

# Welcome to



## 21 December 2014 - 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent

*May God who gathers us around Himself in the Word and Sacrament to bless us with His forgiveness this morning be your source of comfort, strength and renewal as you worship today. In the Name of Christ, we are all called to come and hear that the Lord is Good!*

Our Gospel reading is Luke 1.26-38 and our response is, **“Praise be to thee, O Christ”** spoken in unity aloud.

Call to Worship: Psalm 89.1-5,19-29

Hymns: Opening #173 Prayer “Love Came Down” Closing #179

Bible Studies are canceled until the week of January 5.

Thank you to all who purchased poinsettias. They can be taken home any time starting after church today. Any poinsettias left after church on January 4th will be taken to shut ins. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex for anyone willing to help water the flowers while they are here.

This Advent we will be participating again with the Society of St. Andrew. There are devotional booklets and coin banks at the Welcome Center. We will collect and dedicate the offering on 4 January 2014.

We are trying to provide dinner once a week to the Egglestons while Nancy is going through chemo. A sign up sheet for the first two months is in the Narthex. Thanks to all for helping.

### Advent Calendar at The WELL

Dec 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service – 11:00pm  
Dec 25 Christmas Morn Service – 10:00am  
Jan 1 New Year's Eve (no studies)  
Jan 4 Epiphany (January 6<sup>th</sup>)

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## Love Came Down at Christmas

Love came down at Christmas,  
Love all lovely, love divine;  
Love was born at Christmas,  
Star and angels gave the sign.

Worship we the Godhead,  
Love incarnate, love divine;  
Worship we our Jesus:  
But wherewith for sacred sign?

Love shall be our token,  
Love be yours and love be mine,  
Love to God and all men,  
Love for plea and gift and sign.

### Sermon Notes

#### What are you Wearing for Christmas?

1. At Christmas, Jesus wore a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. At Easter, Jesus wore a \_\_\_\_\_.
3. In Baptism, we put on \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Daily, we are to wear \_\_\_\_\_.