

December 1, 2024 | 10AM

*\*indicates stand if able*

Welcome and Announcements

## GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE

Responsive Call to Worship

\*Sing: **Prepare Him Room**  
**Living Hope**

\*God's Word of Greeting  
Sing: **I Set My Hope**

## ADVENT: GOD SHOWS US HIS GRACE

Introduction of Advent Theme

Advent Reading

Sing: **He Came Down**

We Light the HOPE Candle

Prayers for the Offering

Thankful Giving for the Ministries

Maranatha Community, here at Bethany  
& Smithville Christian High

**Bethany Kids dismissed (age 3-grade 1)**

Sing during offering: **Hope Has Come**

Prayers of God's People

& for the Proclamation of the Word

## GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD

Readings: Romans 4:16-25 (p.983)



**Pastor Colin Vander Ploeg**

Prayer of Blessing on the Message

## WE RESPOND TO GOD WITH JOY AND COMMITMENT

\*Sing: **329 Come Thou Long Expected Jesus**

\*God's Word of Blessing

\*Sing: **The Solid Rock / My Hope is Built**

\*Postlude

WELCOME TO BETHANY

It is good to be here  
together with you

This morning marks the beginning of the season of Advent, a time of eager expectation for the coming of Jesus at Christmas time, and even more for when He returns! In this time of waiting, we receive gifts from the Lord for His glory and our good. Come, Lord Jesus, come.

Greeters, Ushers, and Welcome Centre attendants are ready to answer your questions.

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