

Allen-Lee Memorial UMC

December 26, 2021 – First Sunday after Christmas

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude Kevin Lefebvre

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

The risen Christ is with us.

Praise the Lord!

***Opening Prayer**

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Hymn** *Hark the Herald Angels Sing* UMH 240

***Hymn** *What Child Is This* UMH 219

Old Testament Reading 1 Samuel 2:18-20, 26

Psalter Reading Psalm 148 UMH 861

Epistle Reading Colossians 3:12-17

***Hymn** *The First Noel* UMH 245

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Offertory *Joy to the World* UMH 246

Gospel Reading Luke 2:41-52

Sermon "New Arrivals" Rev. Kory Trinrud

***Affirmation of Faith** UMH 881

***Hymn** *Silent Night* UMH 239

***Benediction**

Postlude Kevin Lefebvre

**Please stand as you are able.*

WELCOME TO ALLEN-LEE

We hope that you will feel the warmth of this loving congregation while you are here worshipping with us. Please let us know if you need anything or want more information about our church. We are an open and welcoming fellowship. It is our hope that you will come again and often!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Welcome, everyone for this service of worship with members of both Allen-Lee UMC and Luthersville UMC. Remember that we will worship together again next Sunday at 10 a.m. at Luthersville UMC.
- Mask wearing is now optional. Thank you for being thoughtful of others and taking steps to avoid spreading Covid.
- We will continue to enjoy the Chrismon tree and other decorations through Epiphany Sunday, January 9. If you haven't already taken your poinsettias home, please do so after the service today. We will be taking down the decorations on January 15 at 10 a.m.
- Calendars are on one of the back pews on the west side of the church. Help yourself! Happy New Year!
- Lee-Goodrum Pharmacy in Newnan has donated a box of hand sanitizer and a box of antiseptic wipes. They are under the display cases in the narthex. There are some paper sacks there, too. Please take as many as you would like.
- A flower calendar for 2022 is now on the bulletin board in the narthex. Please sign up if you'd like to place flowers in the sanctuary. If you don't sign up, extra flowers are always welcome!
- UMW will meet at the church at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, January 19. All ladies are invited.

PRAYER FOR TODAY

O Holy One,
heavenly angels spoke to earthly shepherds
and eternity entered time in the child of Bethlehem.
Through the telling of the Christmas story,
let our temporal lives be caught up in the eternal
in that same child,
that we might join shepherds and all the heavenly host
in praising the coming of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

PRAYER LIST

Long-Term Requests

Gail Barber	Mark Evans	Juanita Marshall
Patricia Bassett	Donald Ford, Sr.	Tony Rosser
Joy Burks	Jennifer Hillyer	Steve Saucier
Margaret Camp	Pat Kee	Gilbert Sheets
Glenda Cox	Bo Kelly	Craig Simpson
Annette Duffey	Clair Kight	Roger With

Current Prayer List

Kay Bugg	Rosalind Edmondson	Hank Foster
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Military/Contract Personnel

Brandon Davis – Florida	Austin Shelton – Fort Stewart
Jack Edmonds, III – N. Carolina	Cessily Skinner – Arizona
Davis Gray – England	Ry Skinner – Georgia
Robert Parker – Washington, DC	Taylor Threatt – Texas

Missionaries

Kristie Threatt, Kenya	Connie Weick, China
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In Memory

Bishop Alvin Andrews

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

02 – Kelley Brown (B)
05 – Justin Hendrix (B)
07 – Gary and Elaine Hillyer (A)
09 – Michael McFarlin
16 – Terrie McFarlin
20 – Karen Edmonds
22 – William Gordon

Allen-Lee Memorial United Methodist Church



Open Doors, Open Hearts, Open Minds

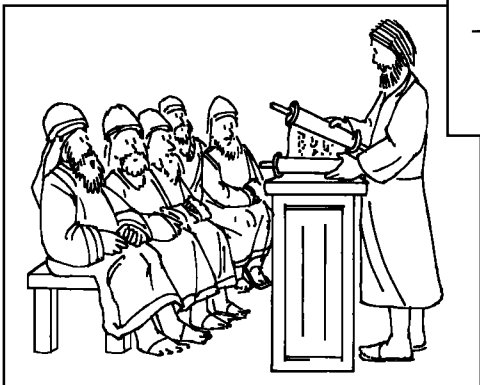
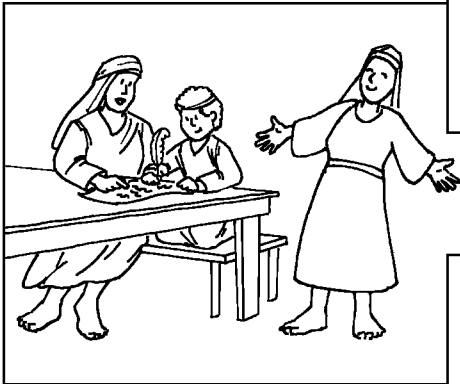
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Jesus continued to grow in favor with God and people.

