

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Winnebago, Illinois
December 20, 2009
10:30 AM
PREPARING FOR THE WORD

Prelude "The Shepherds' Christmas" arr. Benton Price

Introit

Welcome, Announcements

Call to Worship

*Hymn "Angels We Have Heard on High" #23

Prayer of Adoration and Confession
(concluding with The Lord's Prayer)

Assurance of Forgiveness
*Gloria Patri #579

Lighting of the Advent Candle Mick & Tricia Franklin

RECEIVING THE WORD

Choir Cantata "Child of Peace"

Sharing of the Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Gifts & Offerings "O Holy Night"

*Doxology #592

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*Hymn "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus" #2

Benediction

Choral Three-Fold Amen

Postlude "To The Glory Of God" E. K. Heyser

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Church 815-335-2051
Last week's attendance 204
Last week's offering \$3354.50

SHARING THE WORD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

Every member a minister...

Pastor	Rev. Steve Shullanberger
Music Director	Kelly Beaman
Organist/Accompanist	Bev Samsel, Scott Farrell
Special music	Erica Reed
Sound	Rick Carr
Ushers	Chuck Rittmeyer, Skip Leden, Bob Samsel
Greeters	Roger & Joanne Christin
Acolytes	Kaleigh Freimuth, Cora Mueller

Announcements

Anna's Coupons are available. They are \$10 and you get \$10 of Anna's pizza or pasta. You may get them from any Work Camper. Work campers receive \$3 for every \$10 coupon sold. **THANK YOU** to Brian Weavel for his generosity.

Flowers/Bulletins anyone wishing to sponsor flowers or bulletins may sign up on the sheets that are on the bulletin board. The cost for bulletins will be \$15 and flowers will be \$12.50 for one arrangement or \$25 for two arrangements.

Cookbooks The Country Classic Collection Cookie Cook Book is available for \$5. The youth cook book is available as well.

Chancel Choir Members:

Sopranos:

Judie Coots
Sue Jansen
Lisa Mitchell
Bev O'Brien
Lisa Rittmeyer

Altos:

April Haeflinger
Janet Klinger
Sheree Sensel

Basses:

Lynn Coots
Jeff Fuller
Scott Farrell

Tenors:

Bob Reed
Clyde Grover

Narrators: Lucas Bybee, Kasey Benson
Music director Kelly Beaman-(Baritone)

*Bulletins today are sponsored by:
Betsy Menge in memory of Clarence Menge*

The Church Website is <http://www.thewfpc.org>. The prayer request email is: prayer@thewfpc.org

All groups meet at the church unless otherwise specified.

Choir will meet on Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Praise Band will not meet again until January 4.

Deacons will not meet again until January.

Quiet Activity bags to occupy young children are hanging in the narthex, or see an usher for a children's Gospel Gram.

Nursery care available during the service for children 3 & under.

Please take the time to sign the red attendance books and let us know of any special requests.

Year End Reports If your group has met for the final time this year, please submit your Annual report to the office. All reports should be in no later than January 6.

Christmas Eve Service will be at 4 p.m. and the late service will be at Middle Creek church at 11 p.m.

Please take a moment before leaving and check your pew for any litter and help us keep our church looking beautiful, Thank you.

Please keep in prayer: Margaret Jueal. Evelyn Dirksen.
Jim and Lois Schultz.

Child of Peace - A Musical for Christmas

*Music by Mark Hayes (ASCAP)
Lyrics by Pamela Martin (BMI)
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*Today's Cantata performance is dedicated
in memory of Mike Leden*

*Prepare the Way with: O Come, O Come, Emmanuel
Traditional Latin Text
Translated by John M. Neale and
Henry S. Coffin
15th Century, French Melody
Adapted by Thomas Helmore*

Magnificat (April Haeflinger, Alto Solo)

Child of Peace

*Glory to God! with Angels We Have Heard on High
Traditional French Carol
Translated by James Chadwick*

Shepherds, Arise! (Kelly Beaman, Baritone Solo)

Peace Medley

*We Worship and Adore You
Composer Unknown*

*Peace Medley-continued
Abiding Peace
Mark Hayes*

*Silent Night
Music by Franz X. Grüber
Words by Joseph Mohr
Translated by John F. Young*

*Come, All Ye Faithful
Words and Music by John Francis Wade
Latin Words Translated by Frederick Oakeley*

Peace Prayer (Underscore)

Finale

*The Peaceable Kingdom
Hayes, Martin*

*Child of Peace
Hayes, Martin*

*Worthy is the Lamb
Hayes*

*For Unto Us a Child is Born
George Frideric Handel*

*Hark the Herald Angels Sing
Mendelssohn-Bartholdy, Charles Wesley
Text Altered by George Whitefield*