December 4, 2022

Second Sunday of Advent 10:00 a.m.

ORDER OF SERVICE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: May the peace of God be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: We gather together in the name of the One who

bids us come.

People: We gather together to hear the words of the One

who is Love.

Leader: We gather together to sing praises of the One

who teaches peace.

All: Let us gather to worship the Lord of peace who

shall give us peace at all times in every way.

INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER GLORIA PATRI

READING OF THE CHURCH COVENANT

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"Jesus, The Light of the World"

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTORAL OBSERVATIONS

OFFERING

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC

"Go Tell It On The Mountain"

DOXOLOGY

ALTAR PRAYER

Rev. Shawn Torres-Anderson

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC

"Omnipotent"

SERMON

Rev. Timothy L. Adkins-Jones, Ph.D.

CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP

SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

BENEDICTION



BETHANY

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WELCOME

It is our sincere prayer that something said or done today will be an inspiration and a blessing to you.

The doors of Bethany Baptist
Church-Newark are always open to
all. If you are searching for a church
home, we encourage you to seek
God in prayer and ask if this is where
you should join. We thank God for
you and hope you will worship with
us again.

Church Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Contact Us:

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Week of December 4th – December 10th

Sunday Hybrid Worship Services

Sunday Morning Worship: 10:00 a.m.
All services are now in-person and will continue to be streamed live on YouTube, Facebook, and through our church website.

Sunday School

1st Sunday's - 9:00 a.m. Joint Adult Classes– Chapel Youth Class – Seminar Room

2nd – 5th Sunday's - 9:00 a.m. Brother Ronnie Walkers Class – Chapel Deacon Linda Epps Class – Lounge Youth Class – Seminar Room

Here is the link for the Children and Young Adults Fall 2022 Sunday School curriculum.

https://urbanministries.com/september/

Church Open For Ministry Meetings

The church is now able to host ministries, auxiliaries and clubs on Tuesday evenings, Thursday evenings and Saturday mornings. All requests must be made via the church website.



Announcements

<u>CLUBS, MINISTRIES & AUXILIARIES-</u> Please submit documentation for 2023 to the church office by Friday, December 16, 2022.

<u>ATTENTION ALL CLUBS</u> – Please check and clean out your club's mailbox, some have not been checked since before the COVID-19 pandemic/lock down. Any club mail that comes in will be placed in the mailboxes, so please check your mailboxes on a regular basis.

SUNDAY SCHOOL – Sunday School books will be available in the church office for pick up during office hours.

<u>ARE YOU IN NEED OF A NOTARY</u> – Notary services are now available at the church office on Wednesdays, Fridays and after service on Sundays. Please see Rev. Shawn Torres-Anderson.

<u>FOOD PANTRY/CLOTHES CLOSET REQUEST</u> – The Food Pantry/Clothes Closet Outreach Ministry is requesting donations of reusable bags that can be used for packaging food items. Drop offs can be made at the Food Pantry, located at 58 Hartford Street, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. or in the church office, Monday thru Friday 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.







Special Prayer List

December 2022

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Members in Hospitals or Nursing Homes

Sister Beulah Brent (14901)
Sister Elsie Gatling (07202)
Sister Dorothy Givens (07052)
Deacon Dorothy Jenkins (07039)

Sister Iralena Maxwell (07018) Brother James Miller, III (07107) Sister Wilma Turner (07102) Brother Edward Williams (07018)

Members Who Are Sick & Shut-in

Sister Peggy Edgerton (07104) Sister Elaine Green (07017)

Sister Martha Kennedy (07205)

Sister Carolyn Lee (08816)

Sister Joanne Miller (07108)

Sister Debra O'Neil (07108)

Sister Frances Upshaw-Rhodes (07601)

Sister Geraldine Reeves (08854)

Brother Marcellus Robinson (07106)

Sister Hattie Schenck (07018)

Sister Mary Scruggs (07018) Sister Emily Smith (07017)

Object Limity Striker (07017)

Sister Marjorie Thurman (08540)

Sister Carol Timmons (07050)

Brother Marshall Tuttle (07050)

Members Requesting Prayer

Sister Colleen Anderson (07103)

Sister Jennifer Arnold (08844)

Sister Mary Atkinson (07018)

Sister Bertha Bell (07017)

Sister Peggy Crawley (07017)

Deacon Louise Ellis (07083)

Deacon Jerry Ellis (07083)

Brother Mark Epps, III (07102)

Deacon Linda Epps (07102)

Brother Fredrick Gilbert (07017)

Brother Rudolph Graddy Jr. (07940)

Sister Janet James (07017)

Deacon Alice Johnson (07205)

Brother Larry Johnson (07003)

Deacon Emily Jukes (27127)

Sister Pamela Lampley (07079)

Sister Vivian Lampkin (07009)

Sister Tracey Moore Peters (07921)

Sister Linda Preston (08852)

Deacon Marlene Roper (07040)

Sister Frances Thomas (07205)

Sister Cheryl Thompson-Martin (07028)

Sister Thelma Vannoy (07050)

Sister Willie Mae Warnick (34473)

Sister Shirley Way (07202)

Sister Davida Williams-McCloud (07106)

Brother Warren Williams (07102)

Sister Maude Young (20785)

In the event of hospitalization, home-confinement, or an extended illness, please call, or have a family member or the hospital staff contact the church office at 973-623-8161.



Traci Adams (07112)

Happy Birthday December 2022



* The zip codes are listed and intended for Fellowship Circle purposes

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Mercy B. Zor (07205)	17	Sadayah Durant-Brown (08873)
	Jacquelyn Rhodes (07076)	Jael Gatling (07081)
6	Gail Sledge-Pearson (07106)	Constance Napier (07083)
Haig Richerby (07302)	Frances Thomas (07205)	James Waltz (07018)
7	18 Michelle Mullins (07042)	31
Amanda Alston (27330)	• ,	Rose Love (07083)
Rosa Garcia-Cureton (07040)	19	Willie McGuire (07017)

Martin Waltz (07050)