

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS WORSHIP SERIES: GOD IS BORN

December 1: The Royal One

December 8: The Delivering One

December 15: The Living One

December 22: The One Who Brings New Life

PROUD TO HOST:

- ◀ Multi-church Men's Bible Study - *Thursdays 10 a.m.*
- ◀ Narcotics Anonymous group - *Thursdays 7 p.m.*
- ◀ Alcoholics Anonymous group - *Saturdays 10 a.m.*
- ◀ Mobile Food Pantry - *3rd Saturdays 10 a.m. - noon*
- ◀ Girl Scout Troop ◀ Kuna Mom Squad ◀ Masons ◀ Piano Recitals

Please share your **prayer requests** using the cards in the pews.
Put the card in the prayer card box in the back.
Your prayers will be included at our Wednesday prayer meeting,
but not on our email prayer list, unless you specify.

Our worship is richer because you are here. **Praise God!**
If you are new, thank you for testing our welcome!

Please contact Pastor Mia (PastorMia20@gmail.com)
to introduce yourself and to get to know us better.

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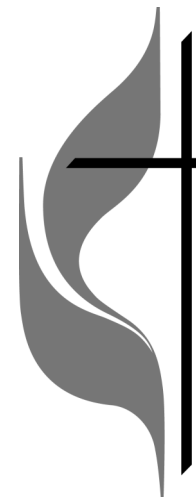
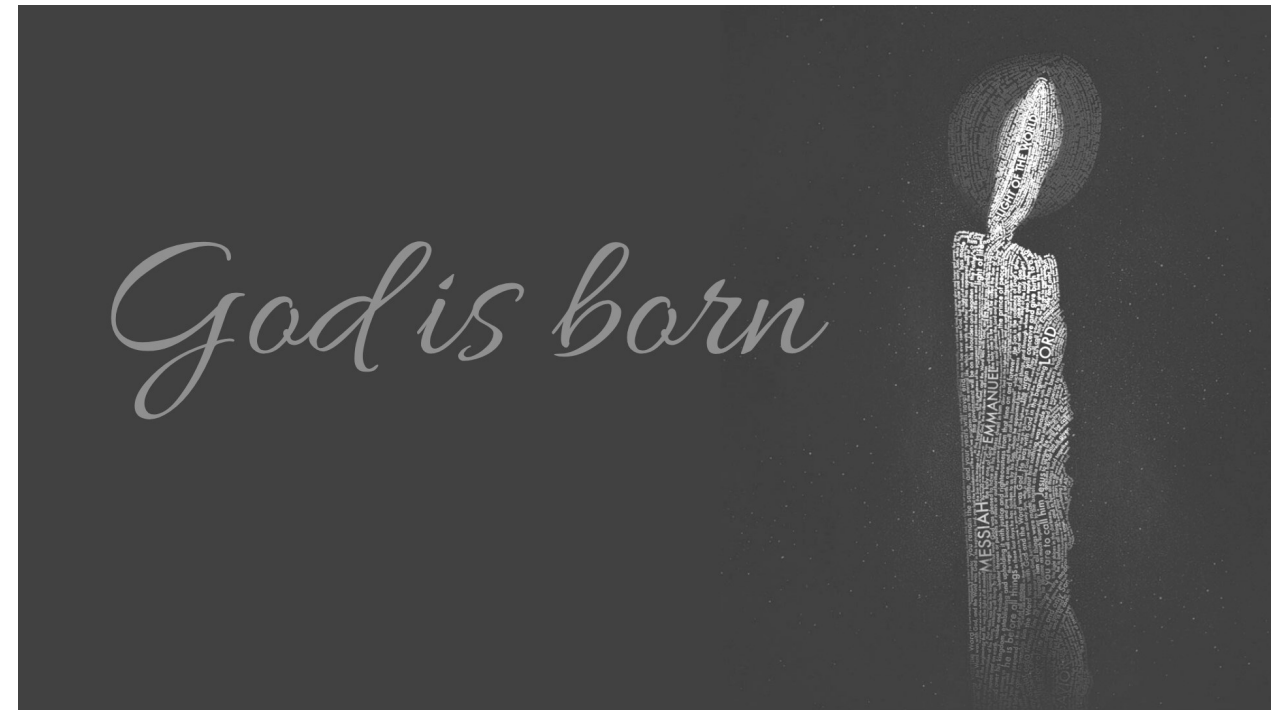
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Kuna United Methodist Church

Living Hope

Worship Series: God Is Born
First Sunday of Advent
December 1, 2024

P = Pastor L = Leader

C = Congregation

Please join in bolded sections

WELCOME

GATHERING

“O Come Emmanuel” Choir

Please rise as you are able

GATHERING HYMN:

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High 2088

Please be seated

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Children of God, pay attention!
The days are coming when the
Royal One will reign with peace.

C: The days are surely coming!

L: Children of God, prepare your
hearts! The days are coming
and are already here when the
Delivering One will save us in
unexpected ways.

**C: The days are surely coming and
are already here!**

L: Children of God, be alert and
listen! The days are coming and
are already here when the Living
One, the One Who Brings New
Life, will join us in life.

**C: The days are surely coming and
are already here! Amen!**

PROCLAMATION

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE: Micah 5:2, Matthew 2:1-2

SERMON: Patrick Miesen

Please rise as you are able
King of Kings 2075

Please be seated

JOYS & CONCERNS

THANKSGIVING & RESPONSE

OFFERING

*At this time, we worship the Lord
through giving. You may bring your
offering up to the offering box or
make an online offering at
KunaUMC.org. This is also a time to
reflect on the offering of your very self
to God. “I appeal to you, brothers
and sisters, by the mercies of God, to
present yourselves as a living sacri-
fice, holy and accept-able to God,
which is your spiritual worship.”*

Romans 12:1

THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our
God

**C: It is right to give our thanks and
praise.**

P: It is right, and a good and joyful
thing... Through your Son Jesus
Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your
holy Church, all honor and glory
is yours, almighty God, now and
forever.

C: Amen.

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 trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the
power, and the glory, forever.

Amen.

COMMUNION

*The Lord Jesus Christ invited all and is
the host of our communion table.
Every one of us today comes as invit-
ed guests and all are welcome at the
table. We have both regular and glu-
ten free bread. We have both wine,
in the ancient tradition, and grape
juice, in the Methodist tradition of
temperance. Please come forward,
take a piece of bread and dip it into
the cup of your choice.*

COMMUNION HYMN:

One Bread, One Body Hymnal 620

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**C: Eternal God, we give you thanks
for this holy mystery in which you
have given yourself to us. Grant that
we may go into the world in the
strength of your Spirit, to give our-
selves for others, in the name of Jesus
Christ our Lord, Amen.**

SENDING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please rise as you are able

SENDING HYMN:

The King of Glory Comes 2091

BLESSING

UPCOMING AT KUNA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MESSY CHURCH

December 15, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
Theme: “Messy Christmas”

PRAYER MEETING

Wednesdays, @ 12:30 p.m.

CHOIR PRACTICE

Wednesdays, @ 7:00 p.m.
All are welcome.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays, @ 10:00 a.m.

BSU STUDENT CARE PACKAGES

Next week we'll be making care
packages for BSU students as they
go into finals week. Please bring
candy, snacks, small fidget toys,
and stickers.

BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE

A service for those grieving this
Christmas season. December 22nd,
at 5 p.m.