Find Jesus in each picture.



Children's Worship Bulletin™




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Jesus in the Temple

Jesus and His family went to Jerusalem for the ...

Write the beginning sound for each picture.



							
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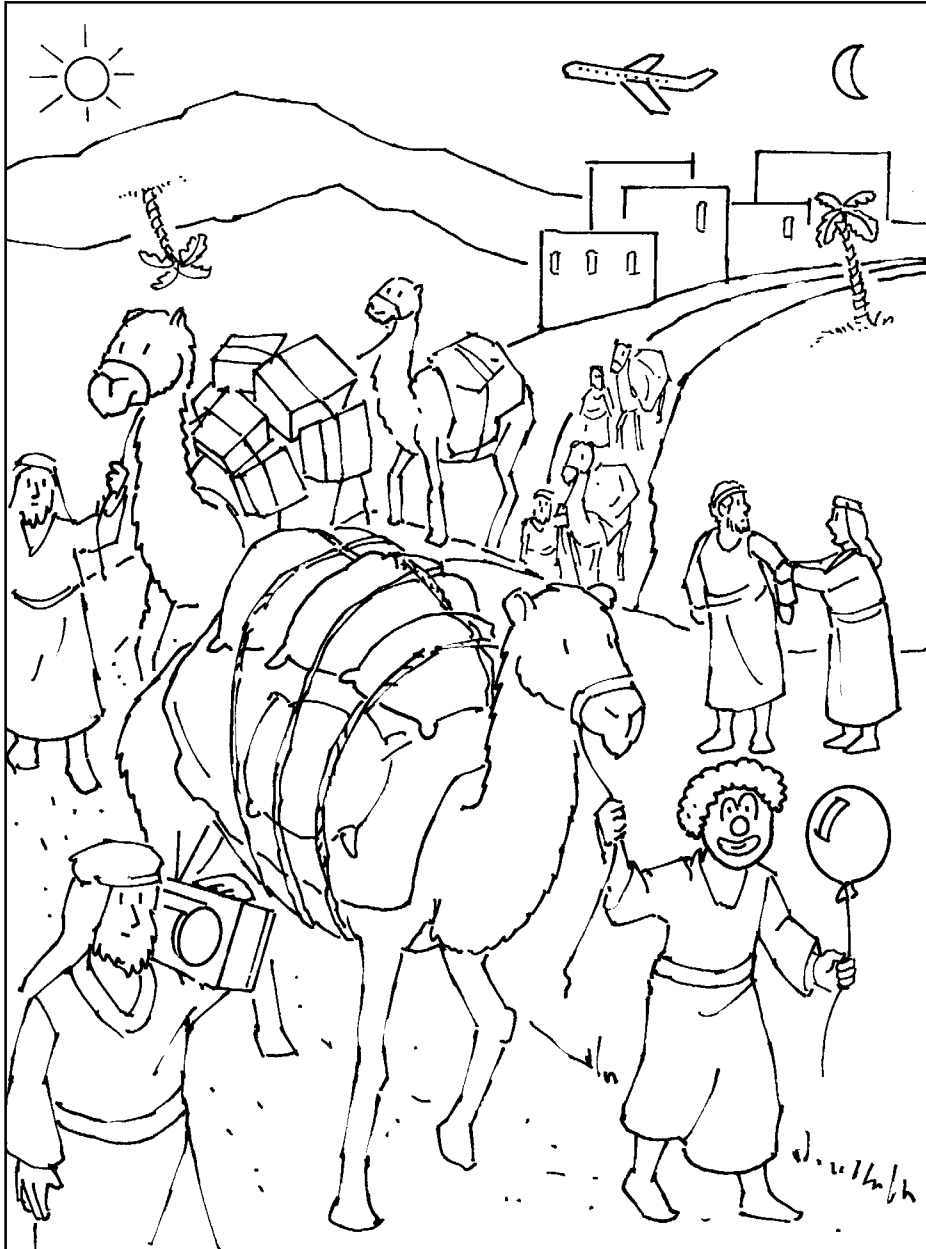


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Mary and Joseph started home. They found Jesus was not with them.

Circle 5 things that are wrong.



Mary and Joseph searched for 3 days. They found Jesus in the temple.

Count the ? s. Trace the correct number.

