

Sunday, December 8, 2024 - Traditional 8:00 am

Music for Gathering

Introit *“Carol of the Bells”*

Community Connection

Advent Candle Lighting

Introit *“People, Look East”* UMH #202 v. 1, 3, 4

† **Hymn / Carol** *“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”* UMH #211 v. 1, 2

† **Opening Prayer**

† **Response** *“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”* UMH #211 v. 6

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading **Malachi 3:1-4, CEB**

Hymn *“Blessed Be The God of Israel”* UMH #209 v. 1

Gospel Reading **Luke 1:67-80, CEB**

Hymn *“Blessed Be The God of Israel”* UMH #209 v. 3

New Testament Reading **Philippians 1:3-11, NRSV**

The Offering

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory / Special Music *“Masters in this Hall”*

† **Doxology** *“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”* UMH #94

† **Offertory Prayer**

Choral Anthem *“Child of Peace”*

Gospel Reading **Luke 3:1-6, NRSV**

Sermon *“Give It All You’ve Got”* Rev. Ron Bartlow

Living our Faith

† **Closing Hymn / Carol** *“It Came Upon the Midnight Clear”* UMH #218 v. 1, 4

† **Benediction**

Postlude

Piano: Brent Burmeister | Choir: Early Bird Choir | Bell Choir: Joyful Ringers

† indicates times we will invite the congregation to stand / remain standing.

