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Today	9:00 am	Sunday Worship at KUMC
	10:00 am	Coffee Fellowship at KUMC -
	10:30 am	Sunday School / Adult Bible Study
	10:30 am	UMW meets to recap the Bazaar
	11:00 am	Sunday Worship at Pleasant Corners UMC
	6:00 pm	Confirmation Class
	6:30 pm	Children's Christmas Program at KUMC "A Wild West Christmas"
Coming Up This Week -		
Mon Dec 16	6:30 pm	Small Group - Marina
Tues Dec 17	2:00 pm	Small Group - Ruth
Wed Dec 18	9:00 am	M & M's meet at KUMC
	6:00 pm	Women's Christmas Gathering at KUMC
	6:30 pm	Small Group - Chuck
	6:30 pm	Youth Group at The Bridge in Mantorville
	7:30 pm	Choir Practice at KUMC
Thur Dec 19	6:30 pm	Small Group - Lori
Ushers	Today	Curtis & Malissa Alexander
	Dec 22	Curtis & Malissa Alexander
	Dec 29	Combined Service at Pleasant Corners
	Jan 5	Steve & Sandi DuBois
Worship Leader	Today	Sandy Gochnauer
	Dec 22	Stacey Pappas
	Dec 29	Combined Service at Pleasant Corners
	Jan 5	Chuck Coleman
Greeters	Today	Karl & Connie Malisheske
	Dec 22	Dale & Chris Schroeder/Darrell Denisen
	Dec 29	Combined Service at Pleasant Corners
	Jan 5	Ruth Schomburg / Phyllis Purvis
Serving	Today	Support Group
Fellowship	Dec 22	People Group

"Jesus – the Missionary Example"



United Methodist Churches of Kasson & Pleasant Corners

December 15, 2019

Worship at Kasson 9:00 a.m.

Worship at Pleasant Corners 11:00 a.m.

Welcome to Worship!
Third Sunday in Advent

United Methodist Churches of Kasson & Pleasant Corners

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Kasson United Methodist Church

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*means please stand as you are able

Hearing Assist Receivers are available from our ushers

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Prelude

***Praise Song** “Hark! The Herald Angels Sing” UMH # 240
 “Joseph Dearest, Joseph Mine” TFWS #2099

Advent Reading/Candle Lighting Bartel Family

Leader: Luke chapter two, verses 1-12 share with us the truth regarding our Savior, Jesus the Messiah. They show for us how humbly our Lord was born, how by His humility He came and raised us up. These verses show us that one does not need to be rich, or well put together, or great in order for the Lord to look upon them with favor. Luke 2:1-12 states:

People: Now in those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus, that a census be taken of all the inhabited earth. This was the first census taken while Quirinius was governor of Syria. And everyone was on his way to register for the census, each to his own city. Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David, in order to register along with Mary, who was engaged to him, and was with child.

L: While they were there, the days were completed for her to give birth. And she gave birth to her firstborn Son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

P: In the same region there were some shepherds staying out in the fields and keeping watch over their flock by night. And an angel of the Lord suddenly stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them; and they were terribly frightened.

L: But the angel said to them, “Do not be afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all the people; for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. This will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger.”

-Leaders light the third Advent candle and exit the alter as the congregation sings “Infant Holy, Infant Lowly”

UMH #229

*Greeting One Another and Passing of the Friendship Pads Sharing of Blessing and Concerns

Prayer of Confession

UMH 890

Congregation:

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen

All Pray in Silence

Leader:

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

Children’s Message Apostles Creed

“Christmas in Nicaragua”

Caleb & Deby
Insert/UMH # 881

Scriptures

John 1:1-5, 9-14

Sermon

“Jesus – the Missionary Example”

Caleb Bartel
Insert/UMH # 895

The Lord’s Prayer

Sermon Song

“Angels We Have Heard on High”

UMH #238

Offering

* The Doxology

UMH # 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* Sending Song

“Go, Tell It on the Mountain”

UMH# 251

*Sending Prayer

*Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26

Announcements/Dismissal/Postlude