## **2023 CALENDAR**

SEASON OF THE NATIVITY

First Sunday in Advent: December 3 Jesus is ... HOPE for us Worship: 8:45 AM and 11 AM The Greatest Story Ever Told - Hope: Mark 13:24-37 Begin Intentional Journal Week 1: HOPE Wednesday, December 6, Children's Christmas Pageant, 6 PM Thursday, December 7, Fayetteville First Preschool Program, 5 PM Thursday, December 7, United Women in Faith Christmas Banquet, 6 PM

## Second Sunday in Advent: December 10 Jesus is ... PEACE with us

Worship: 8:45 AM and 11 AM The Greatest Story Ever Told – Peace: Mark 1:1-8 Begin Intentional Journal Week 2: PEACE The Messiah Concert at 7 PM, Reception follows Wednesday, December 13, Churchwide Christmas Caroling, 5:30 PM

## Third Sunday in Advent: December 17 Jesus is ... JOY in us

Worship: 8:45 AM and 11 AM The Greatest Story Ever Told – Joy: Service of Lessons & Carols Begin Intentional Journal Week 3: JOY Thursday, December 21, Longest Night Service, 6 PM, Chapel

## Fourth Sunday in Advent: December 24 Jesus is ... LOVE through us

Christmas Eve Worship: 11 AM, 6 PM, and 11 PM The Greatest Story Ever Told – Love: Luke 2:1-14 Nursery at 11 AM and 6 PM Begin Intentional Journal Week 4: LOVE

**First Sunday After Christmas: December 31** Jesus is ... Emmanuel Worship: 11 AM One Service Only The Greatest Story Ever Told – Emmanuel: Luke 2:22-40

Epiphany Sunday: January 7 Jesus is ... Light Worship: 8:45 AM and 11 AM The Greatest Story Ever Told - Jesus is Light: Isaiah 60:1-6 Churchwide Breakfast: 10 AM

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