

What We Believe

Our Mission

"Welcoming People to Explore the Complete Love of Jesus"



Our Church Values

Biblical Roots
Fellowship
Friendliness
Strong Relationships



Our Church Strategy

Children's Ministries (Proverbs 22:6)
Outreach (Matthew 25: 35-40)
Music (Psalm 98:4)
Education (Romans 12:2; Deuteronomy 11:19)



**FIRST SUNDAY
OF ADVENT**



Wesleyville
BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcoming People To Explore
The Complete Love Of Jesus

November 30, 2025

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Advent Candle Lighting

Praise Song – "O Come All Ye Faithful"

Choir – "Joy to the World with Our God Saves"

Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Offering / Doxology

Children's Message / Children's Church

Praise Song - "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus"

Sermon "Promise in the Silence" *Isaiah 9:2,6*

Closing Song - "Angels We Have Heard on High"

Benediction

Christmas: The Whole Story – Week 1
“Promise in the Silence”

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

TO FELLOWSHIP

Next Sunday – Second Sunday of Advent

9:00 am – Sunday School

10:15 am – Worship Service

10:30 am – Children’s Church

TO SERVE

Diaconate Board Meeting – Tues. / Dec. 2nd 6:00 pm

Panera Pick Up - Saturday / 8:55 pm

LOOKING AHEAD

Preschool Fund Raiser – Orders Due by Dec. 5th

Cookie Exchange – Saturday / Dec. 13th 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

1. Trust in the Dark What You Knew in the Light

Isaiah’s promise of a coming Messiah (Isaiah 9:2, 6) was spoken 700 years before Christ’s birth. God’s people had to cling to His Word even when nothing seemed to be happening.

2. God Is Working to Turn Hearts

Malachi’s final prophecy foretold a messenger who would prepare people’s hearts.

Before Jesus came, God was restoring families, softening hardened hearts, and readying the world to receive the Savior.

God is still doing this today—turning hearts toward healing, relationship, and renewed hope.

3. God’s Promises Arrive in Perfect Time

John the Baptist’s miraculous birth shows that no season of waiting is wasted.

Zechariah and Elizabeth experienced years of longing and silence—yet God fulfilled His promise exactly when the time was right.

In our own “winter seasons,” God is preparing, shaping, and positioning us for His purposes.

Reflection for the Week

- What part of my life feels like a “silent season”?
- Where is God inviting me to trust His timing?
- How might God be preparing my heart to receive Jesus in a fresh way this Christmas?

Takeaway

Christmas begins in the quiet.

In the waiting.

In the places that feel barren, broken, or forgotten.

And into that silence, God speaks:

“I have not forgotten you. I am still working.”