

## Uniontown Church of the Brethren Worship 10:30am

Ehanks be unte God for his unspeakable gift December 29, 2024

Greetings and Announcements Welcoming first time visitors

Lauren Stein

**Invitation to Worship** 

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We gather to worship the child who has come bringing light, love and salvation. We recognize ourselves as children of light, for the light of the world has helped us to see. God reigns! Let all the earth rejoice! The glory of God is revealed in the child born in a manger, Joy to the World the Lord has come!

Prelude

"Go Tell It On The Mountain"

Sue Metcalf

**Invocation Prayer** 

\*Hymn No. 318 B

"Joy To The World!"

\*Responsive Call to Worship:

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One: God has spoken to us by a Child, by whose word the power of the universe is upheld.

All: We have known the Word-made-flesh in Jesus and have come to worship at the manger.

One: The True Light that enlightens everyone has come, but many in the world have not received it.

All: Jesus is that light, sent to help us see and know the Father; we long to live as children of light.

One: The glory of God is made known in a child's face, and the deepest night is overcome.

All: Let us worship the Child given for us and let us find ourselves in Jesus' Presence.

## \*Hymn No. 210 B

"Good Christian Friends, Rejoice"

Offertory Thought

\*Offertory Song, Doxology

"The Wexford Carol"

Lauren Stein Sue Metcalf

\* Prayer of Dedication Joys and Concerns

(an Irish Traditional Tune)

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Morning Prayer

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\*Hymn No. 215 B

"What Child is this"

Scripture Sermon

"An Announcement for A New Year"

Galatians 3: 26-4:7 Pastor Ed Moore "Child In A Manger"

\*Hymn No. On Screen

Pastor Ed Moore

\*Benediction

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(\*) indicates congregation standing if able

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