

## Weekly Highlight

### Welcome Gathering, January 8

Are you new to CUMC? Get to know us a little better. Join us on January 8 between worship services for an informal gathering. Meet our pastors and staff, and learn about our ministries, and how you can get involved. We look forward to welcoming you into the CUMC family. Welcome home!

## Welcome Gathering



**SUNDAY, JANUARY 8,  
AT 10:15 AM IN THE CHAPEL**

Have a cup of coffee,  
and meet the pastors and staff.

Learn about the ministries of CUMC  
and how to get involved.



## News and Events

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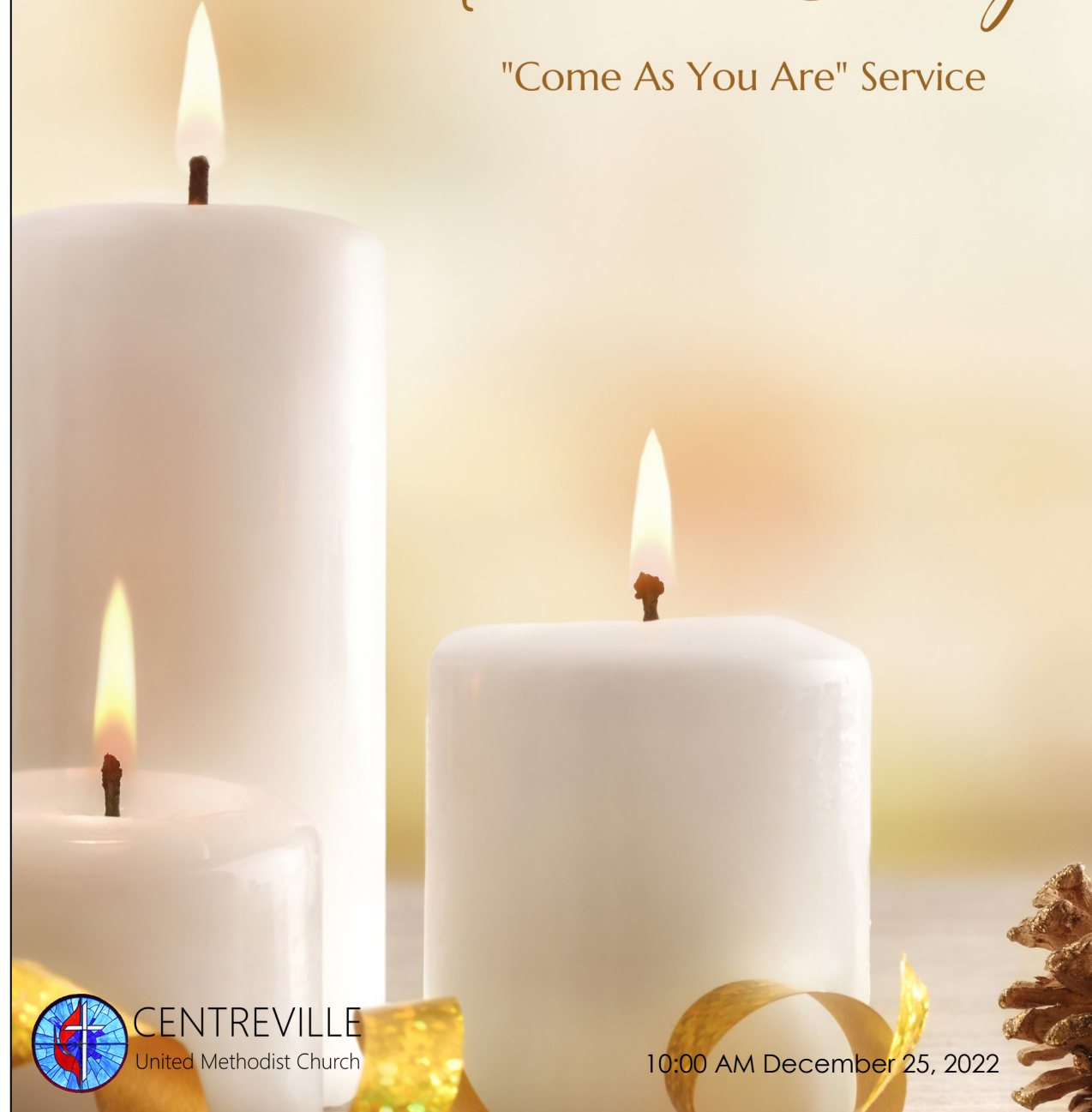
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# Christmas Day

"Come As You Are" Service



**CENTREVILLE**  
United Methodist Church

10:00 AM December 25, 2022

## The Service of Worship

(Please silence electronic devices)

Welcome Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Prelude *On This Day, Earth Shall Ring* arr. Tucker  
Becky Jackson, organ  
Bev Bissell, Kathy Smith - handbells

\*Call to Worship Rev. Geitra Mickelson  
Christ is born!  
**Alleluia!**  
Jesus is among us!  
**Alleluia!**  
Shout with joy, give thanks, and sing!  
**Christ is born!**

\*Carol *O Come, All Ye Faithful* Hymnal No. 234  
(Stzs. 1, 2, 5 and 6)

Opening Prayer  
**O almighty God, by the birth of Your holy child Jesus You gave us a great light to dawn on our darkness. Grant that in His light we may see light. Bestow upon us that excellent Christmas gift of love to all people, so that the likeness of Your Son may be formed in us, and that we may have the ever brightening hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

Anthem *Look Again at the Child* Lord  
Chancel Choir Ensemble

Blessing of Toys and Gifts

Sacrament of Baptism Colton Levi Cowles Hymnal Pg. 39

Hymn *Child of Blessing, Child of Promise* Hymnal No. 611  
(Stzs. 1 and 2)

Old Testament Lesson Isaiah 52:7-10 Pew Bible OT Pg. 683

\*Carol *Good Christian Friends, Rejoice* Hymnal No. 224

Epistle Lesson Hebrews 1:1-12 Pew Bible NT Pg. 218

\*Carol *What Child Is This* Hymnal No. 219

\*Gospel Lesson John 1:1-14 Pew Bible NT Pg. 91

Response:  
Pastor: The Word of God for the People of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God!**

Sermon "Born of God" Rev. Will Montgomery

Carol *Love Came Down at Christmas* Hymnal No. 242

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Geitra Mickelson

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

\*Carol *Go, Tell It on the Mountain* Hymnal No. 251

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Response *Gloria (Angels We Have Heard on High)* Hymnal No. 238

Postlude *Hark! the Herald Angels Sing* arr. Harmon  
Becky Jackson, organ

\* Please stand as you are able for this act of worship.