

Cassopolis United Methodist Church

December 24, 2023 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

Gathering and Prelude		Jonathan Clough
Ringing of the Bell		
Welcome and Announcements		
*Opening Hymns	Once in Royal David's City	UMH #250
	The First Noel (vs. 1 & 2)	#245
*Affirmation of Faith	Apostles Creed	#881
Lighting the Advent Candle of Peace		
Hymn of Prayer	Angels We Have Heard on High (vs. 1-3)	UMH #238
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer		
Special Music:		Jonathan Clough
Scripture Reading		Isaiah 9:2-7
Message	"No Longer Disturbed"	Pastor Wade Panse
*Offertory/Doxology		
*Closing Hymn	He Is Born	UMH #228
*Benediction		
* Chorus	God Be with You Till We Meet Again	(Chorus)

Announcements:

This Evening, December 24, A Christmas Eve community service will be hosted again this year by the United Presbyterian Church here in Cassopolis. The service is scheduled for 7PM and will include the traditional service of Lessons and Carols. The Christmas story, music of Christmas and candle lighting will be enjoyed by all.

Thank you everyone who was able to help provide gifts for our 3 adopted families this Christmas. Your generous spirit and compassion are greatly appreciated. We are truly blessed to have such a loving church family!

Please considering volunteering to help out with our Sunday services. We currently need **greeters, ushers**, and others to provide **refreshments** and **altar flowers during January & February.**

Now that cold weather has returned, we need to continue collecting new **mittens, gloves, hats and socks** to donate to our local students. Barb Mesko will be distributing these items throughout the winter months.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Christmas Eve Service at United Presbyterian Church 7 PM,
December 24th

NEXT WEEK (December 31)

Greeter: L.J. Starling
Ushers: Sue & Bill Loux
Refreshments: Zack May-Fox

LAST WEEK

Attendance: 40
Offering: \$836
N.O. Special Olympics: \$137