

Praise Service

Jolliff United Methodist Church

8:30 am

November 29, 2009 - First Sunday of Advent

Praise & Worship Singing

Nikki Keegan

Welcome/Announcements

Sign Attendance Register

Hymn #211 **“O Come, O Come Emmanuel”**

Everyone

Call to Hope **Isaiah 40: 3 – 5**

Lighting of the Hope Candle

Old Testament Reading **Isaiah 61: 1 – 2a**

Prayer

Children’s Time **“What Do You Hope I Have?”**

Rev. Smith

Offering our gifts to the Lord

Offertory

Prayer Concerns

Scripture **Psalm 25: 1 – 10 & Isaiah 61: 1 – 3a**

Sermon **“Our Hope Is Always in Christ”**

Rev. Smith

Closing Praise Singing

Benediction

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Gathering (Please greet others with the love of Christ as you enter the Sanctuary.)

Welcome/Sign Attendance Pad

Announcements, Opportunities for Ministry

Hymn History

Ervin Johnson

Chiming the Hour

Sandra Smith

***Call to Worship**

“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”

Everyone

“O come, O come, Emmanuel,
and ransom captive Israel,
that mourns in lonely exile here
until the Son of God appear.

Rejoice! Rejoice!

Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.”

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“O Come, O Come Emmanuel”

Children’s Time

“What Do You Hope I Have?”

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Offering of Ourselves and Our Gifts

Offertory

“God’s Love Medley”

Sanctuary Choir

Offertory Prayer

Prayer Concerns, Morning Prayer, & Lord’s Prayer

Prayer Response

Hymn # 217 “Away In a Manger” (vs. 3)

Sanctuary Choir

Hymn # 196

“Come Thou Long Expected Jesus”

Special Music

“I Call Him Lord”

Sanctuary Choir

Scripture

Psalm 25: 1 – 10

Sermon

“Our Hope is Always in Christ”

Rev. Smith

*** Hymn #202**

“People Look East”

*** Benediction**

*** Choral Benediction/Hymn # 204**

“Emmanuel, Emmanuel”

“Emmanuel, Emmanuel,
His name is called Emmanuel.
God with us, revealed in us,
His name is called Emmanuel.”

**Please offer signs of welcome & love to those around you as you leave the Sanctuary. If there are those present that you have not met, take the time to introduce yourself and say “Hello.”*

Next week’s scripture & sermon

Second Sunday in Advent-PEACE

Philippians 4: 4 – 8; Luke 2: 10, 13 – 14

“Our Peace Always Comes From Christ”

The lovely flowers on the altar today are given
by Yuni Baldwin

“To the glory of God and in loving memory of
John A. Baldwin, Jr. & his birthday - Dec 4.”

Welcome Visitors!

We are glad you have chosen to worship here today. You may become a member of Jolliff Church by profession of faith and baptism (if not previously baptized) or by transfer of your membership from another Christian church. Please indicate your interest on the attendance pad or speak to the pastor.

We have a nursery available for children birth – Kindergarten in the Education Building (brick building.) Childcare volunteers will lead the children to the Nursery and Children’s Church following Children’s Time.

Children’s Church for Grades 1 – 5

Children’s Church has become a wonderful interactive worship for children. All children in grades 1 – 5 are invited to attend. Kids will be led over to the Education Bldg following Children’s Time.

Children’s Bulletins

Child-friendly bulletins for 3-6 years & 7-12 years that coordinate with the Pastor’s sermon are available. Please ask an usher for one for your child.

Opportunities for Ministry

This Week – Nov 29

Today:	NO Regular Youth Program		
Tues:	Soup/Salad Kitchen for Oasis Social Ministries		
Wed:	6:00 PM	Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal	Welcome Center
	7:15 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
	7:00 PM	CEAHOW Group	Fellowship Hall
Thurs:	Family Dinner Night-Dinner Served 6:00 – 6:45 PM		Fellowship Hall
	Children’s Program 6:30 - 7:00 PM w/Kaleigh Killebrew		Room #3/F. Hall
	Please sign up for dinner by noon Tuesday		
	7:00 PM	Building Committee Meeting	Fellowship Hall
Fri:	4:00 PM	Youth Leave for Retreat @ Eagle Eyrie/Return Sun	
Sat:	8 a – 12 noon	Jolliff Day School “Parents’ Morning Out”	Fellowship Hall
	1 – 3 pm	Parkinson’s Support Group	Fellowship Hall
	(Child care provided for Sunday School & Worship Services)		

Mark Your Calendars. . .

Dec	6	Second Sunday in Advent/Communion Sunday	
	8	10 am	Jolliff DS Holiday Concert Dress Rehearsal
			Congregation Invited
		6:30 pm	Jolliff Day School Holiday Concert
			Reception to follow in Fellowship Hall
		6:30 pm	United Methodist Women Meet
		7:00 pm	Women’s Prayer Circle @ Kelly Peacock’s Home/ 4416 Old Woodland Drive/Ches-Bring a “White Elephant” gift & \$3.50
	11	5:45 pm	Youth, Choir, & Friends Christmas Caroling- Prkng Lot/F. Hall
	12	8a-2p	Gingerbread House Workshop
	13	Third Sunday in Advent	
	14	6:00 pm	Staff Christmas Party @ Pastor Smitty & Janice’s Home
	19	6:00pm	Dinner (Fried Chicken, Green Beans, Baked Potato & Salad Bar, Assorted Desserts) in F. Hall followed by the play “Clueless @ Christmas”/ Sanct

