

SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Electronic Bulletin

12 High Street, Brookeville, MD

December 6, 2020

Service time: 9:30 A.M.

Online Live Worship: <https://SalemUMC.live>

Pastor: Rev. Emily Hart

Musician: Dr. Harry Dunstan

Welcome!

Whoever you are, wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here.

Our Mission

The Mission of the people of Salem United Methodist Church is to grow in Christian faith and express God's love to all.

Weekly Sign Language

Christmas

Hope

Peace

Tell

Announcements

- Receiving a new member next week! Welcome, Quinn Anderson!
- Worship is online only for the next two weeks due to COVID. Check out the Website for the full announcement.
- **Bible study and Joys and Concerns time:** Wednesday from 6:30–8:00 P.M.
Meeting ID: 950 5644 6450
Passcode: 123456
- **Joys and Concerns** check-in every Wednesday from 6:30–7:00 P.M.
(right before Bible Study-on the same Zoom link).
All are welcome-no requirement to stay for the study.
Bible Study: 7:00–8:00 P.M. “Down to Earth.”
- **Newsletters are here today! Get yours online or ask Velma to mail you a copy.**
- December 21, Blue Christmas, 7:30 P.M.
- December 24, Christmas Eve Worship:
 - 5:00 P.M. ONLINE only (no in-person service). Watch on Facebook or YouTube!
 - 7:30 P.M. in the sanctuary
 - All welcome to join in the parking lot at 8:45 P.M. to sing Silent Night with candles (distanced, masked)
- December 27 (the Sunday after Christmas) will be online only with the Bishop and Cabinet again. Join on Zoom, Facebook, or YouTube. No in-person service.

Worship

Preparing

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship with body prayer

Lighting Advent Candles

Song: UMH 196 Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Proclaiming

Prayer for Understanding

Gospel: Luke 1: 26-38

Sermon: Break Through: Peace

Responding

Song: UMH 221 In the Bleak Midwinter

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Offering

Thank you for mailing in your offerings. Please continue to do so. If you haven't yet done so, please consider mailing your offerings to:

12 High St
Brookeville MD 20833

If you would like to give by app, please go to the Google Play store or the App Store (depending on your device) and download "Give Plus." Then search "churches near me," and Salem should pop up. You can do all your giving through this app!

If you have financial needs, please contact Rev. Emily. She will keep your need confidential and do all she can to assist you.

Offertory

Claiming

Song: UMH 251 Go Tell it on the Mountain

Benediction

Luke 1: 26-38

26 In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent by God to a town in Galilee called Nazareth, 27 to a virgin engaged to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. The virgin's name was Mary. 28 And he came to her and said, "Greetings, favored one! The Lord is with you."^[a] 29 But she was much perplexed by his words and pondered what sort of greeting this might be. 30 The angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. 31 And now, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you will name him Jesus. 32 He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Most High, and the Lord God will give to him the throne of his ancestor David. 33 He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end." 34 Mary said to the angel, "How can this be, since I am a virgin?"^[b] 35 The angel said to her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born^[c] will be holy; he will be called Son of God. 36 And now, your relative Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son; and this is the sixth month for her who was said to be barren. 37 For nothing will be impossible with God." 38 Then Mary said, "Here am I, the servant of the Lord; let it be with me according to your word." Then the angel departed from her.