

Weekly Worship Activities

Church School..... Sundays at 9:15am
Morning Worship.....Sundays at 10:30am
Bible Study..... Thursdays at 6:30pm-7:30pm
Family Night..... Every 4th Thursday at 6pm
Awendaw town meeting..Every 1st Thursday at 6:30pm

Subject of Sermon: _____

Scripture: _____

Points to Remember: _____

Announcements

**Dec 17th at 4pm, Elder's planning meeting, Greater Zion AME
3rd Sunday Jan, 1st Quarterly conference, 11am

Make a pledge for the Youth Department



Mt. Nebo YPD / Trustee Bus Drive

ADVENT

HOPE, LOVE, JOY & PEACE = JESUS

Advent is the season when Christians make spiritual preparation for the coming of Jesus Christ at Christmas. Celebrating with an Advent wreath is a popular custom in many Christian traditions.

The Advent wreath is a circular garland of evergreen branches representing eternity. On that wreath, four or five candles are typically arranged. During the season of Advent, one candle on the wreath is lit each Sunday as a part of the Advent services.

Each candle represents an aspect of the spiritual preparation for the coming of the Lord, Jesus Christ.

Set on the branches of the Advent wreath are four candles: three purple candles and one pink candle. A more modern tradition is to place a white candle in the center of the wreath. As a whole, these candles represent the coming of the light of Christ into the world.

On the third Sunday of Advent the pink, or rose-colored candle is lit. This pink candle is customarily called the "Shepherds Candle," and it represents joy:

And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. (Luke 2:8-11, NIV)

Let us pray, call and visit our sick and recovery:

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Order of Service

Prelude.....Bro. David Taylor

Praise and Worship YPD Choir

Doxology... “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow!”

***Call to Worship.....Minister & congregation**

Minister: I was glad when they said to me, let us go into the house of the Lord, our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem.

People: *For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.*

Minister: Because of the house of the Lord our God I will seek thy good.

People: *Those that be planted in the house of the Lord; shall flourish in the courts of our God.*

Minister: Blessed are they that dwell in thy house. Lord, I have loved thy habitation, the place where thy honor dwelleth.

People: *For the Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him.*

Minister: Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in thy sight. O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer.

People: *O sing unto the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things! Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, sing praises!*

Hymn of Praise #120 Joy to the World

Joy to the world! the Lord is come: Let earth receive her King;
Let every heart prepare Him room, And heaven and nature sing,
And heaven and nature sing, And heaven, and heaven and nature sing.

Joy to the world! the Savior reigns: Let men their songs employ;
While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace, and makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness, and wonders of His love,
and wonders of His love, and wonders, wonders of His love.

Invocation

Response.....Choir & Congregation

Selection..... YPD Choir

Scripture Reading

Old Testament----- Isaiah 61:1-4

New Testament -----1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

Introit to Decalogue

From all that dwell below the skies, Let the Creator's praise arise;

Let the Redeemer's name be sung, through every land by every tongue.

The Summary of the Decalogue

Hear what Christ our Savior said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it; Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Benevolent & Tithes Offering-----Direction by Ushers

(Selection)

The Offertory Response

All things come of thee O Lord; and of Thine own have we given Thee. A-men.

Visitor's Recognition & Announcements

-Pastor's Note-

Meditational Hymn #116 Silent Night, Holy Night

Silent night, holy night, all is calm, all is bright round yon virgin mother and Child, Holy infant so tender and mild, sleep in heavenly peace, Sleep in heavenly peace.

Silent night, holy night, Shepherds quake at the sight, glories stream from heaven a far, Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia; Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born.

Silent night, holy night, all is dark save the light yonder, where they sweet vigils keep O'er the Babe who in silent sleep rests in heavenly peace, Rests in heavenly peace.

Sermonic Hymn##106 O Come, All Ye Faithful

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant, O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem; Come and behold Him, born the King of angels:

Refrain

O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord!

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation, O sing, all ye bright hosts of heaven above! Glory to God, all glory in the highest;

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning, Jesus, to Thee be all glory given; Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing;

The Proclaimed Word.... Pastor Marvin Pasley

Invitational Hymn #113 Away in a Manger

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed, the little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head. The stars in the sky looked down where he lay, the little Lord Jesus, asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes, but little Lord Jesus, no crying he makes; I love thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the sky and stay by my cradle till morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask thee to stay close by me forever, and love me, I pray; bless all the dear children in thy tender care, and fit us for heaven to live with thee there.

The Affirmation of Faith

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born to the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Church Universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Doxology..... “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow!”

Benediction