Thank you for joining us today in worship. If you are visiting, please fill out an information card in the pews. Our office is happy to keep you informed of upcoming events and place you in contact with the Pastor.

Please join us in Baldwin Hall following the Worship Service for Coffee Hour.

### **This Week**

Sunday, December 26 – NA 6pm (FH)

Monday, December 27 – Breakfast Group 8:30am, AA 7:30pm (BMR)

Tuesday, December 28 – Advent Devotional 12pm, NA 7:30pm (BH)

Wednesday, December 29 – AA, noon (BH), Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM (S)

Thursday, December 30

Friday, December 31

Saturday, January 1 – NA 7:30pm (BH) Happy New Year!

### **Looking Ahead**

New Bible Study starting January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Community Blanket Service Project – January 23, 2022 12pm-3pm

Annual Meeting – January 30, 2022

### The Federated Church of Hyannis 320 Main Street Hyannis, Massachusetts Reverend Derek L. White, Pastor



Sunday Morning Worship Service December 26, 2021~10:00 AM ~Reminder – please silence all cell phones before the Worship Service begins ~

Prelude......Richard Busch

### Words of Welcome

Pastor: Let us join together in our words of welcome.

# ALL: We greet one another in the name of Jesus the Christ. We seek to be a community of faith that is open and welcoming to all. It is Christ who calls us to be the Church. As Christ has welcomed us we now welcome one another.

Pastor: Let us greet one another with the Passing of the Peace.

(We will be using sign language)

\* Opening Hymn: #127 "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day"

### Invocation (Psalm 98)

Leader: Sing a new song to the Lord who has worked wonders; whose right hand and holy arm have brought salvation.

### **ALL:** The Lord has made known salvation; has shown justice to the nations; has remembered truth and love for the house of Israel.

Leader: All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord, all the earth, ring out your joy.

## ALL: Sing psalms to the Lord with the harp, with the sound of music. With trumpets and the sound of the horn acclaim the King, the Lord.

### \*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

### **Invitation to Offering**

It is at this time we have the opportunity to offer our pledges and offerings to the Lord. It is out of the abundance that the Lord has provided that we respond faithfully as stewards of those gifts in our morning offering.

Offertory:.....Richard Busch

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below Praise him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

### **Prayer of Dedication:**

Lord, you call us to be faithful stewards of the resources we have been provided with. May the blessings of these offerings be used to serve the purposes for which you have called us to be the Church. May these gifts help share the message of hope to all. Amen.

Special Music:.....Richard Busch

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns** 

**Prayers of the Community** 

The Lord's Prayer (Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

\*Hymn: #110 "Go, Tell It on the Mountain"

Scripture: Luke 2:8-14

Sermon: "Behold Good Tidings and Great Joy" .... Rev. White

\*Closing Hymn: #132 "Away in a Manger"

### \*Benediction

Go forth in peace, be of good courage, hold fast to that which is good, render to no one evil for evil, but strengthen the faint-hearted, help the afflicted, honor God, love and serve one another rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit now and forevermore. Amen.

Postlude:.....Richard Busch

\*Please Stand if you are able

\*Doxology

Thank you to the Diaconate for the altar flowers.