

# Welcome to Worship We Are Glad You Are Here!

HILLSBORO Presbyterian church 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent

December 10, 2023 @ 10am



PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Prelude and Bells

GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Welcome & Call to Worship

\*SONG OF PRAISE "Hope Has A Name"

Lighting of the Advent Candle: PEACE

\*OPENING HYMN: # 92 (Purple Hymnal) "While We Are Waiting, Come"

## CALL TO CONFESSION

Corporate Prayer of Confession Time of Silence for Personal Confession Confession Song *"O Lord Hear My Prayer"* Assurance of God's Grace

\*GREETING ONE ANOTHER Passing The Peace of Christ & Blessing the Children

PRAISE RESPONSE: "What Can I Do? (Christmas Version)"

# PROCLAIMING THE WORD

#### Prayer of Illumination

## SCRIPTURE READINGS:

1st Scripture ReadingIsaiah 40:1-11 (pg.1119)2nd Scripture ReadingLuke 1:26-45 (pg.1588)

MESSAGE: Rev. Kelly Dickson Expecting: Elizabeth & Mary Advent-ually: Stories of Waiting for God's Perfect Timing.

# RESPONDING TO THE WORD

CHOIR ANTHEM- "Come Emmanuel"

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF ELDERS AND DEACONS

# TAKING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**OFFERING OF SELF & PRAYER OF DEDICATION** 

\*CLOSING HYMN: # 105 (Purple Hymnal) "People, Look East" (verses 1,3,5)

## \*BENEDICTION

## POSTLUDE

<u>Go Forth and Be the Light of Christ</u> <u>to our Community!</u>

# **HAPPENINGS**

#### LIVE STREAM WORSHIP at 10am - Worship happens "live" in the Sanctuary and online at HillsboroPres.org



#### FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Every Sunday after the conclusion of worship we meet in Fellowship Hall. Grab a cup and a cookie and join us in person for a time of fellowship together. Come and join us!



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