

December 30, 2018

10:00am

Offering their services as we worship God today:

Greeter: Liz Cullivan

Ushers: Russ & Liz Cullivan, Mary Delano, Vicki Heckman

Coffee Hour: Helen Park

Offering Counters: Vicki Heckman & Wanda Crowell

Music Director

Ben Healy

Secretary

Melissa Anderson

Nursery Attendant

Kelly Hatch

Custodian

Dave Malcolmson

Pastor

Rev. Y. Joe Kim



We're glad you're here!

Today's Worship Leader: Brian Fernandes

We Gather to Praise God

Praise and Worship (9:50-10:00)

Joy to the World

UMC #246

Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming

UMC #216

It Came upon the Midnight Clear

UMC #218

Opening Prayer

Welcome & Ministry Highlights

Responsive reading: Isaiah 61:10-11

Liturgist: I am overwhelmed with joy in the Lord my God!

Congregation: For he has dressed me with the clothing of salvation and draped me in a robe of righteousness.

Liturgist: I am like a bridegroom in his wedding suit or a bride with her jewels.

All: The Sovereign Lord will show his justice to the nations of the world. Everyone will praise him!

Liturgist: His righteousness will be like a garden in early spring with plants springing up everywhere.

All: Everyone will realize that they are a people the Lord has blessed.

*Hymn

UMH #238

“Angels We Have Heard on High”

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Church Office:

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Pastor's Office:

Tue – Fri 9am - 12noon
If you would like a pastoral visit, please contact Pastor Joe directly.

Pastor's Contact Info:

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Website: www.swiftmemorial.org

OUR VISION STATEMENT *is to create a true Christian family environment that spreads and grows into the community and allows the community to experience a closer relationship to Christ.*

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT: *As members of the body of Christ, we will faithfully participate in its ministries by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, and our service.*

***Today's Bible Reading** **John 1:1-18**
(New Testament page 91 in the pew Bible)

Sermon **Susan Scott**
"Life After Christmas"

Song of Thanksgiving **UMH #221**
"In the Bleak Midwinter"

Giving Tithes and offerings
(response to God's grace)

Leader: For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
so that all who love him may have life eternally. (John 3:16)
With loving hearts, let us bring our offerings to God.

All: As we count all the blessings God has already given to us, we
cheerfully give our offerings to God, the Provider, with grateful
hearts. Amen! (2 Corinthians 9:7)

Offertory Anthem *Carols of Rejoicing*

***The Doxology** (a song of glory to God) **UMH #95**
"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

***Prayer of Dedication**

Joys, Concerns & Pastoral Prayer

***Song of Discipleship** **UMH #240**
"Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"

***Benediction** **Chaplain Norman Brown**

***Postlude & Passing the Peace** **UMH #242**
"Love Came Down at Christmas"

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*Congregation is invited to stand if able

****UMH** – red *United Methodist Hymnal*
****FWS** – black *The Faith We Sing Hymnal*

Next Finance Committee meeting:
Wednesday, January 9, 7:00pm

Next Elder Team meeting:
Thursday, January 10, 7:00pm



Are you on our e-mail list?

Keep updated on Swift Memorial's events & activities, send an
e-mail to the church office swiftmemorial@verizon.net with your
request to be added!!



Reminder: please use your offering envelopes if you have them. Using
the envelopes is a great help to the offering counters, reducing the time it
takes to count the weekly offering and ensures accurate record-keeping of
your giving. If you haven't picked up your box of envelopes yet or if you
would like a box assigned to you, please contact the church office.

Thank you! - Swift Offering Counter crew

Announcements and Notices

THIS WEEK (Dec. 30 – Jan 5)

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| TODAY | 9:30-9:50am Prayer Group (in Ladies Parlor) 9:50-10:00am Praise and Worship 10:00am Worship Service & Sunday School |
| MONDAY | <u>Church Office - CLOSED</u> 7:00pm Church-wide Prayer Meeting |
| TUESDAY | 8:00am AlAnon, morning meditation 6:30pm AlAnon 7:00pm Book Study @ Judie Sgarzi's |
| WEDNESDAY | 10:00am Group Bible Study |
| THURSDAY | <u>Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm</u> 9:30am Knitting Group @ Charlotte Hopper's |
| FRIDAY | <u>Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm</u> |
| SATURDAY | 8:00am <i>Men's Breakfast</i> 6:30-8:00pm AA |

Elder of the Month is Wanda Crowell

If you have questions or concerns regarding any matter, please contact Wanda. If she doesn't know the answer, she will research it and get back to you. All conversations & inquiries are private and confidential. Wanda can be reached at wanda.crowell@gmail.com or 508-246-3138



Pastor Joe
Will Be Away

Dec. 26 – Jan. 1



When? Saturday, January 5

(first Saturday of each month)

Time? 8:00am

Where? Parsonage, 80 Old Plymouth Rd

Contact: Bill Held, 508-564-3414 wpheld@comcast.net
or Ted Burnham, 508-224-7823 tedann84@verizon.net



Children are invited downstairs during worship service for their opportunity to learn about God and having a relationship with our Lord.

Discovering Jesus (pre-K - 1st grade)

Teachers: Julia Chick

Sunday School 101 (elementary)

Teacher: Melissa Furtado

Confirmation Class

Teacher: Cathy Sharon-Matthews



Denise Wilson
Hakyung Cho-Kim
Danny Held and the Held family
Dorothy Caipie
Alice Cooper
Sandra Knight
Al Marsh

The caregivers of those who are sick or in need of extra assistance.

(if you wish to have your name removed, please contact
Melissa Anderson in the church office to update the bulletin)



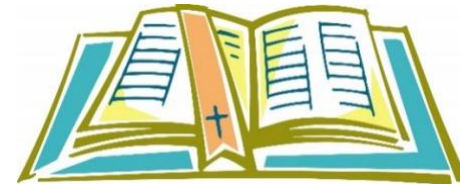
Joys, concerns, and updates can be added to our prayer chain
by contacting Cathy Sharon-Matthews through phone call,
text, or e-mail, 508-274-1864 or cathys_36@yahoo.com

Coming soon

Women's Breakfast
Saturday, January 12 at 9:00

[Church closing notices for worship and events](#)
are broadcast on **Channel 7** and **Channel 56 (CW)**
as well as **WWW.WHDH.COM** and
WHDH free mobile app

We also make every effort to post a notice on our Facebook
page and update the outgoing voicemail message.



The Jan/Feb issue of The Upper Room devotional is available and located
on the literature table (in back of church).
Donations to help offset the cost of materials are appreciated.