

VISION

Life Springs is a community where all people can experience and live a life of meaning and purpose through a deeply committed relationship with Jesus Christ.

CORE VALUES

- † Every LIFE is created by God and is of infinite worth.
Mark 8:36
- † God has a unique purpose for every LIFE.
Psalms 139:13-16 and Ephesians 2:10
- † God desires a transformed LIFE lived in a relationship with Jesus.
Romans 12:2
- † Every LIFE is to have an impact on other LIVES for the Kingdom of God.
Matthew 28:19-20



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Order of Worship and Praise

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Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer

Lighting the Advent Wreath The Crom Family

Made to Worship
O Come, O Come Emmanuel

*Children dismissed for Kid's Club

Message "Are You Ready?"

Song of Invitation

Here I Am to Worship

Giving Back to God

O Come Let Us Adore Him

Benediction

Little Ones Nursery Our Little Ones Nursery (from birth to 2 years old) would love to see your smiling face helping them to enjoy church on Sunday mornings. We are working on a rotating schedule so that no one will have to miss regular worship very often. Please sign up in the Narthex at the front door of the church or contact Sonja Smith at 770-567-9185 if you are willing to be a part of the nursery team!

Life Springs 101 is our membership preparation class. The class will be on Sunday, **December 14** immediately following the Worship Service. We will have lunch and spend a couple of hours learning what it means to be a member of Life Springs. There is no cost for this class, but please sign up in the Narthex so that we can provide adequate food for lunch. If you cannot attend this class, more classes will be offered in the future. See Pastor Kyle for more information.

Sermon Notes

"Are You Ready"

Advent – coming or arrival

Christian Advent – double focus

1. celebration of the Christ child
2. anticipation of the Second Coming

Four Sundays prior to Christmas
Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love

Matthew 25:1-13

1. Parable about the Kingdom of Heaven
2. Five went prepared and five did not
3. They all grew weary and slept
4. The bridegroom came unexpectedly
5. It was too late

Take-Aways

1. purpose of the journey is to meet the bridegroom
2. all were in attendance but only some were ready
3. things do not always happen the way we expect
4. it is not too late yet – does God know you

Lunch Fellowship Today! Everyone is invited to stay for a fellowship luncheon today immediately following the worship service.

Christmas Banquet Wednesday, December 17! We will celebrate Christmas together at a special dinner at Barnstormer's Grill in Williamson at 6:30 pm. The cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. This includes your meal and as much holiday fellowship as you can stand. A special visit from Santa and Mrs. Claus is scheduled for the evening as well. You can get your tickets from Nicole Stahl or Adrienne Child at any service.