

Christmas at LPC

December is filled with opportunities to celebrate the coming of the Christ Child and this year brings a few changes that are important for you to know about.

December 12 Third Sunday in Advent

We continue our Advent journey as Peter shares the importance of Seeing the Light. How this heavenly light guided the shepherds and the wise men and still shines on us today.

December 19 Fourth Sunday in Advent

Join the Sanctuary Choir, Handbell Choir, and more in The Wonder of Christmas: A Collection of Scripture and Song, Poetry and Carols in celebration of Advent. A new work of collected poems, songs, carols, and scripture focusing on how Advent can move us from darkness to light, despair to hope, sadness to Joy!

December 19 - The Wonder of Christmas
at 8:30 and 11 a.m. in the Sanctuary



December 24 Christmas Eve Services

Bring your family, friends, neighbors, co-workers to a worship filled with your favorite carols as Peter shares a message from John 1, titled "Got Light?"

IMPORTANT:

This year our Christmas Eve worship times are changing as follows:

5 p.m. Family Candlelight Service
6:30 p.m. Candlelight Service
8 p.m. Candlelight Service with Communion
(all services are in the Sanctuary)

Sunday, December 26

11 a.m. Combined Worship Service in the Sanctuary.

Sunday School--Sunday mornings at 9:45 a.m. Everyone Welcome

Adult classes located in the Classroom/Office Wing:

Faith Weavers- Jim VanDeGrift in Room 102

Faith Explorers - Gary Ensing in Room 313

Bible in Life - Jim Garrett in Room 306

Parents Connecting - Christy Johnson and John Untener in Room 307

S.A.L.T. class - in Room 309

Vintage - Teens and parents of youth grade 7-12 in LPC Youth Center

Vintage - LPC Student Center

Parents and Jr. High/High School students are invited to a time of student led devotion and a mix of large and small group discussions. Please join us as we breathe life into something old.

Children's classes located on third floor of the Classroom/Office Wing: LPC offers children a chance to learn about God's Word every Sunday from 9:45 until 10:45 a.m. Children's classes are organized according to age groups and taught by vibrant, exciting, and knowledgeable Christian teachers.

Nursery Care: On Sunday mornings, nursery care is offered for children three and under. The nursery provides a warm, loving, fun and safe environment for children.

Preschool – 4th Grade Classes: These classes journey chronologically through the Bible, learning about God and His great love for them and how what they learn about in class can be applied to their lives.

Engage 5th and 6th Grade Class: This class delves into deep topics that preteens begin to have questions about as they strive to make their faith their own. Each week, they will discuss a hard to answer faith question and look at what the Bible has to say about it.

Family Room

We have a Family Room with worship audio located next to our Welcome Center.



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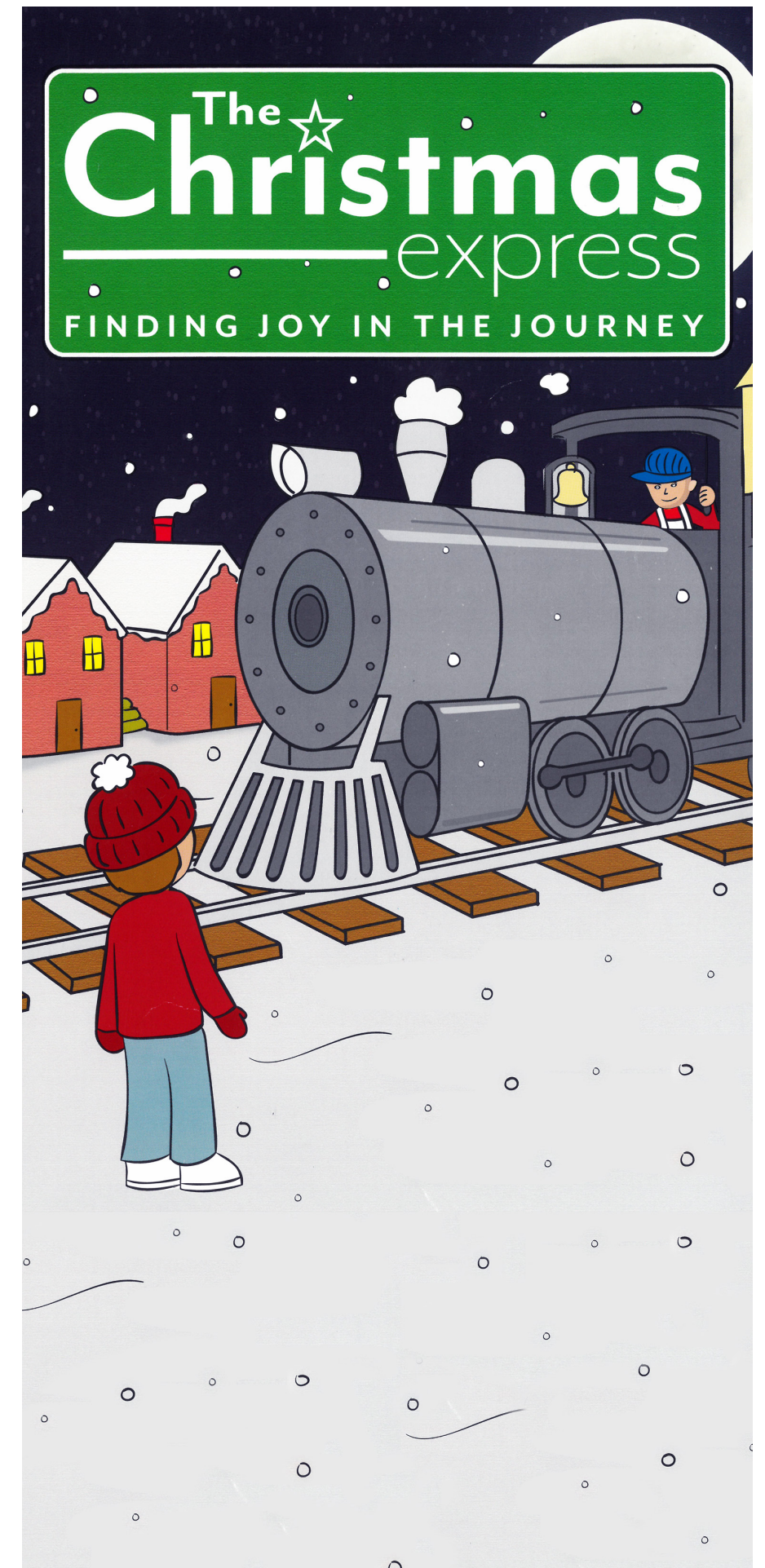
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Sunday, December 5, 2021

