

Wallace Presbyterian Church

Community Advent Service
Thursday, December 6, 2018
12:05 p.m.

Prelude.....Vera Simpson

*Call to Worship

Leader: Keep alert, for the day is coming soon.

All: Now the earth and heavens tremble.

Leader: Pray for the gift of hope from God:

All: Shine in our lives, Lord Jesus Christ.

*Prayer (Unison)

Holy One, though the earth trembles and the stars shake like leaves, your Word will stand forever. Keep us watchful for the day when you will gather the faithful from all the ends of the earth, so that we may greet you in glory. Holy God, heaven and earth may pass away but your realm is eternal and your promise is sure. Leaven our hearts with hope as our redeemer draws near. Help us to heed the signs of the times, so that we may be ready to stand before Christ, our judge and savior; in whose powerful, glorious name we pray. Amen.

*Hymn #88

VENI EMMANUEL

“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” (verses 1, 6, 7)

Welcome and Announcements

Special Music.....Zach Casteen

Advent Meditation.....Rev. Carey Carlberg

*Prayers and Blessing of the Luncheon

*Postlude.....Vera Simpson

**All who are able may stand.*



Dr. Carey Carlberg is an ordained pastor and has served Christ's Kingdom as an educator, pastor, denominational executive, and church consultant. Having flunked retirement he has been pastoring in the UMC for the past four years. He was appointed to Wallace United Methodist Church in July of this year.



Our guest musician is Zach Casteen. Zach is a child of this church and now lives in Wallace with his wife Andrea, and two children, Adlyn Jo, and Clara Gray. He is a graduate of Campbell University, is a carpenter, and now serves part time as the youth director here at Wallace Presbyterian Church

We wish to thank the following who made this series of services possible for *Advent*:

The Worship and Music Ministry Team

Geneva Maready, Ann Carter, Dan Robinson

The Wallace Presbyterian Women: Luncheons

Carol Steen, Moderator

Gerri Hanson, Vice-Moderator

Advent: Ginny Blackney, Brenda Long, Tanya Robinson

A special thanks to:

Ann Carter, Greg & Geneva Maready, Curt Simpson, Tut Hall and Rick Batchelor for helping decorate the sanctuary.

Our speakers, musicians, ushers and persons involved in serving lunch each week.

**You are invited to a light lunch in the Currie Building immediately following the worship service. Please let those who are pressed for time be served first. Thank you!*



COMMUNITY ADVENT SERVICES

Wallace Presbyterian Church

Worship Service: 12:05 P.M.

Luncheon: 12:30 P.M.

THURSDAY, December 13, 2018

Special Program of Christmas Music

Karla Casteen, and Vera Simpson

Organist.....Vera Simpson

THURSDAY, December 20, 2018

Speaker.....Allison Cavanaugh

Special Music.....Carol Carr

Organist.....Vera Simpson



Christmas Music 2018

December 9, 2018 at 4:00 pm: Wallace United Methodist Church Handbell and Chancel Choir will present the Christmas Musical "*Almost There.*"

December 9, 2018, 5:00 pm: Wallace First Baptist Church will present a Mini Christmas Concert followed by a play entitled "*Casting Call.*"

December 20, 2018, 6:00 pm- Wallace First Baptist Church will present a Carols & Candlelight Service.

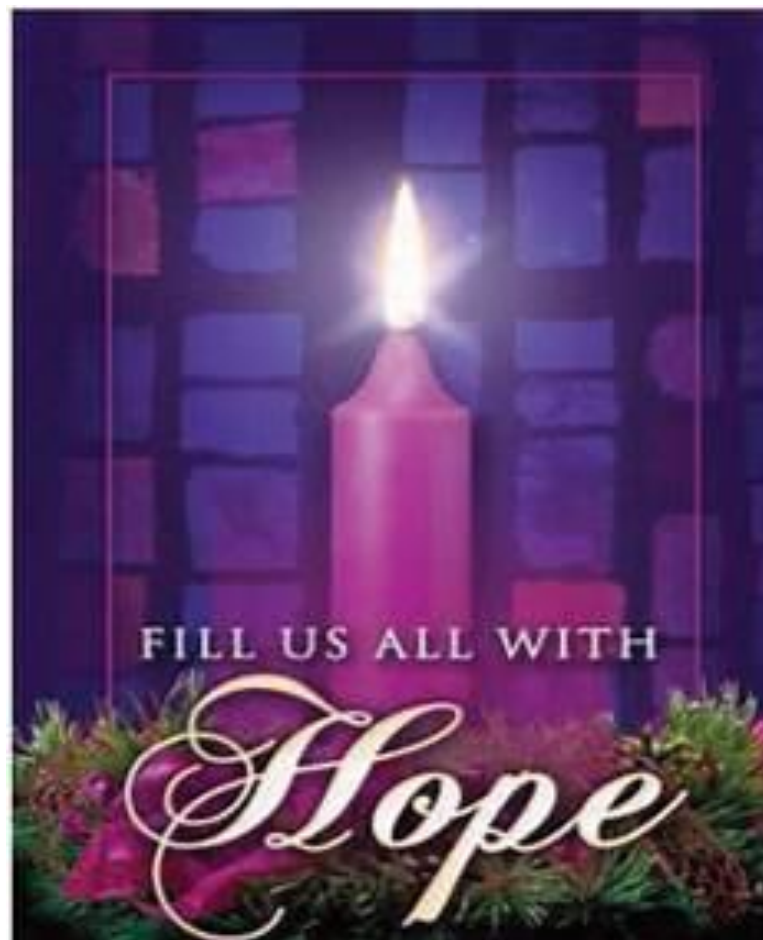
December 24, 2018—Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion Services

11:00 am—Wallace United Methodist Church

5:00 pm—Wallace First Baptist Church

7:00 pm—Wallace Presbyterian Church

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