

+ Coral Isles Church +

Sunday December 10, 2023

10:00 am Worship

Prelude *Make Room* Maher

Welcome & Mission Moments

Please take a moment and sign the Friendship Pads including your email. Pads are on each row.

Welcome Song *No Matter* Wilkinson

Lighting the Advent Candle

Advent Prayer and the Lord's Prayer [*trespasses*]

Song *O Little Town of Bethlehem* Brooks

Offertory Prayer

Receiving Our Offerings

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Isaiah 9:2-7

Message "Real Peace" Dr. Havens

Song *Angels We Have Heard* Chadwick

Benediction

Unison Response *Alleluia* ccli #1441899

MERRY CHRISTMAS! No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey you are welcome here!

Upcoming Opportunities:

PLEASE JOIN US FOR LUNCH after worship.

IF YOU ARE A FIRST-TIME GUEST, thank you for being here! We are an Open and Affirming congregation of the United Church of Christ. We welcome anyone to participate in the life and leadership of our church, and we work intentionally to live up to that welcome.

THE HISTORICAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY of the Upper Keys meets Monday, December 11 at 7:00 pm for a Christmas party. See Lorelea Carrera for details.

A COMMUNITY MEMORIAL SERVICE for persons living without residence in our community who died in the past year will be held Thursday, December 21 at 12:00 noon at Old Settlers' Park. See Dr. Feeser for more details.

WE WILL OFFER A BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE for those who may have a difficult Holiday season due to grief, mental health issues, or other difficulties on Thursday, December 21 at 6:00 p.m. See Dr. Feeser for more information.

HELP US SERVE DINNER AT BURTON METHODIST Soup Kitchen on Thursday, December 14 from 3:30 pm – 6 pm. See Susan Ashmore for more information.

PLEASE BRING DRY GOODS items for December, such as paper towels, paper plates, napkins, and cleaning products, i.e., Clorox wipes. We share these things with the food banks at Coral Shores High School and Burton Memorial Methodist Church.

CHRISTMAS EVE SUNDAY we will offer both a morning service at 10:00 a.m. with our Church Family with Christmas lunch afterwards. The traditional Carol and Candlelight service will be at 7:00 p.m. with homemade Christmas cookies and hot cider refreshments afterwards. Bring family and guests to celebrate and worship Christmas!

INSTEAD OF LIVE POINSETTIAS this year we invite you to make a \$10 or more contribution to the Barnabas Fund in honor or memory of a loved one. We will have an insert with all those named and we also invite you to write the names on a paper ornament and hang it on the Christmas tree by the window.

WAYS YOU CAN CONTACT Coral Isles Church:

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WEBSITE: CORALISLESchURCH.ORG

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY:

Tammy Havens, SIGN INTERPRETER Mitch Merriman, DRUMS

Carolyn Yoder, VOCALS Rev. Dr. Pam Feeser, FLUTE

Martha Winfield, KEYBOARD Carlos Valdes, BASS GUITAR

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A United Church of Christ

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Second Sunday in Advent

Celebrating 60 years of Faithful Ministry & Mission

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Rev. Dr. Bruce Havens, Pastor