

Prelude Phil Haga, organist
O Come, O Come Emmanuel....by Thomas Helmore

Words of Greeting

Advent Candle Lighting

Opening Prayer UM Discipleship Resources

**God of justice and peace,
from the heavens, you rain down mercy and kindness,
that all on earth may stand in awe and wonder
before your marvelous deeds.
Raise our heads in expectation,
that we may yearn for the coming day of the Lord
and stand without blame before your Son, Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen.**

Hymn of Praise Phil Haga
People, Look East **UMH 202**

*At this time, we invite you to bring forward your weekly offering
to the plate and your missions giving to the basket.*

Doxology **UMH 95**

First Scripture Reading *Isaiah 64:1-9*

Prayer Concerns Rev. Casey Irwin
Silent Prayer

*We invite you to name aloud anyone you are praying for. Prayer request cards
can be brought to the altar rail or left at the exit near the bulletins.*

Pastoral prayer
The Lord's Prayer **UMH 895**

Responsive Song *Prepare the Way of the Lord*

Special Music Chancel Choir
Come, Messiah Come Gregory Allen, Accompanist

Second Scripture Reading *Mark 13:24-37*

Sermon Rev. Casey Irwin
Hoping for More

Holy Communion

Hymn of Benediction Phil Haga
Have Thine Own Way, Lord **UMH 382**

Benediction

Postlude Phil Haga, organist
Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee....by Roger Ulmer



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Announcements

Bristol United Methodist Churches rotate **noon worship and luncheons** through Advent. Join us:

November 29 at Aldersgate **December 6 at Three Springs**
December 13 at Trinity **December 20 at Reynolds**

Sunday, December 10, join us after worship and choir rehearsal for lunch around 12:30 followed by Christmas Caroling to shut-ins.

Tuesday morning Bible Study will continue through December 19th.
Wednesday night Bible Study will not be meeting in December and will resume at Virginia Avenue on January 3rd.

