

# GREEN TREE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

*Continuing the work of Jesus. Peacefully. Simply. Together.*

December 8, 2013

10:45 a.m. Worship

**Piano Prelude** “Of the Father’s Love Begotten” - arr. Hayes

## Welcome and Announcements

(Visitors, please fill out the green hospitality card located in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate during the offering.)

\***Hymn** “Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus” #178

\***Opening Prayer**

\***Praise Singing** “Shine on Us” - Smith

## Time of Prayer

Joys and Concerns

Prayer

## Lighting of the Second Advent Candle

“Bethlehem Barn”

## Offering

Offertory Invitation

Offertory Music “With Open Hearts, We Are Waiting”  
- Choplin

Prayer of Dedication

Chancel Choir Anthem “Advent Promise” - Schram

## Children’s Time

[Children ages 3-2<sup>nd</sup> grade are dismissed for Children’s Church at this time]

**Scripture Reading** Matthew 1:18-2:12  
(p. 835 in the pew Bibles)

**Message** “Divine Intervention”

\***Hymn** “O Little Town of Bethlehem” #191

\***Benediction**

\***Organ Postlude** “Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers”  
- arr. Mansfield

\*Those who are able may stand

**HEARING DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE.**

**PLEASE SEE AN USHER FOR MORE INFORMATION.**

**Advent Candle Participants:** Narrator/Candle Lighter: Florence List,

Animals: Mickey Emmons, Logan Kern, Cameron Stangler

**Worship Leader:** Debbie Connor

**Next Week’s Worship Leader:**

**Greeters:** Thelma and Randy Greisimer

**Next Week’s Greeters:**

**Vocalist:** Kirk Maurer

**Flute:** Jennifer Grimm

**Chancel Choir:** directed by Kirk Maurer

**Child Care:** (up to age 4): Vicki Yeager

**Next Week’s Child Care:**

**Head Usher:** Linda Daywalt

**Next Week’s Head Usher:**

**Children’s Church** (ages 3-2<sup>nd</sup> grade): Lori Lantzy

**Next Week’s Children’s Church:**

**Money Counters for December:** Barry Millard, Chuck Brown,  
Kathy Bestwick, Ruth Hopkins

