

# Road to Bethlehem

## Advent at First Presbyterian Church of North East



### Join us each Sunday as we experience the “Road to Bethlehem.”

Pastor Gregg Townsend will offer thoughtful and inspiring messages based on Isaiah 40, and our Music Ministry has many special songs planned, as we prepare our hearts this Advent season. *These ancient roads are telling the story of love come down and mercy found.*

#### **Sunday, December 2 AT 10:30 AM**

#### **ADVENT WORSHIP SERVICE**

Begin your Advent journey with us on the first Sunday of Advent, as we light the first Advent candle, and the Chancel Choir sings our Advent song “Ancient Roads.” Pastor Gregg will offer the message, “The Word of God,” and we will celebrate communion.

#### **Sunday, December 2 AT 4:00 PM**

#### **ADVENT PROGRAM AND DINNER**

Join us in the Sanctuary at 4:00 PM for our annual Family Advent Program, featuring the Hanging of the Greens. Dinner follows in Fellowship Hall.

#### **Sunday, December 9 AT 10:30 AM**

#### **ADVENT WORSHIP SERVICE**

Join us for worship on the second Sunday of Advent. Pastor Gregg will offer the message, “The Shepherd,” our Bell Choir will ring, and we will light the second Advent candle.

#### **Sunday, December 16 AT 10:30 AM**

#### **ADVENT WORSHIP SERVICE**

On the third Sunday of Advent, Pastor Gregg will offer the message, “The Holy One.” Join us for worship as we will light the third Advent candle. The Chancel Choir will offer a special selection from this year’s Christmas Cantata.

#### **Sunday, December 23 AT 10:30 AM**

#### **CHRISTMAS CANTATA AND WORSHIP SERVICE**

Share in this musical worship service on the fourth Sunday of Advent as we will light the fourth Advent candle. Our Chancel Choir, along with some special musical guests, will offer the cantata, “Shine On Us.”

#### **Monday, December 24 AT 7:30 PM**

#### **CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE**

Join us for our annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Service. Pastor Gregg will share a special message, and our Music Ministry fills the air with joyful music, as we will light the Christ candle and we celebrate the birth of our Savior.

#### **Tuesday, December 25 AT 10:30 AM**

#### **CHRISTMAS MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**

Pastor Gregg will lead us in a special Christmas Day communion service.

#### **Sunday, December 30 AT 10:30 AM**

#### **SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE**

End 2018 and usher in 2019 by joining us for a worship service filled with readings and carols.