Prelude

Melanie McManigal

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Patrick Littlefield

\*Call to Worship

Erin Littlefield

Leader: We gather once more at the end of the year to worship together and reflect on all that has happened.

People: Much has changed in our lives and in our world.

Leader: And yet, God's covenant of grace with all humanity has never changed.

People: We join our voices with the echoes of praise in scripture and throughout our world:

Leader: Great is God's steadfast love towards us,

People: And the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever.

\*Hymn of Praise | No. 246 (v. 1, 2, 4) "Joy to the World"

Children's Moment

Rev. Patrick Littlefield

Wesley Covenant Prayer | No. 607

Rev. Milton Guttierrez

I am no longer my own, but thine.

Put me to what thou wilt, rank me with whom thou wilt.

Put me to doing, put me to suffering.

Let me be employed by thee or laid aside for thee,

exalted for thee or brought low for thee.

Let me be full, let me be empty.

Let me have all things, let me have nothing.

I freely and heartily yield all things

to thy pleasure and disposal.

And now, O glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, thou art mine, and I am thine. So be it. And the covenant which I have made on earth, let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

**Prayer Response** | No. 229 "Infant Holy, Infant Lowly"

\*Scripture Reading | 1 Peter 4:8-11 Rev. Milton Guttierrez

**Sermon** | "Covenant and Community" Rev. Patrick Littlefield

Offertory | New Hope Rev. Milton Guttierrez

Offertory Response Erin Littlefield

"Keep Christmas With You"

\*Doxology | UMH #238 (refrain) "Angels We Have Heard on High"

\*Invitation Rev. Patrick Littlefield

\*Hymn of Invitation | No. 240 (v. 1, 2) "Hark the Herald Angels Sing"

\*Benediction Rev. Patrick Littlefield

\*Benediction Song | No. 240 (v. 3) "Hark the Herald

Angels Sing"

**Postlude** Melanie McManigal

\*Please stand as you are able.

## **Events**

## News

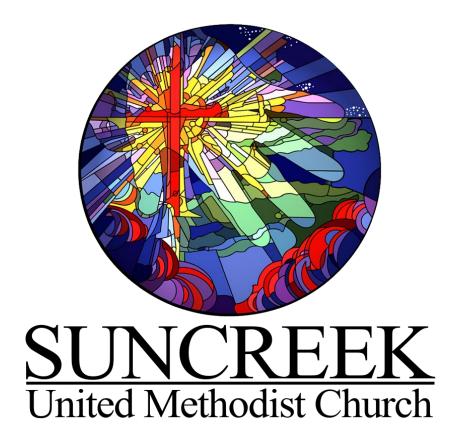








Our Gifts	
Monthly Needs:	\$107,000
General/Pledged Offerings as of Dec. 24:	\$90,787
Total General/Pledged Offerings in 2024:	\$1,146,431



December 29, 2024
Combined Worship

Living, Growing, and Serving in Jesus Christ to Change Lives and the World