


**Dec. 11, 2011**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD**

**10:00 A.M.**

Welcome to those who have come for worship. Let us join in prayer, meditation and service. Please join our coffee hour following worship service. For written prayer requests, use the Prayer Request Card located in the pews.

An up arrow  means please stand if you are willing or able during this portion of the service. If there is no arrow, please remain seated.

**PRELUDE**

**WORDS OF WELCOME (and time of greeting one another)**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**LIGHTING THE THIRD ADVENT CANDLE**

 **OPENING MUSIC**

**SCRIPTURE** *1 Thessalonians 5:16-24*

*~Martha Van Der Veen*

**CHILDREN'S TIME**

**CHILDREN'S BLESSING**

*(Children go out to Sunday School)*

**SCRIPTURE** *Psalms 126*

*~Martha Van Der Veen*

**SERMON**

*~Rev. Rolf Hansen*

 **HYMN** #108 *"Isaiah the Prophet Has Written of Old"*

*(Black hymnal)*

**TIME OF PRAYER**

Invocation

Silent prayer


**THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts)**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INVITATION TO OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY**

**DOXOLOGY**

 **HYMN** #132 *"Joy to the World"*

*(Black hymnal)*

## BLESSING POSTLUDE

<b>We wish to thank our volunteers</b>		
	<u>Liturgists/Readers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
12/11	Martha Van Der Veen	Bill & Dolores Malmborg, Dorothy Day
12/18	John dusel	Alyce bishop
12/25	James Akin	Larry, Gareth, Abigail Wang

Fellowship Hour Host: Dec.-Diaconate  
Sunday School Teacher: Barbara Fischer

### Church Staff

*Rolf Hansen, Minister ; Henry Hayden, Minister Emeritus; John Chen, Min.of Music*

## ANNOUNCEMENT

It is that time of year when church leadership is asked to gather 2011 year-end information and write reports, as well as prepare the 2012 Proposed Budget and submit these to Gwen for inclusion in the **2011 Annual Report by Dec. 30, 2011.**

**Women's Fellowship** will hold their annual **Christmas Tea** on Tues. 12/13/11 at 11:00 a.m. in the Parlor. Please do join us!

Cub Scouts Pack 65 and Boy Scouts Troop 321 have committed to the **2<sup>nd</sup> annual Paper Shredding Fundraiser** for our benefit on Saturday 4/28/12. The first time was such a success and enjoyed by all that the leaders of both groups want to do it again. So start saving your important sensitive documents for that shredding day and support UCCSC!

Some lovely **Christmas concerts** coming up for you to enjoy:

(See insert)

Carols Around—Masterworks Chorale Sat./Sun.12/10,11/11

John Chen Recital – Fri. 12/16/11

**Pastor Tauoa Head** celebrates his birthday on 12/18/11. **Happy Birthday!**

**CALENDAR (Bold means Church function)**

Sunday	12/11	9:30-Noon <b>10:00 a.m.</b> <b>11:15 a.m.</b> 11:15-1:00 p.m. Noon-3:00 p.m. 1:00-3:30 p.m. 7:30-9:30 p.m.	Chalice, MH <b>Worship, S</b> <b>All Boards</b> Recalling Spirit, C Kalavaria, S Robin Hansen, P Alanon, P
Monday	12/12	7:00-9:00 p.m. 7:00-9:30 p.m.	Pack 65, MH Alanon, P
Tuesday	12/13	<b>11:00 -2:00pm.</b> 12:30-3:00 p.m. 2:30-5:00 p.m. 5:30-9:00 p.m. 7:00-9:00 p.m.	<b>Women's Fellow. P</b> TCP, OHLC RHansen, P TCPXMas, S/P Troop 321, MH
Wednesday	12/14	9:00-3:30 p.m. <b>10:00 a.m.</b> 1:00 p.m. 7:00-10:00 p.m. 7:30-9:00 p.m.	Jr. Matrons, MH <b>Bible Study, P</b> FriFriendGiftWrap, P Kalavaria, S AA/Alanon, P/OHLC
Thursday	12/15	10:00-8:00 p.m. 7:15-10:00 p.m. 7:30-9:00 p.m.	CaminarXmas, MHK RecallingSpiritACIM, C Alanon, P
Friday	12/16	9:30-12:30 p.m. 10:00-12:30 p.m. 2:00-4:30 p.m. 5:00-9:00 p.m. 7:30-9:00 p.m.	Mental Health, P, MHK TCP, OHLC TCP, MH JohnChen Concert, S AA/Alanon, P/ OHLC
Saturday	12/17	10:00-noon 2:00-6:00 p.m.	Kalavaria, S RHansen, P
Sunday	12/18	<b>10:00 a.m.</b> <b>11:15 a.m.</b> 11:15-1:00 p.m. 10:00-6:00 p.m. 7:30-9:30 p.m.	<b>Worship, S</b> <b>Council</b> Recalling Spirit, C Kalavaria, S, MHK Alanon, P