

**PEACE ON EARTH**  
(ISAIAH 11:1-9)



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# Welcome to Spirit of Hope

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**Sunday, December 7, 2025 – Order of Service**  
**Second Sunday Of Advent**  
**PEACE**

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**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

## Welcome and Acknowledging the Land

## The Spark

## Welcoming Each Other and Sharing 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:**  
**VU625 “I Feel the Winds of God Today” (verse 1)**

### **Call To Worship**

### **Gathering Prayer**

**Singing:** MV1 “*All Are Welcome*” (verses 1, 3 and 5)

**Advent Wreath:** VU7 Hope is a Star (verses 1 and 2)

### **Learning, Changing, Growing Together**

**Singing:** VU20 “*On Jordan’s Bank*”

**Scripture:** Isaiah 11:1-10  
Matthew 3:1-12

**Anthem:** “*On Jordan's Bank The Baptist's Cry*”  
by *Simon Wise*

**Reflection:** “*More to Come*”

### **Offering**

### **Moment for Mission**

**Offertory:** VU545 “*You Nourish Us*”



### **Invitation to the Table**

**Singing:** VU471 “*Eat This Bread and Never Hunger*”

### **Prayers at the Table**

### **Sharing the Loaf and Cup**

### **Prayer After Communion**

**Singing:** MV169 “*When Hands Reach Out*”

**Sending Forth:** VU556 “*Would You Bless Our Homes  
and Families*” (verse 1)

**Postlude:** “*Lord Jesus, The Only Son of God*” by *J. S. Bach*

### **AFTER CHURCH**

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

### **WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY**

<b>Musician:</b>	<b>Warren Mack</b>
<b>Welcome Desk:</b>	<b>Susan Bamm</b>
<b>Host:</b>	<b>Sara Van Halderen</b>
<b>Scriptures:</b>	<b>Brynn Stewart and Justine Gue</b>
<b>Reflection:</b>	<b>Rev. Blaine Gregg</b>
<b>Moment for Mission:</b>	<b>Sara Van Halderen</b>
<b>Invitation to the Table:</b>	<b>Rev. Blaine Gregg</b>
<b>Audio and Visual:</b>	<b>Christine Gue and Cathy Martin</b>
<b>Refreshments:</b>	<b>Arlene and Colin Fraser and Fay Longson</b>

