



December 6, 2020 at 1:00PM – Second Sunday in Advent  
*Drive-In Communion Service*

**W**ELCOME FRIENDS: In Advent we prepare ourselves for Christmas, gathering to worship Jesus the Christ who came as a child to remind us of how to love God and one another. We are aware of the mystery of the Holy Spirit who gathers us across space and time. You are welcome in this sacred space of seeking the Christ, no matter what your current or past relationship with God has been. This is a holy season to experience God anew. We are glad you are here...and hope you find what you need.

**GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Pastor Jason**

*Please send an email to [faithumc@hotmail.com](mailto:faithumc@hotmail.com) to let us know you were with us & any prayer requests*

**A TIME FOR CENTERING & PRAYER**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

We have come in anticipation of meeting the Father, the Son and The Holy Spirit.

**We have faithfully come in love because God first loved us!**

We have come in remembrance of God giving himself to us in the gift of his Son on the first Christmas.

**We have come in anticipation of the gift of his Second Coming.**

We have come in anticipation of the eternal Communion Table shared by all of the Saints in Heaven,

**We have come to receive the blessing of the Communion Table offered here today. Amen.**

(The Rev. Jason B. Perkowski)

**HYMN**

*Come, Sinners to the Gospel Feast*

**UMH #616 v. 1 & 5**

**Verse 1**

Come sinners to the gospel feast  
Let every soul be Jesus' guest  
Ye need not one be left behind  
For God has bidden all mankind

**Verse 5**

Ye who believe his record true  
Shall sup with him and he with you;  
Come to the feast, be saved from sin  
For Jesus waits to take you in.

**INVITATION**

Christ Our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

(BOW #12)

**CONFESSION AND PARDON**

**Father, here we are! We are your children! We are those for whom you were willing to hang upon a tree. We're not perfect. We have made mistakes. We have broken your heart. We've gone totally opposite what you've asked and required of us. However, none of this has stopped your love. None of this has stopped your grace. None of this has stopped your mercy. Why are you so good to us, God? Why do you make ways for us like you do? Why do you care for us like you do? You are extremely patient with us, God. You gave us time to get it together so that we could one day be together. Rub some of your patience on us, God. We could use it. Help us be more like you. Help us live more like you. Help us smell more like you. Help us look more like you. Restore in us your image so that when that great day comes and you crack the sky, we are found spotless in your sight. We wait for you, Loving God. We wait patiently upon your arrival. Come, Lord Jesus. Come. In his name, we pray. Amen!**

(Michael Parker, *Additional Liturgical Resources*, Dec 6, 2020 at [UMCDiscipleship.org](http://UMCDiscipleship.org))

Hear the Good News: Christ Died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! **In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!**

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

*(You may offer signs of reconciliation by honking and waving)*

*May the Peace of Christ be with you...and also with your soul.*

**SCRIPTURE READING**  
*The Kiss of Righteousness and Peace*

**Psalm 85:1-2, 8-13**  
**Pastor Jason Perkowski**

**HYMN**

*For the Bread Which You Have Broken*

**UMH #614 v. 1, 2, 3**

**Verse 1**

For the bread which You have broken  
For the wine which You have poured  
For the words which You have spoken  
Now we give You thanks O Lord

**Verse 3**

With our sainted ones in glory  
Seated at the heavenly board  
May the church that waiting for you  
Keep love's tie unbroken Lord

**Verse 2**

By this pledge that You do love us  
By Your gift of peace restored  
By Your call to heaven above us  
Hallow all our lives O Lord

**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy are You, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ ... Who took the bread and gave thanks ... took the cup and gave thanks ... And so in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ we offer ourselves ... as we proclaim the mystery of faith: **Christ has died; Christ is Risen; Christ will come again.**

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine...

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other ... Through Your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

**SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP**

*Each provides their own bread and juice*

**HYMN**

*Fill My Cup, Lord*

**UMH #641**

Fill my cup, Lord, I lift it up, Lord.  
Come and quench this thirsting of my soul.  
Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more;  
Fill my cup, fill it up and make me whole.

**DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

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**Faith Worship Team Director:** Phil Buchanan;

**Faith Instrumentalists:** Liz Hornberger, Dolly Bankert Haar & **the Faith Singers.**

**OCUMC Pianist:** Jody Wiker & **Cellist, Guitar and Vocals:** Anthony Wiker

**Audio / Visual Technology:** Bryan Nelson

**Pastor:** The Rev. Jason Perkowski

**Ministers:** The People of God

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