

Announcements

1. Welcome: Welcome to all Newcomers and Visitors! We look forward to having you join us in our Fellowship Room on the 1st floor after Worship Service after Worship Service for lunch.

2. Children's Sunday School: The class starts at 10:10 AM in the Children's Room on the 1st floor with Marilyn Kodani and Lynn Gunter.

3. Congregational Meeting Today: There will be a Congregational meeting to elect officers for the Class of 2027, the members of the 2025 Nominating Committee and presentation of the 2025 Church Budget on Sunday, December 15, 2024 at 12:15 PM with The Rev. Mark Hollingsworth serving as the Moderator.

4. Donation Barrels for Salvation Army & Food Bank: The Outreach Branch Holiday Drive for new unwrapped toys, pajamas and blankets for children has ended. Our local Salvation Army's shipment of red barrels arrived late which has decreased donations across the Monterey Peninsula. Their donation barrel as well as one for the Food Bank of Monterey County can be found in the Fellowship Room.

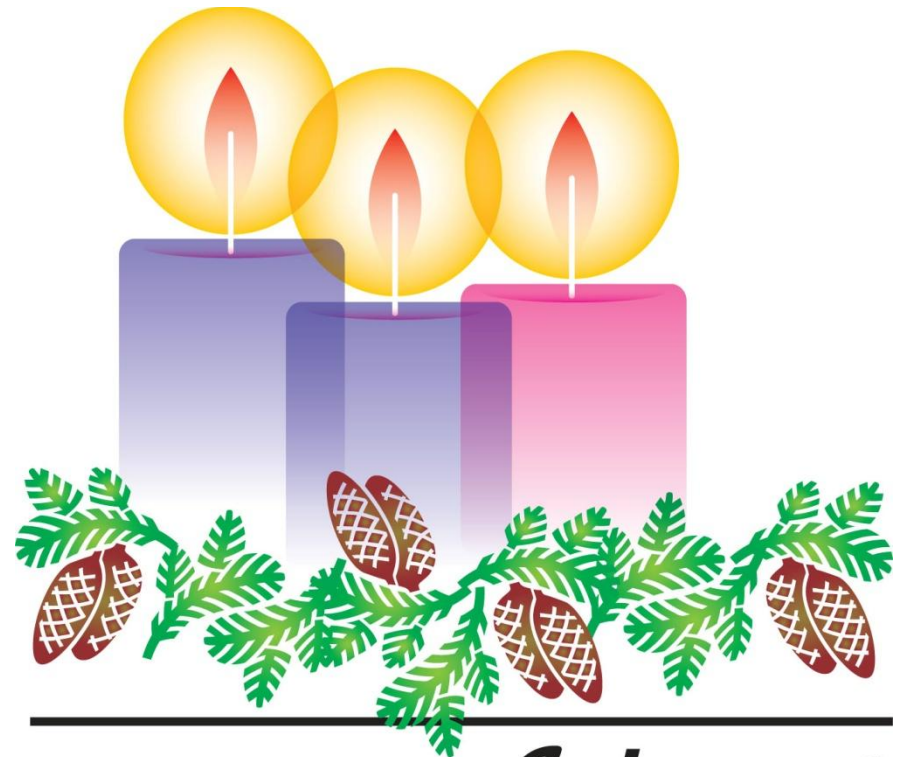
5. Thursday Night Bible Study: The Zoom meetings of the study group will resume in January with Wayne Shen guiding the group through a study series based upon Dr. Adrian Roger's sermons. Reading material is sent weekly. Please email elesteropc@gmail.com to be added to the email list.

6. Open Art Studio: The art group will meet on Saturday, January 4th at 10 AM on Zoom only, not at the church. All painting levels are invited. Please email the church if you would like to join and receive the Zoom invitation.

7. Ukulele Music Fellowship: The group will hold a practice session on Sunday, January 4th in the Fellowship Room after refreshments. Beginners are always welcome!

8. Hiking Fellowship: The group will resume hiking in March when hopefully the weather will be more predictable. Please continue to share information about hiking paths or trails you would like to walk or think the group would enjoy visiting with Richard and Natsuko.

Sunday, December 15, 2024 Third Sunday of Advent



THIRD SUNDAY OF *Advent*

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Worship Order

Welcome & Announcements

Richard Marquez

Opening Prayer

Richard Marquez

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Robert and Taye Suzuki

***Opening Hymn**

Richard Marquez

“The First Noel”

“Joy to the World”

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Mick Erickson

Scripture Reading

Richard Marquez

Jude 1:20-22

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Sermon

Rev. Mick Erickson

“Are You Ready For Christmas?”

The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Mick Erickson

***Closing Hymn**

Richard Marquez

“Go Tell It On The Mountain”

***Benediction**

Rev. Mick Erickson

***Congregation Standing**

Fellowship with Church Family on Zoom

Richard Marquez

Grace before Lunch in Fellowship Room

Wayne Shen

Congregational Meeting @ 12:15 PM

The Rev. Mark Hollingsworth, Acting
Moderator