

Lord's Day Worship

December 2, 2018

* (asterisk) Indicates *Please stand as you are able.*

PRAISE

*Call to Worship

*Hymn *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

*Prayer of Adoration & 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.

*Song *Hope Is Dawning*

Silent Praise & Thanksgiving

RENEWAL

Prayer of Confession (unison)

God of the future, you are coming in power to bring all nations under your rule. We confess that we have not expected your kingdom, for we live casual lives, ignoring your promised judgment. We accept lies as truth, exploit neighbors, abuse the earth, and refuse your justice and peace. In your mercy, forgive us. Grant us wisdom to welcome your way, and to seek things that will endure when Christ comes to judge the world. (silent prayer)

Words of Encouragement

Prayers of the People

Lighting of the Advent Candles

The Wilde Family

Announcements

COMMITMENT

Offering

Old Testament Reading Jeremiah 33:14-16

*Song *Emmanuel*

New Testament Reading Luke 21:25-36

Sermon "Stay Awake!"

Prayer

*Affirmation of Faith The Heidelberg Catechism (1563), Question 1

What is your only comfort in life and in death?

That I belong – body and soul, in life and in death – not to myself but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of his own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that he protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit his purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit, he also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

*Hymn *Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence*

The Lord's Supper

*Hymn *Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus*

*Benediction

*Dismissal

Church, where are you going?

We go forth to serve God's world as those who love our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

All glory to God!

“...so that Jesus Christ might come to have first place in everything.” Colossians 1:18 (b) NRSV

HAPPY 50th ANNIVERSARY to DAN & BARBARA PLETCHER! The Pletchers have provided anniversary cake for us and invite you to stay after the worship service to celebrate with them. CONGRATULATIONS!

2019 MISSION TRIP TO GUATAMALA. Interested in going? Call Mission Elder Mike McLain –he would love to chat with you! 208-724-7814.

Dec. 5 PASTOR PHIL’s ADVENT SOUP & BIBLE STUDY. 6:30-8:30 pm on Wednesdays through Dec. 19, at the Ustick Ministry Center.

Dec. 6 or 8 WOMEN’s MINISTRY “DEVOTIONS FOR CHRISTMAS”. All women welcome! Thursdays at 10:00 am OR Saturdays at 10:00 at the Ustick Ministry Center. Info. Rebecca 208-429-4155 relee@cableone.net

DEC. 2, 9, 16. PHOTO DIRECTORY UPDATING for 2019. Update your directory info in the foyer and if you don’t have a photo in the directory, or need to update your photo, just polish up your beautiful smile and we will snap a photo before/after worship.

DEC. 14. DEACON’s HOSTING ALL-CHURCH CHRISTMAS DESSERT at the Ministry Center 7:00-9:00 pm. Open-house style, come any time you like, stay as long as you wish. No formal program, just relaxed fellowship and desserts. Signup in the foyer if you would like to bring a dessert.

DEC 16. CONGREGATIONAL MEETING FOR ELECTION OF DEACONS. Please stay after the worship service to consider & vote on new deacon nominees.

DEC 24. CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP held at Marriott’s Courtyard 5:00 pm. 1789 S. Eagle Rd, Meridian (take Eagle Rd south; the first street south of Overland Road is Tarpon - turn right onto Tarpon Road to get into the Courtyard’s parking lot).

PRAYERS & PRAISES

EPC IDAHO CHURCHES. Reflections of Jesus, Meridian ID. now meeting in the Hampton Hotel on Sunday mornings.

OUR CHURCH MISSIONARIES. Shirley Killoosky in Papua New Guinea, unnamed others in sensitive areas of N. Africa (2), and Asia (4).



December 2, 2018 | Pastor Phil Moran
“Stay Awake!”
Luke 21:25-36

Christ Presbyterian Church Ministry Center 10280 W. Ustick Rd., Boise 83704
Pastor - Phil Moran | Music Director - Jeff Davis office@christpresboise.org
Ministry Center #391-4682 hrs: Tues. Closed, Wed. 8:30-2
www.christpresboise.org <https://www.facebook.com/christpresboise.org>