## December 15, 2024 Third Sunday of Advent

WELCOME

**PRELUDE** 

THE LIGHTING OF THE THIRD ADVENT CANDLE The Roberts Family

Musical Response: Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates #213

CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Isaiah 12:2, 5-6)

\*HYMNS Angels from the Realms of Glory #220
It Came Upon the Midnight Clear #218

OFFERING
Offertory
\*Doxology

MORNING PRAYER w/ the Lord's Prayer

Sermon Series: His Name Shall Be Called **MESSAGE** "Everlasting Father"

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PLAY (See Red Insert)

BENEDICTION

### **Today's Worship Team:**

Minister: Pastor Paul Kisner
Music Director: Kristin Dow
Audio/ Video: Dawn Kisner
Acolytes: Finn Like & Kylie Hay
Audio/ Video: Dawn Kisner

Pianist: Alaina Miller Vocalist: Barb Cook



December 24 at 6:30 pm

### This Week at Crawfordville UMC

12/17	Finance meeting at 6:30 pm
	Church Council at 7:15 pm
12/18	Food Pantry at 1 pm
	Dinner and Family Ministry Christmas Party at 6 pm
12/19	Prayer Group 10 am (Fellowship Hall)
	UWF Night Circle Christmas Party at 6:30 pm

# **Announcements**



## December 15: Annual Christmas Cookie Exchange following the service.

Join us in the fellowship hall following the Children's Play for delicious Christmas Cookies.



Order your poinsettias for \$15 each using the insert in the bulletin. Please mark the envelope or check with the word "Poinsettias."

#### **December 18: Family Ministry Christmas Party**

This Wednesday there will be Christmas Fun for the whole family as we enjoy a time of food and games during our last Wonderful Wednesday of the year.

# **December 29: Christmas Hymn Sing**

Join us for the first Sunday of Christmas as we celebrate the birth of Christ with a special service of beloved Christmas hymns.

#### December 12 and 17: The Capital Chordsmen's Christmas concert

at the Senior Center in Tallahassee, 1400 N Monroe Street; 7 PM both evenings. Tickets are available at the door, \$10 for adults and \$5 for students and children.

#### Helpful Information

**The Nursery** is available for infants and toddlers during Sunday School and worship and is staffed by screened attendants. The nursery is across from the Sanctuary in the Fellowship Hall. An usher would be happy to show you the way.

**Children's Church** led by screened volunteers is available for pre-K to 5th grade children. Please go to the door labeled "B" when dismissed.

**Prayer Requests\*** 

Marge Kinder Family of Anne Vinson

Carol Hall Janice Williams

Family of Jaliyah Rochelle Family of Jake Thompson

Jim Stobaugh Carol Sheets

#### MISSIONAL VITAL SIGNS

12/8-12/14 Generosity

Worship Attendance: 90 2024 Expenses: \$187,067.46 Offering: \$5,795 2024 Expenses: \$ 190,531.88 Sunday School: 22 2024 Difference: -\$3,464.42

Wednesday Night Roof Loan: \$19,962.63

Children & Youth: 20

Crawfordville United Methodist Church Sunday School: 10:00 am Sunday Worship: 11:00 am

Rev. Paul Kisner - pastorpaul@crawfordvilleumc.org **Pastor:** 

941-716-4019

**Secretary:** Christy Hay - christy@crawfordvilleumc.org **Music Director:** Kristin Dow - music@crawfordvilleumc.org

Alaina Miller **Pianist:** 

**Church Office** 

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THIRD SUNDAY OF Advent

December 15, 2024

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Proclaim Christ Grow in Christ

Serve Christ

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<sup>\*</sup>Prayer requests will remain on the list for 4 weeks after which time you will need to resubmit the name.