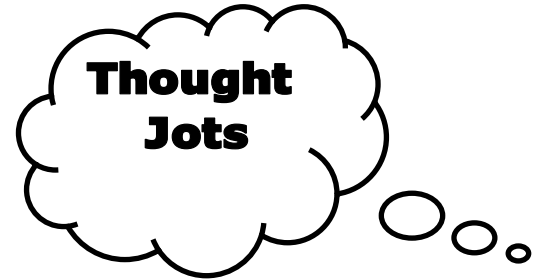




**Lewisburg United
Methodist Church
Worship Service
January 2, 2022 at 10am**



Keep the Faith

Share the Faith

Time to Gather—Greet one another!

We Three Kings, arr. Nevue
Shared by Lara Edwards

Welcome!

Rev. Bev Colombo & Rev. Tiler Bland

Call to Worship

Opening Song UMH 245*

The First Noel

A Word for Children

Shared by Rev. Bev

Song of Praise

Sweet Little Jesus Boy

Shared by Will Proud, Chris Hicks, and Lara

Today's Scripture Lesson

Matthew 2:1-2

The Message

Wisemen Passed the Peace

Shared by Rev. Tiler Bland

Holy Communion

Song of Communion*

Table of Grace

Sharing Our Prayer Concerns & Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song UMH 249*

There's A Song in the Air—verses 1 & 4

***Indicates you are invited to sing.**

Lyrics are located on the screens and on the back of this bulletin.

****Have a prayer concern? Write it on a slip of paper located on the table in the center of the sanctuary and it will be given to the Prayer Concerns Reader.**

Farewell, Rev. Tiler....



Please join us for donuts, coffee and fellowship after worship today as we bid a fond farewell to Rev. Tiler Bland who is moving to Wilson, NC for a full-time ministry position! We DONUT know what we are going to do without you, Rev. Tiler! We love you and will miss you!!

Opening Song: The First Noel, UMH 245

The first Noel the angel did say
was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;
in fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
on a cold winter's night that was so deep.
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

They looked up and saw a star
in the east, beyond them far;
and to the earth it gave great light,
and so it continued both day and night.
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

And by the light of that same star,
three Wise Men came from country far;
to seek for a king was their intent,
and to follow the star wherever it went.
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

This star drew nigh to the northwest,
o'er Bethlehem it took its rest;
and there it did both stop and stay,
right over the place where Jesus lay.
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

Then entered in those Wise Men three,
full reverently upon the knee,
and offered there, in his presence,
their gold and myrrh and frankincense.
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

Song of Communion: Table of Grace

Come to the table of grace.
Come to the table of grace.
This is God's table;
it's not yours or mine.
Come to the table of grace.

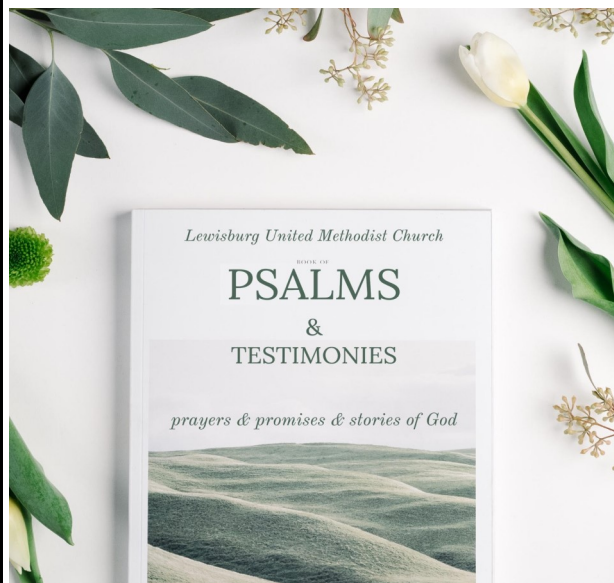
2. Come to the table of peace...
3. Come to the table of love...
4. Come to the table of joy...

Closing Song: UMH 249, v. 1 & 4 There's A Song in the Air

There's a song in the air!
There's a star in the sky!
There's a mother's deep prayer
and a baby's low cry!
And the star rains its fire
while the beautiful sing,
for the manger of Bethlehem
cradles a King!

We rejoice in that light,
and we echo the song
that comes down through the night
from the heavenly throng.
Ay! We shout to the lovely
evangel they bring,
and we greet in his cradle
our Savior and King!

Looking Ahead! A New Sermon Series Begins Next Sunday, January 9th!



from January 9 through February 27

Sundays at 10 AM

<i>Jan 9 - Psalm 23</i>	<i>Feb 6 - Psalm 51</i>
<i>Jan 16 - Psalm 139</i>	<i>Feb 13 - Psalm 27</i>
<i>Jan 23 - Psalm 103</i>	<i>Feb 20 - Psalm 118</i>
<i>Jan 30 - Psalm 121</i>	<i>Feb 27 - Psalm 100</i>