

Sunday Order of Worship Third Sunday of Advent

10:00 A.M.

December 10, 2023

PRELUDE		Ann Carter
WELCOME		
PRAYER		
LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE		The Carter Family
SCRIPTURE	John 1:6-8, 19-28	NT 111, 112
HYMN	“Hark! the Herald Angels Sing”	UMH 240
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH		UMH 881
CHILDREN’S MOMENT		Lindsay Fitts
HYMN	“O Come, All Ye Faithful”	UMH 234
PASTORAL PRAYER		
OFFERING		
ANTHEM		
DOXOLOGY		
SCRIPTURE	1 Thessalonians 5:16-24	NT 250
SERMON	“Joy”	Rev. Gary Glazier
HYMN	“Joy to the World”	
UMH 246		
POSTLUDE		

GREETERS: Chan and Barbara Burns

Tithes and Offerings:

Fund I

Tithe: \$5,397.00

Week of 11/26/2023: \$9,277.00

Month to date: \$14,674.00

Estimated Monthly Expenses: \$25,000.00

Monthly Total:

January:	\$19,913.80
February:	\$18,640.00
March:	\$35,440.80
April:	\$33,261.35
May:	\$17,058.00
June:	\$17,395.53
July:	\$34,399.00
August:	\$20,450.00
September:	\$18,742.25
October:	\$16,696.00
November:	\$18,745.00

Please pray about how God would have you give.
For online giving: go to our website fumckosciusko.com and click on the word *giving*, follow the instructions from there.

Weekly Opportunities

Sunday	9:00am	Sunday School
	10:00am	Worship
	11:00am	Choir Practice
Monday	9:30am	Tai Chi in the Fellowship Hall
Wednesday	12:00pm	Bible Study
	6:00pm	Wednesday Night Activities
Thursday	9:30am	Tai Chi in the Fellowship Hall

Homebound

Meals to our homebound continue on Wednesdays. If you know of someone who needs a meal delivered to them, or if you would like to volunteer to deliver meals, please call the church office or Mary Al Alford.

December Menu

NO MEALS DECEMBER 20, DECEMBER 27, JANUARY 3

December Bible Challenge

December 18: Hebrews 1-6

December 19: Hebrews 7-10

December 20: Hebrews 11-13

December 21: James 1-5

December 22: 1 Peter 1-5

December 23: 2 Peter 1-3

December 24: 1 John 1-5

Office Closure

The office will be closed Monday, December 25th and Tuesday, December 26th in observance of Christmas, and Monday, January 1st in observance of the New Year. The office will close at noon December 27th-29th, and January 2nd-5th.

Dear Friends of FUMC:

As 2023 comes to a close, we have much to be thankful for here at First United Methodist Church, Kosciusko! We would love to add to our appreciation for our staff. From Brother Gary's morning devotionals each and every day to the amazing music enhancing our worship led by Kevin Bishop and Ann Carter, we have continued to be filled with Christ's love! From Lindsay Fitts making it possible to worship each week through Facebook and keeping our children involved to Abigail Glazier keeping us going each week with sound. And what would we do without Nancy Josey keeping us straight, organized, and well-fed? We are also grateful for Betsy Powell in our church office. We realize that many of you would like to make a special gift to these staff members for Christmas and are enclosing an envelope for that purpose. Thank you for supporting the work of our amazing church and staff!

Merry Christmas!

In Jesus' name,
Leadership Team, FUMC

BreezyNews has enabled the morning worship service to be on podcast. Just follow this link to listen anytime: <https://streamdb4web.securenetsystems.net/v5/WLIN>
You can also find sermons and morning messages on the church Facebook page at Kosciusko First United Methodist Church and on YouTube.

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