

CALL TO WORSHIP, *responsively,*

L: May the Lord be with you..

C: And also with you.

L: It is still Christmas.

C: Joy is still loose in the world,

L: Love is lodged in hearts,

C: and peace is still our fervent hope.

L: It's still Christmas,

C: Though the presents are all unwrapped,

L: The batteries have run down,

C: And family members have returned home.

L: It's still Christmas,

C: For God begins anew,

L: Giving us a baby to care for

C: And calling us to live with tender compassion, gentle care and overflowing love.

L: Thank you Jesus!

C: Amen.

God's People Worship

This time is to hear God's voice

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 2:13-23

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OUR MESSAGE

The Faith of Mary, the Fear of Herod

UNITED WE SING

"What Child Is This"

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God's People Pray...

This time allows us to lift our thoughts to God

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

God's People Go to Live it Out...

This is the time we are called to go and Share Jesus with the world.

UNITED WE SING

"Joy to the World"

#246 UMH

BENEDICTION

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POSTLUDE



SPONSOR A BROADCAST for \$90. The chart for 2019 is on the bulletin board by the secretary's office door. Sign up today!!!!

TODAY'S BROADCAST - Was sponsored by anonymous angels in honor of all the angels who helped with our Christmas Eve festivities.

UMC TV broadcast can be seen on Mondays at 3:00pm & Fridays at 5pm on VAST Local Channel 3. **Listen to KQAD** Radio Broadcast on Sundays at 10:30am on 800 AM Radio. You may also watch services online by visiting **cityofluverne.org**



Silver Bucket for December



Luverne UMC's Community Meal & Christmas Eve Dinner

These meals have been such success and a wonderful opportunity to share our love and a meal with our community. Please give generously to this month's Silver Bucket so that we can continue providing these meals to those who would like to come!



COMMUNITY DINNER

All donations will go toward this cause.

Weekly Event Calendar and Offering

December 29, 2019 - Sunday

9am - Coffee Hour & Adult SS

10am - Worship Service

4:30pm - Genesis/Revelation Bible Study

NO ALIVE Youth Group

December 30, 2019 - Monday

8pm - AA Meeting

December 31, 2019 - Tuesday

9:30am - Folding Team

January 1, 2020 - Wednesday

NO FUEL or Confirmation

8pm - AA Meeting

January 2, 2020 - Thursday

1-3pm - Rock County Food Shelf

January 4, 2020 - Saturday

8pm - AA Meeting



Here are the weekly giving numbers for the week of December 15, 2019.

Amount needed - \$4,026 Amount given this week was \$6,282.55.

Thank you for your offering! Please note that online giving is not included in that total.

NOTE: Our bills are up to date and we have 8 months of apportionments left!

Keep up the good work!!

