

SUNDAY WORSHIP

November 20, 2022

NEWS & NOTES

PRELUDE

WELCOME & PRAYER

*CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 136)

L: *Give thanks to the Lord for He is good!*

C: God's love endures forever!

L: *Give thanks to the God of gods!*

C: God's love endures forever!

L: *Give thanks to the Lord of lords!*

C: God's love endures forever!

*HYMN *Now Thank We All*

Red #72

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

OFFERINGS

SONG *Give Thanks*

EXPRESSING OUR GRATITUDE

PRAYING WITH AND FOR ONE ANOTHER

SPECIAL MUSIC *Simple Gifts*

EXPRESSING OUR GRATITUDE, PT. 2

*HYMN *Heaven and Earth* Red #45; vv. 1,3,4

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*DOXOLOGY

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Good morning!

If this is your first or second time visiting at
St. Thomas, welcome!

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Stepping Stones, for kids K-5th grade, is available today, and kids can go (to Room 27) following the children's message. Parents can pick them up there after the service.

The **Advent Festival** (after the service on Dec 3 includes greening the sanctuary, crafts, and a turkey dinner (toilet paper tubes and plastic lids from juice, iced tea, or milk containers are needed for the crafts; check with Betsy). All welcome!

Interested in tips for decorating holiday treats? Register (by contacting the office) for the **cupcake workshop** with Ella Bella Bakery staff on Sunday, Dec 10, 10.30-11.30am.

There's a special **evening worship service** planned for Dec 21 (7-8p in the sanctuary): it will be recorded and made available online Dec 24 (and there's no morning sanctuary service that day). Christmas Eve services will be at 5.30 and 7pm.

Christmas cookies: the Visitation Team is asking for help with making and/or delivering cookies for several homebound folks. Cookies (with a list of ingredients) can be placed in the kitchen freezer; to help with delivery, contact the church office or Francine.

Volunteers needed for the **Living Nativity** Dec 9. Interested? Talk with any CIT member.

As part of the annual evaluation of Pastor Dan, the elders are asking friends and members of St. Thomas for input. To provide this, please complete an evaluation form (available in the foyer or by contacting the office) and return it to the office by November 26.