

Calendar

Dec 05	9:30 am	Communion Service
Dec 07	6:00 pm	Family Small Group Study
Dec 12	9:30 am 2:00pm	Kids Christmas Program Kids Christmas Program

Please remember the following in prayer:
Those in our family of families, those near our homes and jobs,
Our world, its leaders, the Church, the persecuted

Theme Verse:
In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. — *John 1:1-3*

Attendance Last Week
In-person Worship 9:30am: **65** || On-line Worship: **15**

Order of Worship

Prelude
Greeting & Opening Prayer
Second Sunday in Advent
***Singing God’s Praise:** “The First Noel”
.....“He Has Come for Us (God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen)”
Congregational Prayer
Children’s Word
Scripture Lesson: Luke 3:1-6
Morning Message: The Peace of Christ
Communion
Invitation
***Singing God’s Praise:** “It Came Upon a Midnight Clear”
Worshipping Through Giving
Benediction

Church News

for Sunday, December 5, 2021

- There will be a **DISTRICT WIDE CHURCH CONFERENCE** related to the ongoing and pending lawsuit in relationship to the Boy Scouts of America. The conference will be held today at the Wesley UMC in Nescopeck at 2pm.
- Our Kids Christmas program, “**ALL ABOUT THAT BABY,**” will be presented at **9:30am and 2:00pm on December 12th.** We are looking for donations of refreshments for the 2:00pm presentation. Questions, contact Diana Burrows.
- **ANGEL TREE.** This year we have 10 residents at Watsonstown Rehab and 10 children that we are looking forward to blessing. Visit <https://watsonstownumc.org/christmas-angel-2021/> to view and sign up for an angel. Please have the Angel # (example 2A) on the **wrapped gift** to church by Sunday, December 12th. Contact Karen Winder at 570-419-4773 if you have questions.
- **CHRISTMAS DINNER. December 19th** following the morning worship service. Meat, filling, and gravy will be provided. Please bring a covered dish to share.
- **FAMILY SMALL GROUP STUDY.** Meets Tuesdays at 6pm. Open to everyone, designed so families with children can attend. Questions, see Pastor Brian.
- **WORSHIPPING THROUGH GIVING.** Available via US Postal Service to 1319 Eighth Street Dr, Watsonstown PA 17777, on-line at <https://watsonstownumc.churchcenter.com/giving>, or by texting a dollar amount and fund name to 84321.

I AM REQUESTING INFO ABOUT:

Becoming a Follower of Jesus Serving @ Watsonstown

Baptism Offering Envelopes

Ministries: youth/children/missions Adding the church to my estate plan

Prayer Requests/Praises Share with Prayer Chain

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SERVE so that another may experience the peace of Christ.

GO, tell others about the peace you have in Jesus.

Pray that my life reflects the peace of Christ.

Sermon Notes



The Peace of Christ

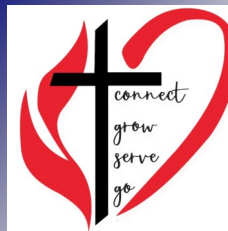
Luke 3:1-6

“Great thoughts of your sin alone will drive you to despair;
but great thoughts of Christ will pilot you into the haven of peace.”

— Charles Haddon Spurgeon

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- Pray that my life reflects the peace of Christ.



Welcome to Watsontown United Methodist Church

watsontownumc.org
570-538-1017

CONNECT — GROW — SERVE — GO

Worship - 9:30 am

Daily Devotions - 10am - Live Online

December 5, 2021

Pastor's Welcome



Welcome to worship at Watsontown UMC. We are so glad to see you and delighted that you are here. We would love to connect with you. Help us begin that process by filling in the attached “Connection Card.” May you be blessed and encouraged by your involvement today!

Pastor
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Watsontown's Ministry Team

Ministers:	Everyone
Director of Music:	Diana Burrows Ext. 5 dianab@watsontowumc.org
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Hospital/Homebound Contact:	Annette Weaver 570-560-4571

Dr. / Mr. / Mrs. / Ms. / Miss
Name: _____

Change in contact information

Email (please print) _____

Mailing Address _____

Apt. _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Best Contact Phone (_____) _____

- 1st-time guest
- 2nd-time guest
- Continued Guest
- Attend regularly
- Member

If 1st or 2nd-time guest, how did you hear about our Church _____

Please detach this card and place in the Offering. Thank you! Please Place this card in the offering. Thank you.

~ Connection Card ~
December 5, 2021