

STAFF

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WORSHIP SPOTLIGHT

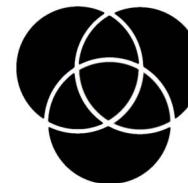
What are the 12 Days of Christmas?

The season of Christmas extends from Christmas Day to the Feast of the Epiphany, which always falls on January 6th.

Thus there are 12 days from December 25th to January 6th during which we celebrate the birth of Jesus. This season is known as Christmastide. Sundays that fall within this 12 day period are named First/Second Sunday after Christmas.

While the royal color purple is used during the Sundays in Advent, the color white is used during the Christmas season. White reminds us the Light of the World has come to us in Jesus.

John 8:12 - Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."



TRINITY

P R E S B Y T E R I A N C H U R C H

January 4th, 2026

The Second Sunday after Christmas

Prelude

Announcements

GOD SUMMONS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 113:1-3

†Congregational Singing

#166 "We Three Kings of Orient Are"

†Responsive Scriptures

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Christ has appeared to us.

O come, let us worship Him.

†Collect

Almighty God, You have poured into our hearts the true Light of Your incarnate Word. Grant that this Light may shine forth in our lives; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

†Congregational Singing

#131 "Angels From The Realms Of Glory"

GOD SANCTIFIES US TO HIMSELF

Call to Confession

Hebrews 10:19-22

Silent Confession

Corporate Confession

God of grace and truth, in Jesus Christ you came among us as light shining in darkness. We confess that we have not welcomed the light, or trusted good news to be good. We have closed our eyes to glory in our midst, expecting little, and hoping for less. Forgive our doubt, and renew our hope, so that

we may receive the fullness of your grace, and live in the truth
of Christ the Lord. Amen.

†Assurance of Forgiveness
†Congregational Singing

“Songs Of Thankfulness And Praise”

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD

Old Testament Reading

1 Samuel 1:21-24; 2:11, 22-26

Epistle Reading

Acts 2:43-47

†Gospel Reading

Luke 2:41-52

†Profession of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism Q1

Sermon

Pastor David Salyer

“I Must Be In My Father’s House”

Offertory

†Doxology

#625 (*a cappella*)

†Prayer of the Church

...let us pray to the Lord:

Lord, have mercy.

...through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns
with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

†The Lord’s Prayer

Taught by Our Lord and trusting in His promises, we are bold to pray:

Our Father who art in Heaven...

GOD STRENGTHENS US AT HIS TABLE

*All who are baptized and trust in Jesus Christ are invited to share the Lord’s Supper.
Baptized children are welcomed to the Supper once they have been admitted by the Elders.*

*If you do not trust in Jesus, please allow the bread and cup to pass you by. If you desire
to follow Jesus and share in His Feast, please speak with one of our pastors after the service.*

*The outer ring contains wine. All other cups contain grape juice. Take your portion, pass
the rest to your neighbor, then eat and drink as soon as you desire.*

*During the passing of the cup, we encourage you to offer words of blessing to your
neighbors such as: “May the Peace of Christ be with you” (Jn. 14:27), and the response:
“And also with you.”*

Declaration of God’s Invitation and Promises

Prayers and Distribution

†Congregational Singing

#136 “The First Noel”

GOD SENDS US INTO THE WORLD

†Commission and Benediction

†Congregational Response

#628 IV “Threefold Amen”

Postlude

Worship Leader: Pastor David Salyer

Nursery Volunteers: Kacia Hughett & Karen Salyer

CHURCH LIFE

Sunday, January 4th - *The Second Sunday after Christmas*

No Sunday School

10:30 a.m. . . . Worship Service

12:00 p.m. . . . Fellowship Meal (Team #3) and Deforestation

Monday, January 5th

5:30 p.m. . . . Session Meeting

Sunday, January 11th - *The Epiphany of our Lord (Observed) and The Baptism of Our Lord*

No Sunday School

10:30 a.m. . . . Worship Service

3:00 p.m. . . . Youth Group

Wednesday, January 14th

7:00 p.m. . . . Annual Congregational Meeting

♦ There will be a **fellowship meal** following the service today. Please join us even if you did not bring anything! There is plenty. We will also be taking down the Christmas decorations after lunch.

Serving Team #3 will be in charge of serving: Hooton, J. Holl, LeFeber, D. Holl, J. Hajda, L. Salyer, Brock, Reiter, Gibbons, Parish, M. Johnson, Wood, Dunn.

Note: being on the list in no way obligates you to attend or serve at Fellowship Meals, but is, rather, a way to include everyone in the invitation and give opportunities to serve for those willing and able to do so.

♦ **Sunday School** classes are on break and will resume on January 18th.

♦ **Our Annual Congregational Meeting** will be held on Wednesday, January 14th at the church beginning at 7:00 p.m. All members and regular attenders are encouraged to attend to hear updates from pastors, boards, and committees and hear about plans for the coming year.

♦ **Financial Report:** Budgeted need each week: \$4,392.91. Budgeted need year-to-date: \$215,252.59. Received 12/28: \$1,179.54 Received year-to-date: \$199,091.24.

♦ **January Birthdays:** (6) Rachel Goodbrake, Mary Wolf, (10) Charles Holl 2024, (19) Julie LeFeber

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

♦ That God would keep us from division and grant us unity in the Spirit for the sake of the Gospel.

♦ Presbytery: Grace Church Fremont - Pastor Clint Eberspacher.

♦ Missions: John and Terri - MTW Middle East or

♦ For our mothers with newborn children: Megan Holl (Moses James, born 8/5) and Bethany Remm (Brooklynn Grace, born 7/28). And for our expecting mother, Kristin Holl.