



OUR SPECIAL THANKS
to all of our talented musicians and program participants for
sharing their gifts with us this evening.

WE ALSO ESPECIALLY THANK
Rev. Jim Mundell, our song leader,
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West Grove United Methodist Church
The Reverend Timothy Carl Anderman, Lead Pastor
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Annual Advent Celebration

December 5, 2021
6:30 p.m.

West Grove United Methodist Church
West Grove, Pennsylvania



Christmas Program

Welcome	Pastor Tim Anderman	
Scripture Reading	<i>Luke 1:26-35</i>	Pastor Jim Mundell
Carol Sing-A-Long	“O Come, All Ye Faithful” Hymn No. 234, Vv. 1, 3, 6	
Choral Anthem	“Let There Be Christmas” Chancel Choir Words and Music by Joseph M. Martin	
Instrumental Performance	“Have Yourself A Merry Little Christmas” Memory Bells Arranged by Douglas E. Wagner	
Vocal Duet	“What Have I Learned Since Last Christmas” Mel Leaman and Peter Mullen Words and Music by Mel Leaman Guitar Accompaniment—Joan Leaman	
Scripture Reading	<i>Matthew 1:18-25</i>	Pastor Jim Mundell
Carol Sing-Along	“Hark! The Herald Angels Sing” Hymn No. 240, Vv. 1,2,3	
Musical Selection	“Christmas Is Here” PraiseWorks Band Words and music by Chris Cleveland and Jeff Pardo	
Piano Duet	“We Wish You A Merry Christmas” Oliva Reed and Betsy Smith	
Instrumental Performance	“African Noel” The Castaldi Family Anna-Flute, Bob-Trumpet, Amy and Brady-Percussion By Johnny Vinson, Based on a Liberian Folk Song called “Banuwa”	
Vocal Duet	“O Come, All You Unfaithful” Vicki Owens and Betsy Smith Words and Music by Bob Kauflin and Lisa Clow, Arranged by Heather Sorenson	

PraiseWorks Band

David Bohnsack
Bob Castaldi
Brian Combs
Joan Leaman
Mel Leaman
Dave Talley

Director: Betsy Smith

Memory Bells

Carolyn DiCecco
Kelly Hendrickson
Karen Hruz
Joan Leaman
Sara Ann Ramberger
Christy Robinson
Lynn Strawhecker
Caryl Stuhrke
Richard Stuhrke
Peggy Watkins

Director: Sandy Deckard

Song Leader

Rev. Jim Mundell

Chancel Choir

Jill Croft
Chris Curtiss
Sandy Deckard
Mary Franciscus
Sandi Hampton
Julie Hughes
Joan Leaman
Mel Leaman
Margee Michaels
Edel Mullen
Peter Mullen
Vicki Owens
Susan Paisley
Becky Rinehimer
Debbie Schneider
Jake Schneider
Dave Talley
Peggy Watkins

Director: Betsy Smith

Choral Anthem

“Run To The Manger”
Chancel Choir

Words Adapted by Victor C. Johnson from Edward Caswall and John Work
Music by Victor C. Johnson incorporating “Go Tell It” (African American Spiritual)

Instrumental Steel Drum Performance

“Feliz Navidad”
Bob Castaldi
By Jose Feliciano

Scripture Reading

Luke 2:1-7

Pastor Jim Mundell

Carol Sing-Along

“O Little Town Of Bethlehem”
Hymn No. 230, Vv. 1,2,4

Vocal Duet

“Rise Up Shepherd and Follow”
Jake and Debbie Schneider
Traditional Spiritual

Instrumental Performance

“Carol Of The Bells”
Memory Bells
Arranged by Douglas E. Wagner

Musical Selection

“Little Drummer Boy”
PraiseWorks Band
(As performed by For King & Country)
Words and music by Katherine David, Henry Onorati and Harry Simeone

Scripture Reading

Luke 2:9-13, 16-19

Pastor Jim Mundell

Carol Sing-A-Long

“Joy To The World”
Hymn No. 246, Vv. 1-4
English Christmas Carol written in 1719 by Isaac Watts
Arranged and led by PraiseWorks

Closing Remarks and Prayer

Pastor Tim Anderman

Closing Sing-Along

“We Wish You A Merry Christmas”





Christmas Eve Services

**6:00 p.m. Family Candlelight Service
with music by our Memory Bells Choir**

**7:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Service at Jenner's Pond
in Allison Theatre**

**8:00 p.m. Contemporary Candlelight Service
with music by our PraiseWorks Band**

**11:00 p.m. Traditional Candlelight Service
with music by our Chancel Choir**

West Grove United Methodist Church Services and Activities

In addition to the special services and events listed below, there are many opportunities for worship and fellowship at WGUMC.

**R.A.P. (Retired Active People) Christmas Program and Lunch
Friday, December 10th at Noon**

**Blue Christmas
Sunday, December 12th at 7:00 p.m.**

Each Sunday at 9:30 a.m., we offer worship in-person and live streamed via YouTube with Children's Worship and Nursery.

We take every precaution for safety, including a disinfectant fogger to sanitize the sanctuary.

There are a variety of Bible studies, Sunday School for all ages, community service groups, and fellowship oriented groups that meet via Zoom or in person.

We would be happy to tell you more about these opportunities if you are interested.

***As you can see, there is something for everyone!
Thank you for visiting with us and we hope to see you again!***

Please visit our website at www.westgroveumc.org for information on these and other activities of interest.