10 a.m. Combined Worship Service

Second Sunday of Advent

WE GATHER

Welcome and Announcements The Rev. Peter Larson

Ministry Minute: Read the Bible in a Year or Two

*Call to Worship The Rev. Peter Larson
Leader: A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse.
People: From his roots, a Branch will bear fruit.
Leader: The Spirit of the Lord will rest on him,
The Spirit of wisdom and of understanding.
People: The Spirit of counsel and of might,
The Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the Lord.
Leader: Righteousness will be his belt and faithfulness the sash
around his waist.
People: The wolf will live with the lamb; the leopard will lie down
with the goat. The calf and the lion and the yearling
together.
All: And a little child will lead them.

Hark the Herald Angels Sing
Woah! Woah!

Hark! The herald angels sing, “Glory to the newborn King;
Peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!”

Joyful, all ye nations rise, join the triumph of the skies;
With the angelic host proclaim, “Christ is born in Bethlehem!
Hark! the herald angels sing, “Glory to the newborn King!”

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Hail the heaven born Prince of Peace! hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings, risen with healing in His wings.

Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die.
Born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth.
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Lighting the Advent Candle
The Peace Candle Dalzelle Family

What Child is This?

What child is this who, laid to rest,
on Mary’s lap is sleeping,
whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
while shepherds watch are keeping?

This, this is Christ the King,
whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
haste, haste to bring him laud,
the babe, the son of Mary.

So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh,
come, peasant, king, to own him.
The King of kings salvation brings;
let loving hearts enthrone him.

This, this is Christ the King,
whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
haste, haste to bring him laud,
the babe, the son of Mary.

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The Christmas Express

Finding Joy in the Journey

All Aboard the Christmas Express!

Good News! Great Joy!

Jesus Is the Reason for the Season

Before the Rocks Cry Out

J Is for Jesus!

A Miracle Working God

Joy to the World!

Finale (All Aboard the Christmas Express/Joy in the Journey)

Charge and Benediction The Rev. Peter Larson

Following worship, at the back of the Ark, there will be
refreshments and a time to meet and greet the cast!

The Christmas Express

Cast

Voice over: Vivian Garter
Max: Rory Earley
Hadley-Grace: Hadley-Grace Fear
Eastleigh: Eastleigh Johnson
Lai Lai: Lai Lai McClain
Nae Nae: Nae Nae McClain
Brittany: Brittany Thomas
Lilly: Lilly Foster
Jocelyn: Jocelyn Williams
Larenah: Larenah Thompson
Mr. Hollingsworth: Micah Earley
Conductor: Ian Butler
Jenny: Reagan Williams
Mrs. Davis: Piper Williams
Jenny’s friend: Kai Earley
Bella: Bella Lisle
Weslyn: Weslyn Allison

Chorus

Maxi Allison
Ivy Bromer
Jaelynn Carter
Noelle Chima
Charlotte-Joi Fear
Lexey-Shay Fear
Griffin Goodwin
Oliver Goodwin
Aaron Johnson
Caleb Johnson
Corinne Lindeen
Noah Lindeen
Rayna Lisle
Skylar Lisle
Katarina Skujins
Maks Skujins
Matty Strouse
William Strouse
Boone Tabar
Hadleigh Tabar
Malachi Thompson

Director: Beth Larson

Props: Rob, Rachel, Andrew, Allie, and Matthew Rachedi,
Molly and Tillia Lucas and Cub Scout Pack 436

Costumes: Jennifer Garter and Cheryl Bogen

Sound/Lighting/Media Technicians: LPC Crew

A note of thanks to
all the parents and grandparents for your
support and encouragement.