

# SERMON NOTES:

*Luke 1: 26-38*



*Nazareth: A Place of Simplicity*

December 15, 2024

10:00 am

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**We are so very glad you are here!**

Please complete the Attendance Sheet Insert, and return in the offering plate.



**Community Support Center**

**December**

**Pasta**

**Pasta Sauce**

**Canned Fruit**

**Canned Chicken**

**Canned Tuna**

Drop off in bin located at the Donation Station outside the Sanctuary.

Thank You!

## GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Welcome  
Lighting Advent Wreath                      Joy  
Songs    *Joy To The World*                      No. 246  
    *Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus*                      No. 196  
Scripture    *Romans 15: 7-13*

## PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Pastoral Prayer  
Lord's Prayer  
Song    *The King Of Christmas*  
Children's Moments  
Offering  
Doxology    *Advent Doxology*

## TIME OF THANKSGIVING

Prayer of Thanksgiving  
Scripture    *Luke 1: 26-38*  
Sermon    *Nazareth: A Place of Simplicity*

## SENDING FORTH

Song    *It Came Upon The Midnight Clear*                      No. 218  
Benediction

## COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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## MISSION SPOT

**Coins for Christ** donations this quarter will be donated to the Shoes 4 the Shoeless, Inc. Please put your coins in the Coins for Christ jar or in the offering plate. You can now give to “Coins for Christ” on-line on our website.

**Eagle Eats**, we are collecting donations of snack foods for Eagle Eats. Please put peanut butter crackers, granola bars, mac and cheese, apple sauce ... in the Eagle Eats Donation Box outside of the sanctuary.

## SAVE THE DATE

**Adult Sunday School** – The Adult Sunday School is held Sunday mornings at 9:00 am. All are welcome as we begin a new book series on “The Journey”. See Samantha Ladd to get your copy!

**Bible Study** – classes have started and are held on Monday's at 1:00 pm and 7:00 pm. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Coffee Hour** – next coffee hour will be Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>, after the service.

**Christmas Eve Worship** – Tuesday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:45 pm.

**Bellbrook Brown Baggers** – Wednesday's, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm.