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(singles & couples age 18-35)

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Crossroads Tabletop Tavern
January 7 at 2:00 PM

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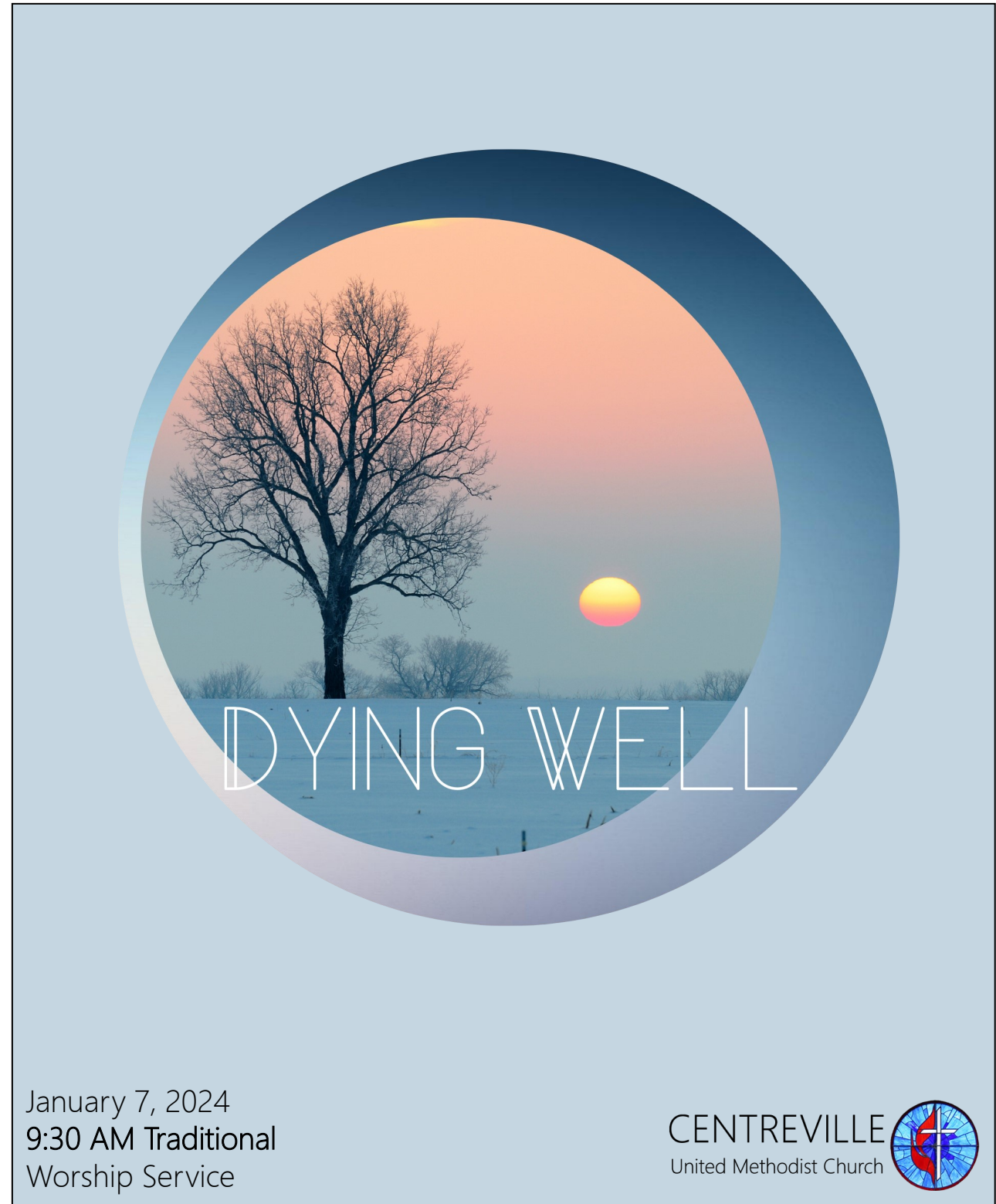
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January 7, 2024
9:30 AM Traditional
Worship Service

