

The Second Sunday of Advent
Holy Communion
December 7, 2025
8:30a.m.

~ Connect with God ~

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

LITANY *of the* ADVENT WREATH Isaiah 9:6-7 Cathy & Mike Engle

*SONG *of* PRAISE & WORSHIP “Kingdom Come (Lift Up Your Heads)”

PRAYERS *of the* PEOPLE Anne Carter, Lay Leader

PRAYER *for* ILLUMINATION Andy Bucke, Director of Congregational Care

*SCRIPTURE LESSON Isaiah 11:1-9
(We will all read scripture together as one body in Christ.)

~ Commit to God's Ways ~

SERMON “The Peace of the Spirit”
Rev. Eric J. Shafer

INVITATION *to the* TABLE and PRAYER *of* CONFESSION *and* PARDON

OFFERTORY

PRESENTATION *of* OUR LIVES, TITHES, *and* OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY #221 “In the Bleak Midwinter” vs. 4

*PRAYER *of* DEDICATION Andy Bucke

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE LORD’S PRAYER

GIVING *the* BREAD *and* CUP

(Communion will be received at the chancel rail by intinction or prepackaged elements)

Music during Communion - "Silent Night (Be Still)"

THE PRAYER *after* COMMUNION

~ Create New Disciples ~

*SONG *of* SENDING FORTH

"Glory (Let There Be Peace)"

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

HYMN #204 *"Emmanuel, Emmanuel"*

*Emmanuel, Emmanuel,
his name is called Emmanuel.
God with us, revealed in us,
his name is called Emmanuel.*

**Please stand as able*

