

Assurance of Pardon & Gloria Patri (Blue No. 579)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.



"Majesty" I-8 Hayford

Majesty, worship His Majesty.
Unto Jesus be all glory, power and praise
Majesty, Kingdom authority, flow from His throne
Unto His own, His anthem raise.
So exalt, lift up on high, the name of Jesus.
Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus the King.
Majesty, worship His Majesty.
Jesus who died, now glorified, King of all Kings.



Scripture Luke 1:39-55

Faith Engagement and Sermon



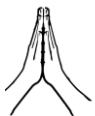
"The Angel Gabriel from Heaven Came"

Blue Hymnal No. 16The

Doxology



**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise
*Him, all creatures here below; Praise *Him above,
ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**



Prayers of the Pastor & the People

With Praise & Thanksgiving



*share briefly names & situations to lift to God
in prayer -- we know God is more than able to hold all we offer
& God knows the details!*

Lord in Your mercy...**Hear our prayer!**

Blessing **"Halle, Halle, Halle-lujah (X3)**

Hallelujah, Hal-le-lu-jah!"

Postlude "Savior of The Nations Come" (Blue Hymnal No.14)

Prayer Concerns:

Prayer family: **Ann Weber and John Piechota**

Prayer young person: **Rose Golden**

Prayer theme for young adults: **friends**

All medical professionals, emergency responders & those serving in hospitals, nursing homes & care facilities

Military folks & family - the USA & all those in leadership

S-VE School Board members, administrators, teachers & others

North Spencer Christian Academy

Church Finances

Renovation House

North Van Etten church

Announcements/Reminders:

A note about offering - all we have is a gift from God. We are invited weekly (and honestly at all times) to respond to God & joyfully give some of what we've been trusted with. For financial giving please place in an offering plate when arriving/leaving or mail to:

939 Danby Rd, Spencer NY 14883 -OR- PO Box 367, Spencer, NY. 14883

Calendar

Sunday -- 4PM Remembrance Service

Monday -- 6PM AA

Wednesday -- NO Men's Breakfast & Bible Study

Wednesday -- 11AM Adult Study

Friday (12/24) -- no Women's Bible Study

Friday (12/24) -- 7PM Christmas Eve Service

Community Events:

Library happenings:

- @ Spencer Library -- Mondays 10AM-11AM Preschool Reading Hour

Wed. 4-5:30PM [Open Hearts Dinner @ Mckendree UMC **TAKE OUT ONLY**](#)

12/17: 4PM "Christmas Magic" @ VE Library - free/open to public/masks required ([INFO](#))

Presbyterian #love

December 19, 2021 - 11 AM

- 12/18:** 9:30AM-12PM Vaccine Clinic (children 5-11) @ Candor Elementary School (2 Academy St. Candor) [INFO](#)
- 12/18:** 12:30-5PM Vaccine Clinic (12+ 1st doses & 16+ boosters) @ Candor Elementary School (2 Academy St. Candor) [INFO](#)
- 12/19:** 1-4PM Children Christmas Party @ Candor American Legion (see attached)
- 12/19:** 4PM Remembrance Service (to add a name call Gary @ 607-589-4900)
- 12/20:** 10-11AM Preschool Story Hour @ Spencer Library (41 N. Main St, Spencer)
- 12/24:** 6PM Christmas Eve Service @ N.Van Etten
- 12/24:** 7PM Christmas Eve Service @ Christ the King
- 12/24:** 7PM Christmas Eve Service @ Federated Church
- 12/30:** 9-10:30AM SVE Food Cupboard food give-away (Orchard St. near the "old" Dollar General) -- curb-side pick-up only -- [INFO](#) (open to all who live or work in SVE School District)



Welcome

Prelude: "People Look East" arr. Dale Wood

Call to Worship (Psalm 39:7 & "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel")

And now, O LORD, what do I wait for? **My hope is in You.**

♪ **O come, Desire of nations, bind All peoples in one heart and mind; Bid envy, strife, and discord cease; Fill the whole world with heaven's peace.**

Advent Candle Lighting: Love. (prayer: Book of Common Worship)

**AFTER the love candle has been lit:*

God of grace, Your eternal Word took flesh among us when Mary placed her life at the service of Your will. Prepare our hearts for his coming again; keep us steadfast in hope and faithful in service, that we may receive the coming of his kingdom for the sake of Jesus Christ, the ruler of all, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, on God, now and forever. Amen!



Music "People Look East" Blue Hymnal No. 12

Confession:

Holy and merciful God, in Your presence we confess our failure to be what You created us to be. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from Your ways, in wasting Your gifts, in forgetting Your love. By Your loving mercy, help us to live in Your light and abide in Your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.



*[silent prayer & reflection; let the Holy Spirit identify any sin that needs confessing - offer it to God & **let it go**]*