CENTREVILLE
United Methodist Church



The Service of Worship

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Welcome and Announcements		Rev. Matthew Smith
Leader: The Lord be with you.		
People: And also with you.		
Prelude	<i>O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright!</i> Laura Hesse, Organ	arr. Markull
*Call to Worship		Rev. Geitra Mickelson
Arise! Shine! The light you have been waiting for is here!		
Darkness has been banished!		
God's light of hope floods the earth.		
God's light comes to us all.		
Lord, make us ready to journey to this Light.		
Prepare our hearts to receive this Light.		
*Hymn	<i>I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light</i>	Hymnal No. 206
*Passing the Peace of Christ		Rev. Geitra Mickelson
Children Dismissed to Kid's Quest		
<i>Children will rejoin their families in the sanctuary for Communion.</i>		
Opening Prayer		Rev. Phil Mohr
God of promise and mysterious Light, be with us this day as we journey in our faith to meet Your Gift. Give us courage and hope along our way, as Your light will continue to glow brightly in our path, leading us to service and discipleship in Jesus' Name, Amen.		
*First Lesson	Matthew 2:1-11	Rev. Phil Mohr
Anthem	<i>Walk in the Light</i> Chancel Choir	arr. Thomas
*Second Lesson	Luke 9:57-62	Johannah Evans
Response		
Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.		
People: Thanks be to God.		
Sermon	"No Regrets"	Rev. Matthew Smith
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Celebration of Our Giving		Rev. Phil Mohr
Offertory	<i>See the Eastern Star</i>	arr. Burkhardt
	Please take a moment to register your attendance in the pew folders.	
*Presentation of Offering/Doxology		Hymnal No. 95
*Prayer of Thanksgiving		Rev. Phil Mohr
A Service of Word and Table (with sung responses)		
Invitation		Hymnal No. 12
Confession and Pardon		
The Great Thanksgiving		Hymnal No. 17
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.		
Giving the Cup and Bread		
Communion Meditation	<i>Greensleeves</i>	arr. Biery
Communion Hymns	<i>We Three Kings</i>	Hymnal No. 254
	<i>The First Noel</i>	Hymnal No. 245
Prayer After Receiving Communion		
Eternal God, we give You thanks for this holy mystery in which You have given Yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of Your Spirit, to give ourselves to others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.		
*Hymn	<i>I Have Decided to Follow Jesus</i>	TFWS No. 2129
*Benediction		Rev. Matthew Smith
*Benediction Response	<i>Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace</i>	Hymnal No. 668
Postlude	Songs of Thankfulness and Praise Laura Hesse, organ	arr. Hobby

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Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.

*Hymn *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light* Hymnal No. 206

*Passing the Peace of Christ Rev. Phil Mohr

Children Dismissed to Kids Quest
Children will rejoin their families in the sanctuary for Communion.

Congregational Prayer/The Lord's Prayer Rev. Geitra Mickelson
Leader: Lord in your mercy,
People: Hear our 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.

First Lesson Matthew 2: 1-11 Rev. Dr. Jane Moschenrose

*Hymn *We Three Kings* Hymnal No. 254

Second Lesson Luke 9:57-62 Rev. Dr. Jane Moschenrose

Response
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People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "No Regrets" Rev. Matthew Smith

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Invitation
Confession and Pardon See Hymnal Pg. 12
The Great Thanksgiving
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The pastor gives thanks, remembering God's acts of salvation, and concludes:
And so, with Your people on earth and all the company of heaven
We praise Your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

The pastor continues the thanksgiving and concludes:
And so, in remembrance of these Your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,
We offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving
as a holy and living sacrifice,
in union with Christ's offering for us,
as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

The pastor invokes the work of the Holy Spirit and the Trinity and concludes:
Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the
world the body of Christ, redeemed by His blood.

Amen.

Giving the Bread and Cup
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*Closing Song *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus* TFWS No. 2129

*Benediction Rev. Matthew Smith

*Benediction Response *Let Us Now Depart in Peace* Hymnal No. 668

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