

Benediction

Postlude

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who join us for worship today. If you are without a church home, you will be warmly welcomed into our fellowship. We are glad you are here! Please like us on Facebook and visit our website at <a href="https://www.firstpresbeaufort.org">www.firstpresbeaufort.org</a> for sermons, news, and current events.

TODAY THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO the Glory of God, by the flower committee.

**SAVE THE DATE** for this years **Nativity Display** which will be on display in sanctuary windows starting December 4 and going to January 6. The nativities will also be lit during the evening.

THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE is very excited to challenge First Presbyterian Church to give 25 units of blood through One Blood between now and Christmas. We have chosen this mission because it directly serves our community and has a very real impact on local lives that may find themselves in need. One Blood also offers antibody testing.

Where: One Blood Donation Center, 1001 Boundary St.

When: Between now and December 24, 2020

How: Make an appointment by visiting online at oneblood.org or by calling 843-522-0409

Report: Text Allison at 843-812-8220 I gave! and your name or even better send a picture of your "post giving flex"

## POINSETTIAS WILL BE USED TO DECORATE THE OUTSIDE FOR WORSHIP.

If you would like to purchase a poinsettia in honor of, or in memory of a loved one, please return this completed form to the church office or place in the offering plate with \$13.00 for each one ordered. Poinsettias must be paid for in advance and may be picked up after the worship service on Sunday, Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> or after the Christmas Eve services. *All orders must be received no later than Sunday, Dec. 13th* 

	POINSETTIA ORDER FORM	\$13.00
GIVEN BY:		□ Cash
		□ Check
IN MEMORY OF:		
IN HONOR OF:		

## MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS: AWAKENING THE SPIRIT IN US TO BECOME MORE COMPASSIONATE.

"Never let success go to your head, or failures to your heart." - Anonymous



A Service for the Worship of God First Sunday of Advent November 29, 2020 11:00 AM



To all who are weary and need rest,
To all who mourn and need comfort,
To all who are lonely and need friendship,
To all who are glad and would serve their neighbors,
To all who are complacent and need disturbing,
To all who sin and need a Savior,
This church opens wide its doors
In the name of Christ and bids you welcome.

Sanctuary: 410 Church Street

Office, Education & Outreach Building: 1201 North Street firstpresbeaufort.org 843–524–3051 www.facebook.com/firstpresbeaufort info@firstpresbeaufort.org





Welcome & Call to Worship .......Reverend Becky Albright

Hymn (Verses 1,2,5,7)...... O Come O Come Emmanuel

## 88 O Come, O Come, Emmanuel



here un - til the Son of God show; and teach us in her ways law in cloud and maj - es - ty save and give them vic-tory o'er and awe.



5 O come, thou Key of David, come, and open wide our heavenly home; make safe the way that leads on high, and close the path to misery. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.

- 6 O come, thou Dayspring, come and cheer our spirits by thine advent here; disperse the gloomy clouds of night, and death's dark shadows put to flight. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.
- 7 O come, Desire of nations, bind all peoples in one heart and mind; bid envy, strife, and discord cease; fill the whole world with heaven's peace. Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.

Lighting the Advent Wreath..... Leanne and Andrew Jones
Brinson

Watch and wait for Christ's coming! We light candles of hope, peace, joy, and love, remembering the promises of God with prayer.

Today, we light this candle in hope.

He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Prayer: God of hope, out of death you bring life.
Renew us in hope, so that we may be alert
to the dawning of Christ's advent among us.
God of promise, God of hope,
into our darkness come. Amen.

Gospel Lesson ...... Mark 13:24-37

Sermon ......Advent, Anxiety, Agitation Reverend Becky Albright

Apostles' Creed

I BELIEVE in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.

Amen



Drop Off Location 1201 North Street— in front of the education building
Please box or bag your food and place it in the trunk of your car
Just pop your trunk when you pull up and a volunteer will unload your items.

Needs: canned beans, peanut butter, jelly, canned veggies and meat (low sodium and water packed are good), brown rice, pasta, apple sauce, tomato products (diced tomatoes, spaghetti sauce, salsa, ect.), rolled oats, cereal

You can also drop off a monetary donation for Beaufort-Salem Presbyterian Church (make checks payable to First Pres—note that the check is for Beaufort-Salem)