

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

December 4th, 2022

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Prelude	<i>Stephanie Barber & Beverly Dunlop</i>	
Chiming of the Trinity		
Welcome and Announcements		<i>Connie Weaver</i>
*Hymn of Praise	"Joyful, Joyful"	<i>#271</i>
Advent Wreath Lighting		<i>Jared & Melissa Bailey</i>
Opening Prayer		<i>Pastor Weaver</i>
Prayer of Confession		

Merciful God, in your presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The fears and jealousies we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason. Please heal us and set us free to serve as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. Amen.

Special Music **"Go Tell It on the Mountain"**
"Dona Nobis Pacem" *Joyful Noise*

TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

First Reading	Psalm 148:1-14 (Pew Bible OT Pg. 557)	
Anthem	"The First Noel"	<i>Joyful Noise</i>
Children's Message:		<i>Diann Fortune</i>
Second Reading	Colossians 3: 12-17 (Pew Bible NT Pg. 189)	
	This is the Word of the Lord	
	Thanks be to God	
Sermon	"Jangled: What's That I Hear?"	<i>Pastor Weaver</i>
Moment of Reflection		<i>Beverly Dunlop</i>
Prayers of the People		<i>Pastor Weaver</i>
Offering		<i>Stephanie Barber</i>
*Doxology		<i>#815</i>

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn of Sending	"Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus"	<i>#244</i>
Benediction	Emily & Jonathan – Harp, "The Prayer" D.J.	
*Blessing and Charge		<i>Pastor Weaver</i>
Postlude	<i>Stephanie Barber & Beverly Dunlop</i>	

1886 CULDEE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 2022

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (New Additions in bold)

Diane Aldridge	Greg Davis	Darrell McKenzie
Clara & Bill Bailey	Shawn McDonald	Lloyd McKenzie
Ray & Connie Barber	Carson Dennis	Robin McKenzie
Paul Barker	Elise & Arthur Dersche	Mary Francis-
Donna Bean	Sherri Dunlap	Whitesell Mills Family
Wayne Black	Richard Dunlop	Jr. Moon
Lauren Bobo	Gail Farmer	Amy Norris
Rebecca Bowen	Dennis Fortune	John Patterson
Evelyn Caddell	Stacy Griffin	Mike & Cathy Salargo
Larry Cagle	Margaret Hall	Jim Stewart
Cade Carlson	David Holt	Al Taylor
Wes Cole	Carolyn Lea	Jeff Thompson
Roger Craven	Ricky Lea Family	Darlene Valitutto
Eric Crisco	Tamara Lee	Rod Ward
Sheila Crisswell	Vickie Marsh	Denise Williams

(Military) - Kasey Spry, Jaiden Washington, Tony Cox

Remember our Missionaries: Pastor Sidor in Haiti.

The Culdee String Ensemble will be performing instrumental Christmas Carols at the Carthage Museum Christmas Open House **TODAY, Dec 4th, at 2:00 pm.** Please come by for a festive tour of a beautifully decorated historic journey down memory lane in Carthage and enjoy the music and refreshments. The museum is located at 202 Rockingham St. Carthage, NC

Today – 5:00 to 7:00 pm **"Pizza, Prayer and Christmas Lights"**



The Sunday Funday group will meet together at 5:00 pm, have pizza and worship together. Afterwards we will travel to Highlanders Farm for the Christmas Light Show. This Sunday opportunity is offered by Highlanders Farm for free to retirement homes and youth groups. Permission to transport will be required. See Patti Burke for more information.