

THANKSGIVING EVE
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2011
7:00 PM SANCTUARY

Prelude Pastorale on “Pleyel’s Hymn” Van Denman Thompson

Greeting and Opening Prayer Rev. Darlene Hann

Cloverleaf Area Ecumenical Assistance Program Jo Dressing

Hymn of Thanksgiving* Children will present food gifts
#797 “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” WINDSOR

Scripture Psalm 147:1-11 Deac Dressing

Hymn #790 “We Gather Together” KREMSER
Please remain seated
Vs. 1 - Children only
Vs. 2 & 3 - Congregation sing with children

Prayers of the People
Rev. Darlene Hann

Lord’s Prayer
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Children’s Word Rev. Darlene Hann
Children are invited to continue worship with activities in Fellowship Hall.

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory “Thanks Be To Thee” G. F. Handel
Doxology* OLD HUNDREDT

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.

Prayer of Dedication*

Scripture Ephesians 5:5-20

Meditation “Giving Thanks to God” Rev. Dr. David Antonson

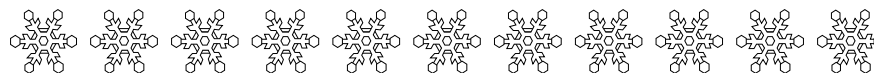
Offers of Thanksgiving with Hymn of Response #170
“Give Thanks” Henry Smith

Sending Hymn* #794 “Let All Things Now Living” ASH GROVE

Benediction* Rev. Darlene Hann

Postlude* Improvisation on Ash Grove” Jonathan Wooding

***Please stand, if you are able.**



Celebrate the Christmas Season
by joining us at these special events



Women's Advent Event:
From One Gift, Many Blessings”

Tuesday, Nov. 29, 7-9 pm For females of ALL ages. We will begin with worship in the Sanctuary then move to the Great Room for refreshments and a wonderful activity.



Illumination: Saturday, December 10th, 5-8:00 pm
This family friendly evening is PHCPC’s gift to the communities that surround us. Live nativity, activities for all ages, demonstrations, music, crafts, bake sale, ice carving, “Winter Cool” - this is just a partial listing of what is happening that evening! Bring your neighbors and friends to share the true meaning of Christmas.



Come experience the warm tradition of

CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP

Family Worship in the PHCPC **Great Room at 5:00 pm** is ideal if you have small children. They will be invited to participate in an impromptu re-enactment of the Christmas Story.

Come for **Traditional Candlelight Service** at **7:00** (with childcare), **9:00 and 11:00 pm** in the beautifully decorated **Sanctuary** with special music on the organ and from the Chancel Choir

CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP

One service at 10:30 am in the Great Room
Bring the kids in their Christmas PJ's!
Join us for a continental breakfast around tables as we sing Carols and Share the real reason for Christmas!

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Welcome!

**We are glad you are worshiping with us here at
Pleasant Hills Community**

Thanksgiving Eve 7:00 PM

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