



Lebanon Presbyterian Church

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Choir Director
Pianist
Organists

Augie Hurst
Tom Wilson
Mike Spicuzza
Tom Mikulin
Stephanie Gault
Linda Stevens
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Mike & Kat Peterson
Kathy Heim
Bailey Mantzell
Marge Burgoon

Session of Elders: Tom Inman, Patti George, Marshall McConnell, Brad Latimer, Tom Mikulin, Jackie Marquardt, Tom Wilson, Mike Spicuzza, Augie Hurst.

LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETINGS AT LEBANON:

- Session of Elders: Wednesday, January 10 at 7:00 pm
- Financial Management Team: Monday, January 8 at 6:00 pm
- Children's Ministry Team: Tuesday, January 9 at 7:00 pm
- Youth Ministry Team: Sunday, January 7 at 7:00 am

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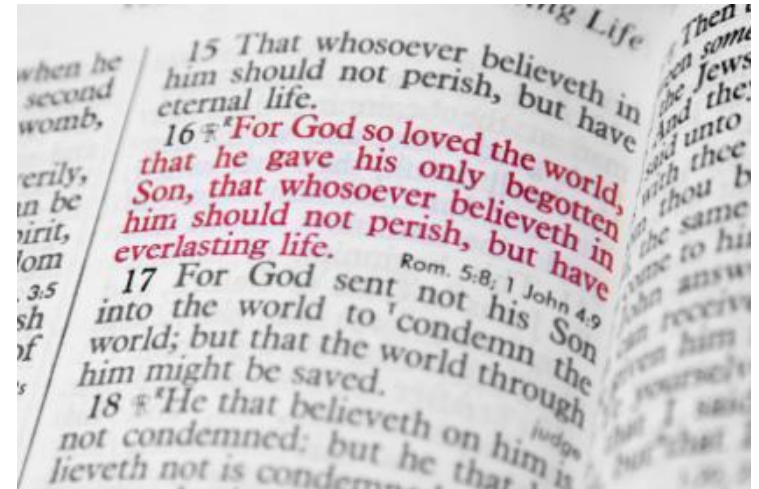


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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

December 24, 2017 (7:00 pm)



A Red-Letter Christmas!

"This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but men loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil."

(John 3:19)

WORSHIP SERVICE REMINDERS:

Welcome to Lebanon: We are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us this evening. Welcome cards are located in the pews. Please feel free to use this card to introduce your family to us, submit a prayer request, or to even let the little ones scribble! Completed cards can be placed in the offering plates, as they pass by during the service.

A Candlelight Service: Tonight's candlelight service features a time for each person to light a candle. Candles are available in the front lobby upon arrival and will be lit during the singing of Silent Night. Please use caution while your candle is lit, being mindful of others around you. Gently extinguish your candle when prompted, taking care not to splash hot wax.

Families with Children: Children of all ages are encouraged to participate in our candlelight service this evening. Please use parental discretion when permitting a child to hold a lit candle. If necessary, parents are welcome to stay with their infant or toddler in the nursery, located in the overflow area, adjacent to the sanctuary. An audio feed of the service is provided in the nursery for your convenience.

Cell Phones & Wifi: Please silence your cell phone prior to the start of the service. Feel free to use our "Lebanon Wifi" - passcode: 7243474752.

Songs of Praise: Please feel free to sing or simply listen to the songs featured in this evening's service. Lyrics to all songs can be found on the screen in front; hymn selections can also be found in the red hymnals located in the pews. Large print hymnals are available in the front lobby.

Presentation of Offerings: An offering will be collected during our candlelight service this evening. This is a time for the friends and family of Lebanon to support our ministry together through monetary gifts and tithes. Thank you all for your faithful gifts and generosity.

Scripture Reading & Sermon: Here at Lebanon, we believe that the Bible is the Word of God and our only authority for life and faith in Jesus Christ. As such, the focus of each service of worship is the reading of scripture, followed by the preaching of a sermon.

Sacrament of Communion: Communion is celebrated here at Lebanon on the first Sunday of every month throughout the year. Access to the Lord's Supper is a privilege given to all who trust in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. All who come to the table in faith, repentance and love are offered the bread and cup, regardless of age and understanding.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE (7:00 pm)

** Please Stand*

The Gathering of God's People:

Lighting the Advent Wreath

John 1:1-5

* Song of Praise

"It Came upon the Midnight Clear" (#128)

* Gathering Prayer

"The Lord's Prayer"

* Congregational Greeting

At this time, please take a moment to greet those around you; a suggested greeting may include the phrase, "Peace be with you."

The Proclamation of God's Word:

Welcome & Announcements

Invitation to Children

Prayers & Offerings

Song of Praise

"Away in a Manger" (#157)

The Birth of Jesus Christ

Luke 2:1-20

* Song of Praise

"What Child Is This?" (#137)

Scripture Reading

John 3:16-21

Sermon

A Red-Letter Christmas

The Sending of God's People:

Candlelight Service

"Silent Night" (#147)

* Words of Blessing

* Song of Praise

"O Holy Night" (#148)

Thank you for worshipping with us this evening. As you are dismissed, please take a moment to greet those around you with a word of blessing. Candles may be returned to the baskets located in the front lobby.