



**Huguenot United Methodist Church**  
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**December 24, 2023, at 11 a.m. – Christmas Eve**

*\*Please stand as able.*

	<i>In the Bleak Midwinter The Snow Lay on the Ground Ave Maria</i>	Connie Salmeri
<i>Prelude</i>	<i>Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring</i>	Salmeri
<i>Welcome and Announcements</i>		Wenda Singer
<i>Reading and Lighting of the 4<sup>th</sup> Advent Candle</i>		Gerry and Nancy Flinchbaugh and four of their grandchildren
<i>Advent Song</i>		FWS # 2090, v. 4
<i>*Hymn of Praise</i>	<i>Angels We Have Heard on High</i>	UMH # 238
<i>Psalm 24</i>	UMH # 212	Singer
<i>Christmas Seasonal Reading</i>	UMH # 231	Singer
<i>Anthem</i>	<i>What Child Is This</i>	The Choir
<i>Offering/Doxology</i>		Salmeri
<i>*Hymn of Preparation</i>	<i>Star Child</i>	FWS # 2095
<i>Scripture</i>	<i>Luke 2: 1-21</i>	Sprouse
The word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.		
<i>Homily</i>	<i>Thoughts on Christmas Eve</i>	James C. Sprouse
<i>Pastoral Prayer</i>		
<i>*Hymn of Dismissal</i>	<i>Silent Night, Holy Night</i>	UMH # 239
<i>*Benediction</i>		
<i>Postlude</i>	<i>Of the Father's Love Begotten</i>	Salmeri



**We welcome you to Huguenot United Methodist Church this morning!**

### **HUMC Highlights**

- Our nursery caregivers are here and ready to welcome toddler children this morning! Childcare is provided from **9:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.**
- **The Adult Bible Study/Sunday School** met today at **10 a.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. *Please plan to join us next Sunday!*
- If you haven't done so, please pick up your **2024 offering envelopes** today from the credenza near the entrance.

### **Upcoming Events**

- Sun., Jan. 7 – Coffee Fellowship following worship
- Tues., Jan. 9 – United Women in Faith Meeting @ 10:30 a.m.
- Fri., Jan. 12 – Feed the Homeless @ 10 a.m.
- Fri. and Sat., Jan. 19-20 – Cub Scout Pack 861 Pinewood Derby (FH)

### **This Week's Church Calendar**

**Sunday, Dec. 24 – Christmas Eve**

11 a.m...Worship

**Monday, Dec. 25 – *Christmas Day!***

**Friday, Dec. 29**

10 a.m...Library Work Session

**Sunday, Dec. 31-1<sup>st</sup> Sunday After Christmas**

10 a.m...Adult Bible Study/Sunday School (FH)

11 a.m...Worship

**CR** – Choir Room   **FH** – Fellowship Hall  
**K** – Kitchen   **L** – Library   **PR** – Puppet Room

**Happy Anniversary to**

Fred and Mary Schneider (Dec. 27)

Lee and Shirley Bradshaw (Dec. 30)

**To learn even more about the church, please go to [www.HUGUENOTUMC.org/pulse](http://www.HUGUENOTUMC.org/pulse) for our weekly newsletter!**

**To learn more about the United Methodist Church, please go to [www.vaumc.org](http://www.vaumc.org)**

### ***Huguenot Ministry Staff***

*Pastor:* James C. Sprouse (703) 608-3045

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*Director of Music:* Constance Salmeri

*Lay Leader:* Gerry Flinchbaugh

*Office Administrator:* Elaine Grider

*Preschool Director:* Debbi Mintz

*Nursery Caregivers:* Rosalie Koch and Shirley Bradshaw

### ***Worship Leaders***

*Liturgist:* Wenda Singer

*Counters:* Claudine Pavlik and Andy Wright

*Ushers:*

**“To Be a Church in Service and in Witness to Our Members and Community.”**