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LeRoy Presbyterian Church

Christmas Day - December 25, 2022

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

One: It's Christmas! How quickly this time has come upon us!

All: **We are left breathless by all we have done.**

One: Calm your spirits. Take time to hear the wondrous news.

All: **Open our ears to hear again the Christmas story.**

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All: **We believe and rejoice! God's love is here with us!**

*Hymn 33 vs. 1 & 3

Angels We Have Heard on High

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Celebrations and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Scripture

Isaiah 9:2-7 & Luke 2:1-20

Children's Time

Sermon

"A Baby Changes Everything"

Rev. Donna Murphy-Ceradsky

*Hymn 38 vs. 1 & 3

Silent Night! Holy Night!

Offering Invitation & Offering

*Doxology (inside front cover of hymnal)

*Prayer of Dedication

Dear God, we cannot thank you enough for the gift of your Son. Through your grace, you have given us everything, including our very lives. Today we celebrate the miracle of Christmas! But when the candles are extinguished, when the ringing of the bells has ceased, when the angels and shepherds have gone home, help us to continue to shine your light into the world through the giving of these offerings. In your precious Son's name. Amen.

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Invitation to Discipleship

*Hymn of Invitation 27 vs. 1 & 2

Joy to the World

*Benediction

*Passing of the Peace

One: We are people of the light.

Many: **Go tell the world: Christ has come to light the world.**



**please stand as you are able*

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**Sunday, January 15, 2023**  
**LeRoy Annual Meeting**  
**With Breakfast @ 8:00 am**  
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NO Bible Study
December 29
Bible Study resumes January 5
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**Sunday, January 15, 2023**  
**DOC Annual Meeting**  
**11:30 am, immediately after church**  
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January 1
Regular worship services
@ LeRoy & Humeston
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**Church Offices Closed**  
**December 26 + January 2**  
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January 11, 2023
HCUMC Admin Council @ 6:30 pm
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Names will remain on the prayer list for two Sundays following the first request.

### **Concerns**

**Family of Jason Shoukwiler** – Ron & Pam Schreck's son-in-law  
**Brandi** – getting permanent feeding tube when infection clears  
**Rex**– esophageal cancer spread to liver, chemotherapy  
**Raymond** – continuing hip surgery recovery at home  
**Shawn** – test for lump on back of head, Jan Lohner's grandson-in-law  
**Kinsley** – leukemia treatments, 2 yr. old great granddaughter of Tom & Linda Watkins  
**Gunnar** – broke his arm playing basketball  
**Shirley** – small stroke; awaiting tests, Virginia Watson's sister

### **Celebrations**

**Nadine** – loving life at assisted living in Leon  
**Madison Ceradsky & Cole Zimmerman** found an apartment  
**Beau Smith** – baptized, Jason & Sandee Smith's grandson



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# Humeston Christian United Methodist Church

## Christmas Day - December 25, 2022

Welcome and Announcements

Jan Lundahl

### \*Call to Worship

One: It's Christmas! How quickly this time has come upon us!

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\*Hymn 238 vs. 1-4

*Angels We Have Heard on High*

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Celebrations and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer #896

Scripture

Isaiah 9:2-7 & Luke 2:1-20

Children's Time

Sermon "A Baby Changes Everything"

Rev. Donna Murphy-Ceradsky

\*Hymn 239 vs. 1 - 4

*Silent Night*

Offering Invitation & Offering

\*Doxology (Hymn 95)

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Invitation to Discipleship

\*Hymn of Invitation 246 vs. 1 - 4

*Joy to the World*

\*Benediction

\*Hymn 672 V. 1

*God Be with You*

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