



*Keep in prayer...*

*Members who are in long-term care facilities, military veterans, all firefighters, EMTs, police and military personnel, brothers and sisters in Christ around the world.*

Our Savior's Worship Service Helpers			
	November 30	December 7	December 14
Greeters/ Ushers	Sonny & Linda Sandberg	Terry Plank & Randy Moy	Linda Johnston & Rita McDonnell
Worship Leader	Katie Sandberg	Terry Plank	Ann Yelle
Money Counters	Leah Pichler & Katie Sandberg	Members from each church	Katie Sandberg & Jan Bechel
Camera Operators : Saul Ness, Brendan & Sarah Williams			

OS Statistics for Sunday Worship		
	11/25/2025	11/30/2025
Attendance		20
General Fund	\$150.00	\$190.00
Thanksgiving	\$110.00	\$50.00
MACA	\$50.00	
Online Giving (General)		\$167.64
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$310.00</b>	<b>\$407.64</b>

*If you would like a copy of Pastor Kim's sermon emailed to you, please let the Pastor or the office know.*



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*2nd Sunday of Advent*

*December 7, 2025*



**WELCOME TO WORSHIP!**

*Montana Salem United Methodist Church 8:00 am*

*Gilmanton United Methodist Church 9:30 am*

*Our Savior's United Methodist Church 11:00 am*

*Pastor Hyuntae Kim*

*Judy Winsand, Organist & Choir Director*

**Announcements:**

- Tuesday, December 9, 6:00 pm: Charge Conference at Gilmanton UMC.
- The elevator has been repaired!
- We are looking for confirmation age or adult volunteers to be candlelighters for the Advent wreaths for the next two Sundays. Please let Pastor or the office know if you can help.
- Christmas Eve worship services on December 24: 4:00 pm Gilmanton UMC; 6:00 pm Our Savior's UMC; 8:00 pm Montana Salem UMC

**THIS WEEK:**

**Sunday, December 7:** 9:30 am Joint Worship/Holy Communion at Gilmanton UMC

**Monday, December 8:** Dartball-away

**Tuesday, December 9:** 6:00 pm Charge Conference at Gilmanton UMC

**Wednesday, December 10:** 12:00 pm UWF Candlelight Service; 5:30-7:00 pm F3/Confirmation

**Sunday, December 14:** 9:30 am Gilmanton Worship; 11:00 am Our Savior's Worship

*Second Sunday of Advent*



**Happy Birthday!**

*December 7, Brandon Bursaw*

*December 7, Sharol Molland*

*December 7, Jim Williams*

*December 8, Aaron Johnston*

*December 8, Cheryl Molitor*

*December 9, Jeri Schaffner*

*December 12, Grace Branger*

**Happy Anniversary!**

*December 10, Jack & Pat Luethi*



*We are glad you are here!  
May you be blessed as you  
worship our Lord today!*

*\*Indicates the congregation standing*

## GREETING & WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Let us prepare our hearts for worship through prayerful meditation.*

*(Seeking the Holy Spirit's presence in this service, and praying that the congregation experiences transformation, restoration, and healing of spirit and body.)*

## PRELUDE/LIGHTING CANDLES

### \*CANDLE LIGHTING LITURGY

Leader: Advent reminds us that we are people who share a story, the story of Jesus, who enacts peace by judging in favor of the poor and deciding with equity for the meek of the earth. We long for the day when “the wolf shall live with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, the calf and the lion will feed together, and a little child shall lead them” (Isaiah 11:6).

**All: Today, we choose to live the story of peace, believing that true peace comes when we seek the flourishing of all God's creation.**

Leader: We light this candle of peace as a sign of our commitment to bring Light to the places the world seeks to hide until that day when all creation lives together in harmony and abundance.

*Light the two purple candles of the Advent wreath. (Candlelighters—Brook & Ella Kent)*

**\*Hymn #203** *Hail to the Lord's Anointed* (vv. 1 & 4)

**\*OPENING PRAYER** *(in unison)*

**God of hope and peace, as we worship you this day, grant us a glimpse of your peace. Open our hearts to receive your grace. Teach us to welcome one another, as you have welcomed us. Prepare our hearts and lives for Christ to be born in us once again. And when our worship is complete, renew us in body and spirit, ready to bring your righteousness and justice to the world. In the name of Christ, we pray. Amen.**

**\* SPECIAL MUSIC**

*O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

Joint Choir

**SCRIPTURE READING - Responsive** Psalm 72:1-8 #759

This is the Word of the Lord for the people of God—**Thanks be to God**

## PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

## SILENT PRAYER

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** *(in unison)*

**Three-fold Amen #898**

## RECEIVING OF THE OFFERING

**HYMN #453** *More Love to Thee, O Christ* (v. 1)

## OFFERTORY

**\*DOXOLOGY** (Hymnal #95)

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION OF GIFTS**

## \*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

**\*HYMN #219** *What Child Is This* (vv. 1 & 2)

**\*SCRIPTURE READING** Matthew 3:1-12

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## MESSAGE

Pastor Kim

**BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER** *(in unison, adapted from Colossians 1:9b-12)*

Gracious Father, fill us with the knowledge of your will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, so that we may live lives worthy of you, Lord, and please you in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of you, being strengthened with all power according to your glorious might, so that we may have great endurance and patience, and joyfully giving thanks to you, Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of your holy people in the kingdom of light. In Jesus' name. Amen.

**HYMN OF PREPARATION #219** *What Child Is This* (v. 3)

*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.*

**HOLY COMMUNION** *Service of Word and Table III* #15-16

- The Great Thanksgiving, Giving the Bread and Cup, Prayer after Receiving

**\*CLOSING HYMN #569** *We've a Story to Tell to the Nations* (vv.1 & 4)

## \*BENEDICTION

Advent people, go from this place in the blessing of God who journeys with us, guiding our path as we wait, watch, and work for the day when we beat swords into plowshares and follow the path of peace until God's kingdom comes on earth as it is in heaven. **All: Amen.**

**\*HYMN FOR GOING FORTH #672** *God Be with You...* (v. 1)

## \*POSTLUDE