

Hillcrest Congregational Church, United Church of Christ
Pleasant Hill CA
Order of Worship

November 28, 2021

First Sunday in Advent



Making Room

WE GATHER

Carol Sing

Words of Welcome

WE OPEN THE DOOR

Bell...Silence...Bell

Introduction to "The Inn: Housing the Holy"

"Hope Waits for Us at Advent"

Reading & Lighting of Advent Candles

Sing-Along: "*Hail to the Lord's Anointed*"

Led by Mira Kren

Opening Prayer

Prayer Response: "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" v.1

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

First Scripture Reading: Jeremiah 33:14-16

Special Music: "What Mean Those Holy Voices"
Sung by Mira Kren

Second Scripture Reading: Psalm 25: 4-5

Kidz Moment, Allison Kuechle Silva

Sermon: "The Time is Coming" Rev. Fred Weidmann

WE PRAY

Prayers of the People

"Make of My Heart a Stable"

Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response: "Come and Fill Our Hearts"
Led by Ethan Ponce

WE RESPOND AND GO FORTH

Call to Offering

Doxology with Alleluias
Led by Blake Levinson

Prayer of Dedication

Sing-Along: "O Little Town of Bethlehem" with Special Ending Verse
Led by Ethan Ponce

Blessing

Invitation to Pass the Peace

Postlude: "Brainle de L'official" (Tabourot) PD, Small Church Music

Senior Minister: Rev. Dr. Fred Weidmann

Pastoral Associate: Allison Keuchle Silva

Organist, Pianist and Music Director: Joshua Feltman

Today's Liturgist: Katy Colbath

Singers: Mira Kren, Ethan Ponce, and Others



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