Prayer Concerns

Jolliff Church Family:

Allan Vanderploeg (chemo/doing well), Nita Eason (knee surgery), Shirley Baucom (hypertension/testing), Kyle Skrobiszewski (Juvenile Diabetes), Frances Delk, Anne Hill (recovering), Frank Williams, T. J. Riden, Bill Brigge, Nathan Dashiell (Juvenile Diabetes), Sarah Peacock (recovering), Tyler Walls (autism), Michael May, Ruby Baker, Edith Jones

Jolliff Church Shut-ins:

Vivian Collins (home), Justine Dingus (home), Doris Leigh (home), Eleanor O’Grady (Ches Health/Rehab), Lucille Phelps (Dom Village-Ches), Virginia Price (Beth Shalom/Auburn Dr.), Shirley & Marjorie Rountree (Home), Martha Sadler (Sentara Nur Care/Ches), Virginia Snoddy (Home), Joyce Thomas (Sentara Nurs Care/Ports), Cleo Townsend (NC)

Jolliff Church Friends & Relatives:

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| 1. Emmarene Brown (98yr old/broken hip/Harry B) | 2. Steve Y & Carol Richey-Yowell (recovering/home) |
| 3. Mark Sawyer (ALS/Pam B) | 4. Robert Anderson (terminal cancer) |
| 5. Joseph Dempsey (toddler w/speech& growth prob) | 6. Bud Potts (prostate cancer/Robin W’s dad) |
| 7. Jane Moss (recurrent cancer) | 8. Cathy (needs kidney) & Jerry (donating) Robins |
| 9. Bruce Johnson (lost job/Dawn B) | 10. Adison Billiot (micropremie/Robin W) |
| 11. Gene Houck (hospice/Jeff’s mom) | 12. Robyn Linner (breast cancer/Dawn B) |
| 13. Susan (Justine D’s neighbor) | 14. Albert Neilson (emerg surg/Diane O’s dad) |
| 15. Courtney & Jadence Balch (Kelly P) | 16. Eleanor O’Grady (oxygen) |
| 17. TW Price (Monica B’s brother) | 18. Laurel Reeves (cancer/Monica B) |
| 19. Mark Godwin (cancer/Monica B) | 20. Carol B (cancer/Sandy C’s friend) |
| 21. Michael Wolfe (Christopher’s dad) | 22. Dan, Paula, & Baby Courtenay (hole in heart) |
| 23. Bruce Sawyer (nephew of Darrell & Marilyn W) | 24. George Matson (uncle of Christopher & Yvonne) |
| 25. Dashiell extended family | 26. Pauline (domestic violence/Ellen H) |
| 27. Mary Blanchard & Connie/niece (Shirley B) | 28. Carol Russel (Gene B) |
| 29. John Hetrick (25 yr old w/rare cancer) | 30. Megan Wiggs (11yr old/motorcycle accident) |
| 31. Marta Garrett (recovery/breast cancer) | 32. Harold Gordon (complications/diabetes/Mike G) |
| 33. Dale Flick (cancer/Virginia Laughter) | 34. Lawrence George (Johns Hopkins) |
| 35. Connie Johns (Bobby Baucom’s daughter) | 36. Charles Hawthorne (bone cancer/Pam S) |
| 37. Frank Brittingham (cancer/Rose G) | 38. John & Janet (Janet’s mother very ill) |
| 39. Jackie Sandt (cancer/Jeff H’s sister) | 40. Debbie Cuthriell (Shirley B’s daughter) |
| 41. Debbie & Eddy Hill (breast cancer/Jerre G) | 42. Lindsey Gaskins (cancer) |
| 43. Monica Smith (cancer/teaches w/Karen H) | 44. Lola Faye Smith (Patsy P) |
| 45. Susan Vest (possible cancer/Donna H) | 46. Doug Edwards (lungs) |
| 47. Elijah, Daisy, & Annie (Holderman’s grandkids) | 48. Jermaine George & family (Viola G) |
| 49. Jean Munn (hospice/Gary’s mom) | 50. Camille/family/Paula & Husband (Rose G) |
| 51. Joan & Jimmy Powell | 52. Carol Hornbeck (diabetes) |
| 53. Liz Currie (colon cancer) | 54. Lester Scarborough (Erving G’s Brother) |
| 55. Amy (lupus) & Zachary (cancer) Ozmon | 56. Donna Lavin (cancer) |
| 57. Mary Gray (Erv’s mom) | 58. Amy & Alexis Williams (Carolyn W) |
| 59. Martina Natoli | |

20	<i>Fourth Sunday in Advent</i>		
	11:00 am	Children's Christmas Program	Sanctuary
	5:00 pm	Choir Party	Fellowship Hall
21	6:30 pm	Staff Parish Relations Committee	Fellowship Hall
	7:15 pm	Church Council	Fellowship Hall
24	7:30 pm	Christmas Eve Lessons & Carol Candlelight Service	Sanctuary
27	10-11:30 am	Breakfast and ONE SERVICE ONLY	Welcome Ctr/Sanct

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Youth Group Christmas Mail

For a donation, your Youth Group will *hand deliver* your Christmas Cards to church members and constituents in the area of Jolliff church. Just give your addressed cards to Penny Kirmes.

13 12:00 PM Women's Prayer Circle Christmas Luncheon
Applebee's Restaurant/College Dr/Suffolk/11:30 Meet @ Kirmes if you want to carpool.