue to provide much needed funding for organizations in need, surpassing our present grand total of \$394,000. Thank you for your generous donations and support.

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October 2025

General Fund – Mission and Church Operations

Year To Date	Actual	Favorable/ Budget (Unfavorable)	
Pledged Revenue	\$1,548,406	\$1,587,000	(2.5%)
Non-pledged giving	\$ 206,861	\$ 207,000	-
Other Revenue	\$ 167,415	\$ 227,127	(26.3%)
Total Revenue	\$1,922,682	\$2,021,127	(4.9%)
Total Expenses	\$2,014,094	\$2,043,860	1.5%
Net Surplus (Deficit)	\$ (91,412)	\$ (22,733)	N/A

Pledged giving rebounded nicely in October and was helped by the large gift received early in the month. The hope is that November and December end strong, similar to last year when we received \$390k, and narrows the projected deficit. Facility revenue has been strong the past two months and is close to budget, one outlier to the grouping (Per Capita, Investment Income, Special Offerings, Cash in Plate, etc.) that has underperformed this year.

Expenses would otherwise be over budget were it not for Personnel which has come in under budget every year since the first year I started in 2013. The main contributor is the budgeting of a Spiritual Care Director to begin in September, but this position has not yet been filled. Property remains well above plan due to Security, Landscaping, Snow Removal, Energy, and the Repairs & Maintenance budget lines.

Offering Figures for 11/23/25 (including online giving)

General Fund-Sunday Svc/Mailed/Online	\$58,219.42
Endowment	10,00.00
Music Concert Fund	300.30
Directed – Living Waters	85.00
Pastor’s Discretionary Fund	1,000.00
Food Drive	1,925.00
Music Supply Fund	<u>250.00</u>
Total	70,779.72

Attendance: 11/23/25

In Person	398
Phone	5
Live Stream	<u>449</u>
Total	852

**For questions about any of our activities or events,
visit the website at westminsterpc.org or call the
church office.**

FOOD FOR OUR NEIGHBORS

DECEMBER– HOT CEREALS, OATMEAL & GRITS

Calendar for the Week of November 30

Sunday, November 30

- 8:15 A.M. Nursery care (109)
- 9:00 A.M. Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
- 9:00 A.M. Kids Connect/ Wee Connect (Various Rooms)
- 10:00 A.M. Baptism Class (Library)
- 10:15 A.M. Journey Class (Spellman Jr.)
- 10:30 A.M. Contemporary Worship (Sanctuary)
- 10:30 A.M. Children and Worship (Chapel)
- 4:30 A.M. Children’s Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 5:00 P.M. Advent Event (Churchwide)
- 5:00 P.M. Youth Choir (Music Room)
- 5:30 P.M. Youth Group (407)
- 6:00 P.M. Mourning Star Grief Support (Library)

Monday, December 1

- 9:00 A.M. Thrift Shop Workday
- 10:00 A.M. Book Discussion (Library)
- 11:30 P.M. Women's Retreat Planning Meeting (Spellman Jr.)
- 1:00 P.M. Racial Allies (Library)
- 7:00 P.M. Scripture Seekers (414)
- 7:00 P.M. Outreach Committee (Spellman Jr.)

Tuesday, December 2

- 7:00 A.M. Parent Support Group (407)
- 9:30 A.M. Tuesday Fellowship Group (Spellman Jr.)
- 9:30 A.M. Women's Small Group Bible Study (407)
- 10:00 A.M. Thrift Shop open until 3PM
- 12:00 P.M. Stitch Unto Others (Quiet Room)
- 6:00 P.M. Alzheimer's/Dementia Group (414)
- 7:00 P.M. Nominating Committee Mtg (Zoom)

Wednesday, December 3

- 9:10 A.M. Chapel Communion Service (Chapel)
- 9:45 A.M. Women's Weekly Bible Study (Spellman Jr.)
- 10:00 A.M. Thrift Shop open until 3PM
- 6:00 P.M. Children's Christmas Rehearsal (Chapel)
- 6:30 P.M. Worship Collective Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 6:45 P.M. Chancel Ringers Handbell Rehearsal (Spellman)
- 7:00 P.M. Gathering of Men (Spellman Jr.)
- 7:00 P.M. Care for Creation Meeting (414)

Thursday, December 4

- Thrift Shop Closed
- 10:00 A.M. Tech Time with Lynn (Zoom)
- 7:00 P.M. Boy Scouts (Spellman Hall)
- 7:00 P.M. Celebrate Recovery (414)
- 7:00 P.M. Chancel Choir (Music Room)

Friday, December 5

- 10:00 A.M. Thrift Shop Open until 3PM

Saturday, December 6

- 7:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study Breakfast (407)
- 9:00 A.M. Thrift Shop Open until noon
- 4:00 P.M. Worship Collective Christmas Concert

Sunday, December 7

- 8:15 A.M. Nursery care (109)
- 9:00 A.M. Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
- 9:00 A.M. Kids Connect/ Wee Connect (Various Rooms)
- 9:30 A.M. Shop for Hope (Spellman Hall)
- 10:15 A.M. Journey Class (Spellman Jr.)
- 10:30 A.M. Contemporary Worship (Sanctuary)
- 10:30 A.M. Children and Worship (Chapel)
- 12:00 P.M. Children's Christmas Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 5:00 P.M. Taizé Service (Chapel)
- 5:00 P.M. Youth Choir (Music Room)
- 5:30 P.M. Youth Group (407)
- 6:00 P.M. Mourning Star Grief Support (Library)