Calendar for December 12 — December 19

Sunday, December 12		Wednesday, December 15	
Third Sunday of Advent		12:00 PM	Prayer & Devotion
9:30 AM	Worship		on Zoom/FB Live
10:30 AM	Sunday School	6:00 PM	Handbell Choir
Delivery of Holiday Cookie Baskets			Rehearsal
to Seniors		7:00 PM	Wednesday Vespers
2:00 PM	Worship at		Service
	Home	Thursday, Dec	cember 16
Monday, December 13		Caring Tree Gifts Due	
12:00 PM	In-Person Lunch &	Saturday, December 18	
	Learn Bible Study	12:00 PM	Weekend Meal Site
Tuesday, December 14		Sunday, December 19	
6:00 PM	Leadership Meeting	Fourth Sunday of Advent	
	via Zoom	9:30 AM	Worship
		10:30 AM	Sunday School

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2:00 PM

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SCRIPTURE VERSE FOR THE WEEK: Ephesians 1:18

... so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

12/13	Monday	Matthew 5:44
12/14	Tuesday	Matthew 6:7-8
12/15	Wednesday	James 1:27
12/16	Thursday	Matthew 25:35-40
12/17	Friday	Exodus 20:7
12/18	Saturday	Deuteronomy 24:19
12/19	Sunday	Isaiah 1:17

- This third week of Advent we are to think about the connections between joy and service. Joy seems like an inner state while service is outwardly focused. How are joy and service connected?
- "The Scriptures are clear..." is always a dubious statement, but if there is a common thread throughout Scripture it may be found in this week's readings. What is the connecting thread this week?

"All The Good" **Upcoming Sermons:**

Dec 19 4th Sun of Advent: Do in Love John 1:1-18 Dec 24 Christmas Eve: Go in Christ Luke 2:1-20