

La Trinidad United Methodist Church

Second Sunday of Advent

December 10, 2023

WELCOME

Rev. Raquel C. Feagins

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

A voice cries out:

“In the wilderness prepare the way of the Lord,
**make straight in the desert a highway for our
God.”** (ISAIAH 40:3)

***OPENING PRAYER**

***OPENING HYMN**

MVPC 211

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

CONFESSION

PARDON

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!
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Glory to God. Amen.

LIGHTING THE SECOND CANDLE OF ADVENT

*John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming
a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins.*

(Mark 1:4)

We light this candle as a symbol of proclamation.
May the Word sent from God through the prophets
lead us to the way of salvation.

O come, O come, Emmanuel.

***HYMNS OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP**

Come Thou Expected Jesus

UMH 196

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

UMH 203

Emmanuel, Emmanuel

UMH 204

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

OFFERING

UMH 588

**All things come of thee, O Lord,
and of thine own have we given thee. Amen.**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of
your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read
and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy
what you say to us today.**

***SCRIPTURE**

Isaiah 40: 1-11

SERMON

Rev. John P. Feagins

“Here is your God!”

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Worshippers may approach the kneeling rail during prayer.

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, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.**

***CLOSING HYMN**

TFWS 2025

As The Deer

***BENEDICTION**

*The Altar Flowers are given by Cynthia Garza in honor of
Theresa Boardman's Birthday.*

**Please stand if you are able.*

Today's worship service is being broadcast live on YouTube.

<http://youtube.com/latrinidadunitedmethodistchurch>

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CHRISTMAS OFFERING

You may designate an additional gift this month as “Christmas” in gratitude for God’s gift to us in Christ.

May God bless you for your generosity.

COOPER ACADEMY AT NAVARRO FOOD DRIVE

Help alleviate food insecurity for eight young families. Bring non-perishable items by December 13 for Christmas Holidays.

SPECIAL SUNDAY SERVICE AND CELEBRATION LUNCHEON

Sunday, December 17.

\$15 adults – children 12 and under FREE

CHARGE CONFERENCE

Thursday, December 14 at 6:30PM

Here at LTUMC

CAROLING AND LAS POSADAS

Friday, December 22 at 5 PM

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Sunday, December 24 at 6 PM

CHILDREN CLOTHES AND SHOES COLLECTION

New and gently used clothes and shoes. Sizes 3-12. Also unexpired car seats. Contact: Moses Contreras

ACTIVE FAITH YOUNG ADULTS - Contact Jacob Ayala.

CHILDREN’S BUSY BAGS

Busy bags are available in the lobby, or please ask an usher.

LT KIDS PAGE IS LIVE!

Parents, go to: <https://4kids.church/la-trinidad-umc/>

ONLINE GIVING AND PRAYER REQUESTS

<https://latrinidad.churchtrac.com>



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SPECIAL NOTICES

Use of masks is recommended but not required.



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