



Sunday Morning - 9:30 am
November 30, 2025

Goochland Baptist Church is a family
Connected by God's love,
Empowered by Christ's grace, and
Sent out by God's Spirit
 for the good of our community and beyond



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Order of Worship Service

First Sunday of Advent: Hope

Praise Song *"Come, Now is the Time to Worship"* Praise Team

Welcome Rev. David Angel

Advent Responsive Reading Juanita Mack

Every year we light candles as we prepare for the coming of Jesus Christ.
 More and more candles, more and more light, as we watch and wait for Jesus,
 the Light of the World.

God of Promise, come into our darkness.
 Renew your hope in us,
 for you alone bring life out of death.

Receive God's promise of hope from Psalm 33:
*"The eyes of the LORD are on those who fear him,
 on those whose hope is in his unfailing love,
 to deliver them from death and keep them alive in famine.*

We wait in hope for the LORD; he is our help and our shield.
 In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name.
 May your unfailing love rest upon us, O LORD,
 even as we put our hope in you.

Lighting of the Advent Candle Juanita Mack

Morning Prayer The Lord's Prayer Rev. Kevin James
(Based on Matthew 6:9-13)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offertory Hymn *"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"* No. 76

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Doxology *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"* No. 253

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
 Praise Him, all creatures here below
 Praise Him above the Heavenly host
 Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children's Sermon

Susan Angel

Following the Children's Sermon, children ages 5 through 5th grade are invited to attend **Children's Church**. They will be escorted to the K-1st Grade classroom located in the New Life Building. The children will hear Bible stories, participate in related activities, memorize scripture, and share in prayer time. After the service, please pick up your child from the K-1st Grade classroom.

Hymn of Worship "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus"

No. 77

Sermon

Rev. Kevin James

"Let's Give Hope This Christmas"
Isaiah 9:2-6; Romans 15:13; John 3:16

- 2 The people walking in darkness
have seen a great light;
on those living in the land of deep darkness
a light has dawned.
- 3 You have enlarged the nation
and increased their joy;
they rejoice before you
as people rejoice at the harvest,
as warriors rejoice
when dividing the plunder.
- 4 For as in the day of Midian's defeat,
you have shattered
the yoke that burdens them,
the bar across their shoulders,
the rod of their oppressor.
- 5 Every warrior's boot used in battle
and every garment rolled in blood
will be destined for burning,
will be fuel for the fire.
- 6 For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given,
and the government will be on his shoulders.
And he will be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

13 May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

16 For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

Hymn of Invitation "Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated" **No. 277**

Benediction*

**Following the service, all are welcome to a time of Coffee and Fellowship in the Multipurpose Room of the New Life Building before the Sunday School hour.*

Nursery services are provided during our church service time for ages birth to 5. The nursery is across the breezeway in the NLB. We welcome all visiting families!

Today's Helpers: Heather Stewart & Mila Spaulding

Next week 12/7: Kitt Townsend & Mila Spaulding

Leaders in Worship:

Greeters: Justin Lingerfelt & Teresa Kessler

Ushers: Jim Fields, Justin Lingerfelt & George Koch

Prayer Concerns: Pat Alvis, Hunter Bailey, Allen Bowles, Gale Chaisson, Eva Childress, Scott Hobson, Judy Johnson, Connie Jones, Ellen Melton, Hazel Melton, Morris & Audrey Nuckols, Vicky Parrish, Diane Proctor, Lee Proffitt, David Purcell, Amy Richardson, Phyllis Toney

Birthday Greetings: Savannah Flaig - Dec 1

C.J. Michels - Dec 2