

Traditional Service
 December 4, 2022
 Worship Series: God Bless Us Every One: The Redemption of Scrooge
 Message: The Remembrance of Christmas Past:
 Hope from Heartbreak

Prelude *Rejoice, the King Shall Come* Franconia Musica

Welcome/Announcements Rev. Melissa Porter-Miller

Threshold Moment

**Come together, one and all, in the giving spirit.
 Gifts abound here, great and small, joyously we feel it.
 Blessings sent us from above guide us on our way.
 We raise our voice as we rejoice, bow our head and pray.
 A miracle has just begun. God bless us everyone!**

**To the voices no one hears, we have come to find you
 with your laughter and your tears, goodness, hope and virtue.
 Fam'ly, parents, children, friends; each a treasure be.
 Two candles' light dispels the night; now our eyes can see.
 Burning brighter than the sun, God bless us everyone!**

Lighting of the Advent Wreath Neal Millikan and Ann Millikan Brown

***Hymn** *Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus* UMH 196

Children's Moment Linda Biscardo

Prayers of People Sarah Chambers

Prayer Song *Ring Out*

*Ring out your truth
 Ring out your love
 Reverberate in our lives
 Come, Lord, come!*

Offering *Together at the Table* Franconia Musica

**Reverberate in our lives
Come, Lord, come!**

Great Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Again and again You make good on that promise.

**People: 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.

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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.

Breaking of the Bread

Giving the Bread and Cup

Prayer Following 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** *Hark, the Herald Angels Sing* UMH 240

***Benediction** Rev. Melissa Porter-Miller

Postlude June Shuffett