



Welcome to Spirit of Hope

A Community of Faith in ministry together with
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Sunday, December 28, 2025 – Order of Service
First Sunday After Christmas

Join the service LIVE beginning at ~10:20AM

<https://youtube.com/@spiritofhopeunitedchurch791>

Live Stream

The cameras are focused on whoever is speaking,
but others may be shown briefly on camera occasionally.
If you want to avoid being on camera, you might consider sitting nearer to the
back or watching the service on the TV in the Lobby.

Prayer Candles

On the right side of the sanctuary, there are candles.
Before or during the service today, you are invited to light a candle(s) as an
act of prayer. It might be a prayer of concern or celebration, of joy or worry,
for yourself or others.

Offerings Welcome

You are invited to make your contributions in the box located at the back of
the Sanctuary. Offerings can be made before, during, or after the service.
Thank you for your generosity!

Today's service is planned for all-ages.

There are no separate Kids United classes today

Prelude

Hymn Sing

VU43 "Go Tell It On The Mountain"

VU62 "Once in Royal Davids City"

VU73 "The Virgin Mary Had A Baby Boy"

Welcome and Acknowledging the Land

The Spark

Cupcake Celebrations:

"Spirit of Hope Honourin' Song" by Warren Mack

Welcoming Each Other in the Light and Peace of Christ

*Please greet each other with signs
of welcome and peace*

A Bell Tolls

Centering Breath

Sharing the Light and Peace of Christ:

VU31 *"O Lord, How Shall I Meet You"* (verse 1)

Call To Worship

Gathering Prayer

Singing: VU35 *"Good Christian Friends Rejoice"*

Scripture: Matthew 2: 13-23

Special Music

Singing: VU69 *"Away in a Manger"*

Reflection: *"Detour"*

Singing: MV158 *"Dream a Dream"*

Prayers for Community

The Prayer of Jesus: Inclusive based on VU960 (sung)

Offering

Moment for Mission

Offertory: VU91 *"The First Nowell"* (verse 5, refrain)



Singing: VU76 *"See Amid the Winter's Snow"*

Sending Forth:

VU31 *"Love Caused Your Incarnation"* (verse 1)

Postlude

AFTER CHURCH

Please stay and enjoy a time of visiting and refreshments
in the Lower Hall.

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

Musician:	Warren Mack
Host:	Karen Aistrope
Hymn Sing:	Kim Thomson
Scriptures:	Karen Aistrope
Reflection:	Rev. Blaine Gregg
Moment for Mission:	Karen Aistrope
Refreshments:	Helen Newsham

