Upcoming Events and Information

Sun Dec 8: 2nd Sunday of Advent
Sun Dec 15: 3rd Sunday of Advent
Sun Dec 22: 4th Sunday of Advent
Tues Dec 24: Willis Chapel Christmas Eve Worship @ 12 Noon
Tues Dec 24: Sperryville Christmas Eve Worship @ 8:00PM
Sun Dec 29: A service of Scripture and Carols (Pastor Jeff off)

Back to Mossy Creek Chronicles. Check out Pastor Steve Frazier's Advent Narrative Sermon Series Project. It is available on Facebook (Back to Mossy Creek Chronicles). Copies of each sermon are also in the back of the church sanctuaries.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

FLINT HILL: 5 Shelby Welch, 30 Stefanie Johnson **SPERRYVILLE:** 12 Camron Wayland, Carrington Wayland **WILLIS CHAPEL:** 12 James Costello, 17 Alyson Flint, 26 Bruce Monismith, 27 Richard Burke, 28 Judy Costello, 29 Alan Fox

DECEMBER MISSION

Continued Food Pantry Collections

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December 8, 2024 2nd Sunday of Advent

Sunday Morning Worship

8:45 AM: Flint Hill 9:55 AM: Willis Chapel 11:15 AM: Sperryville



PO BOX 97 Flint Hill, VA 22627 www.rappumc.com RAPPAHANNOCK CHARGE December 8, 2024 2nd Sunday of Advent *Invitation to stand ENTRANCE

PRELUDE ENTER LIGHT OF CHRIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

A voice cries out in the wilderness, **Prepare the way of the Lord,** Make straight in the desert a highway for our God. **May all the nations shout with joy!** To all the faithful, to those who turn to the Lord. **Surely salvation is at hand for those who fear the Lord.**

Lord of our redemption, come quickly Lord, come quickly. Amen.

***OPENING PRAYER**

Merciful God, you sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and to prepare the way for our salvation. Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may greet with joy the coming of Christ Jesus, our Redeemer who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*HYMN 2089 Wild and Lone the Prophet's Voice (TFWS)

ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION P6 SCRIPTURE: Malachi 3:1-4 **CANTICLE OF ZECHARIAH P208 SCRIPTURE:** Philippians 1:9-11 **SCRIPTURE: Luke 3:1-6 SERMON RESPONSE TO THE WORD** HYMN 211 O Come, O Come, Emmanuel (vv 1,2,3) **CONCERNS AND PRAYERS** PASTORAL PRAYER **OFFERING** *HYMN 95 Doxology **OFFERING PRAYER**

THANKSGIVING

PRAISES PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN 203 Hail to the Lord's Anointed *BENEDICTION *SHALOM *POSTLUDE