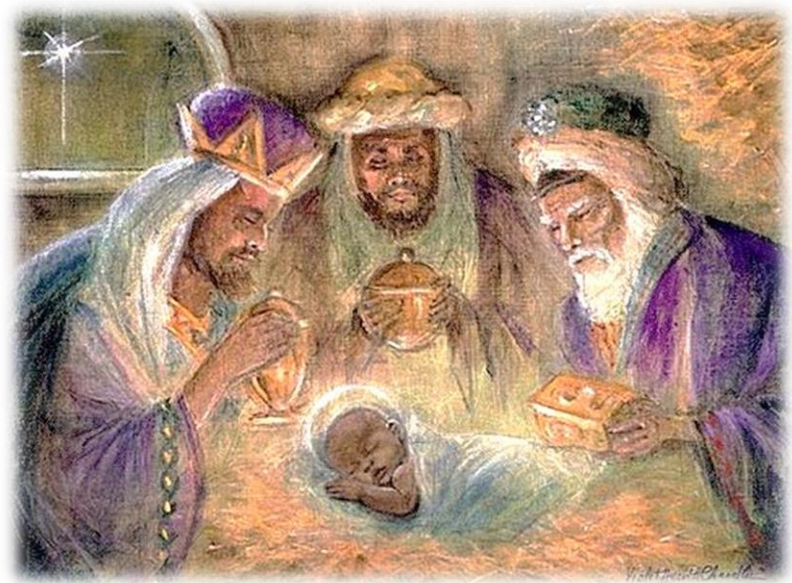


Calendar		
Today	9:00 am	Worship at KUMC
	10:00 am	Coffee Fellowship at KUMC
		Adult Sunday School at Pleasant Corners
	10:30 am	Sunday School at KUMC
	11:00 am	Worship at Pleasant Corners UMC
	5:00 pm	Worship Music Team
Coming Up This Week -		KUMC Delivers Meals on Wheels
Mon Dec 24	5:30 pm	Christmas Eve Service at Pleasant Corners
	7:30 pm	Christmas Eve Service at KUMC
Tues Dec 25		Have a Very Merry Christmas!!
Sun Dec 30	11:00 am	Combine Service at Pleasant Corners

"The Magi Visit"



Memory Verse:

“And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the leaders of Judah; for out of you shall come forth a Ruler who will shepherd My people Israel.”

Matthew 2:6

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December 23, 2018

Worship at Kasson 9:00 a.m.

Worship at Pleasant Corners 11:00 a.m.

Welcome to Worship!
Communion Sunday

Pleasant Corners United Methodist Churches

December 23, 2018

*means please stand as you are able

Welcome to Worship!
Communion Sunday
Fourth Sunday in Advent

Prelude "The Song of Angels" UMC Choir

***Songs of Praise** "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" vs 1,3,7 UMH # 211

Duet Selection by Debbie Bock & Lloyd Henslin

"There's a Song in the Air"

Lighting of the Fourth Advent Candle

Matthew 2:1-4, 5-9, 10-12

Leader: "Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, 'Where is He who has been born of King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him.' When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. Gathering together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born."

People: "Praise be to God that Christ has arrived among men!"

Leader: "They said to him, 'In Bethlehem of Judea; for this is what has been written by the prophet: And you, Bethlehem of Judah; land of Judah, are by no means least among the leaders of Judah; for out of you shall come forth a ruler who will shepherd My people Israel.' Then Herod secretly called the magi and determined from them the exact time the star appeared. And he sent them to Bethlehem and said, 'Go and search carefully for the Child; and when you have found Him, report to me, so that I too may come and worship Him.' After hearing the king, they went their way; and the star, which they had seen in the east, went on before them until it came and stood over the place where the Child was."

People: "Praise be to God, that those who are faithful and alert will see the Messiah, Christ Jesus."

Leader: "When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy. After coming into the house they saw the Child with Mary His mother; and they fell to the ground and worshipped Him. Then, opening their treasures, they presented to Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned by God in a dream not to return to Herod, the magi left for their own country by another way."

(Lighting of the Fourth Advent Candle)

People: "Praise be to God, Christ is here. While Herod tried to kill the Messiah, the Lord had other plans in mind. Jesus Christ, God in human flesh, fully God and yet fully man, was to be the Savior of His people. He will come to take away the sins of the world, to redeem His people. He will give sight to the blind, free the prisoners, and release us from our sins. Praise be to God!"

*Greeting One Another and Passing of the Friendship Pads

UMC Choir Selection "On That Christmas Eve"

Sharing of Blessing and Concerns

Prayer of Affirmation UMH # 887

Apostle's Creed Insert/UMH # 881

Scripture Matthew 2:1-2, 9:-12; Micah 5:2; Numbers 24:17

Sermon "The Magi Visit "

Pastor Jacob Hanson

Sermon Hymn "We Three Kings" UMH # 254

Holy Communion

Words of Institution 1Corinthians 11: 23-32

Distribution of Communion

The Lord's Prayer UMH # 895

Offering

*** The Doxology** UMH # 71

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

***Hymn** "Angels from the Realms of Glory" UMH # 220

***Sending Prayer**

***Benediction**

Announcements/Dismissal

Sending Music