New Covenant Fellowship

December 19, 2021

"Belief, Action, Blessing" by Pastor Renée



"As soon as I heard your greeting, the baby in my womb jumped for joy. Happy is she who believed that the Lord would fulfill the promises he made to her." Luke 1: 44-45

Men's Emergency Shelter at NCF (starting 12/27)

C-U at Home and various city representatives are collaborating to hire and train staff for safe and secure emergency shelters, with a planned opening date of Dec 27 for the men at NCF. Walt Kelly is our representative and contact in this endeavor.

Leadership Team

Tim Clark and Suzanne D'Andria joined our December 13 meeting to discuss how our hope for the future of our worship impacts developing a balanced budget with room for emerging opportunities. We are excited to explore improvements to our stage accessibility and musical options to embrace *a new song* in 2022.

The Ministerial Alliance and Interfaith Alliance are sponsoring a brief **candlelight prayer vigil** this Tuesday December 21 at Douglass Park 5:30-5:45pm. Please join in prayer for peace, justice, love, healing, and unity in our community.

Christmas (12/23-26) and January 2 services will be online only.

Order of Service:

Freedom is Coming

Welcome & Ps 80 (Barbara L)

Save Us O Lord

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

Luke 1:35-45 (Laurie K)

I'll Just Say Yes

Belief, Action, Blessing (Renée)

Mary Did You Know (Communion)

Silent Night

O Come All Ye Faithful

Angels We Have Heard

Benediction (Lee Ann Kelly)

Go Tell it on the Mountain

Benediction:

O God of Elizabeth and Mary,
you visited your servants
with news of the world's redemption
in the coming of the Savior.
Make our hearts leap with joy,
and fill our mouths
with songs of praise,
that we may announce
glad tidings of peace,
and welcome the Christ
in our midst.
Amen.



Welcome of Affirmation:

New Covenant Fellowship embraces the good news that each person is created in God's image- inclusive of all cultures, races, genders, and orientations. We desire for each member of the body to express their Godgiven gifts to build up the church through participation and leadership-without regard to ethnicity, race, skin color, gender identity, sexual orientation, marital status, age, ability or disability.

Thanksgiving Offering

The Thanksgiving Offering of \$9,045 supported The Refugee Center, The Family Peer Support Alliance, and Peace Meal. Thank you!

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