

Welcome to the Sonshine Service!

PRELUDE	Brenda Matheny
Please fill out the Registration Pads at this time.	
*PASSING THE PEACE	Words of Welcome
*CALL TO WORSHIP	UMH #220 v1
"Angels from the Realms of Glory"	
*INVOCATION	
*OPENING HYMN	UMH #217
"Away in a Manger"	
ADVENT READING	
SCRIPTURE	Malachi 3:1-4 OT p 889 (pew Bible)
"This is the Word of the Lord." Thanks be to God!	
SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS	
Prayer Request: "Lord in Your mercy... Hear our Prayer. "	
Praise: "Lord for Your goodness... Halleluiah! Praise the Lord! "	
PRAYER HYMN	UMH #230 v1
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"	
PASTORAL PRAYER	THE 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.	
PRAYER RESPONSE	UMH #204
Emmanuel, Emmanuel, His name is called Emmanuel. God with us, revealed in us, His name is called Emmanuel.	
OUR GIFTS, TITHES & OFFERINGS	Prayer of Thanksgiving
Offertory Music	Brenda Matheny
*New Doxology	On Screen
BLESSING OUR CHILDREN	Pastor Carlos
Our Young Disciples are invited to Children's Church	
SCRIPTURE	Luke 3:1-6 NT p 60 (pew Bible)
"This is the Word of the Lord." Thanks be to God!	
SERMON	"Preparing for the Refiner" Pastor Carlos
CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION	UMH p.12
Everyone is invited to the Lord's Table	

*INVITATION

If you would like to publicly profess your faith in Christ, desire to rededicate your life to Christ, or wish to make Blanco UMC your church home, please meet the Pastor at the front.

*COMMITMENT HYMN

UMH #224 v1,2

"Good Christian Friends, Rejoice"

*BENEDICTION

WS #3052

God rest you merry gentlemen, let nothing you dismay, for Jesus Christ our Savior was born upon this day, to save us all from Satan's power when we were gone astray. O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy; O tidings of comfort and joy.

*POSTLUDE

Brenda Matheny

** Please stand as you are able.*

FWS...*Faith We Sing* Ckby...*Cokesbury* UMH...*United Meth. Hymnal*
WS...*Worship & Song (On Screen)*

Advent flower dedications on insert.

Our Commitment to Prayer:

Health & Healing: Jo Albro, Trudy Flores, Barbara Dowdy, baby Violet (Pavlov's granddaughter), Herb McIntosh, Dottie Stover, Denise Wagner, Libby Connell, Troy Bates, June Hensley, Peggy Wright, Jesse Rose, Justin Ellis (Perkins' nephew), Donnie Johnson, Lois Sprayberry, Ada Cooley, the Tish Johnson Family, Naomi Martinez, and the Douglas Gregory Family.

At Home: Arline Cathey, Gladys Leatherwood, Ruby Barnard, Sheryl Houston, and Leona Smylie.

In Retirement Home: Louise Reeser, Darlene Kiernan, and Marilyn Reed.

In Health Center: Melba Cowser, Carol Granberg, and Grace Walker.

Prayer: House of Mercy Orphanage, Bethesda House, Aleluya Church, and Rain.

Last Sunday's Stewardship

Attendance: 8:30...65, 10:00...65, 11:15...43 Sunday School...17

Offerings: \$8,900

Join us for Sunday School, 10:00-10:45 am

PRE-K - 1ST GRADE (4-6 years old)...Rm #1: 2nd-5th Grades...Rm #2

YOUTH CLASS (6th - 12th grades)... upstairs Youth Room;

Adult Classes: AGAPE CLASS...Room #3

Bible Pathway Class (Dot Miller)... Sundays at 11:15am, Wednesdays at 7:30pm

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday Dec. 9	12:00pm	Sunday Lunches Delivery
Monday Dec. 10	8:30am-4:00pm 6:30pm 7:00pm	Office Hours Boy Scouts (<i>Fellowship Hall</i>) Sacred Hearts Men's Reunion Grp (<i>Dot Miller</i>)
Tuesday Dec. 11	8:30am-4:00pm 7:00pm	Office Hours Bible Study (<i>Dot Miller</i>)
Wednesday Dec. 12	8:30am-4:00pm 6:30pm 7:30pm	Office Hours Choir Practice Bible Pathway Class (<i>Dot Miller</i>)
Thursday Dec. 13	8:30am-4:00pm 7:00pm	Office Hours Band Practice
Friday Dec. 14		Office Closed
Saturday Dec. 15		Office Closed
Sunday Dec. 16	8:30am 10:00am 10:00am 10:00am 11:15am 11:15am	Sonshine Communion Service Sunday School (<i>all ages</i>) Choir Cantata Traditional Worship Shekinah Praise Bible Pathway Class (<i>Dot Miller</i>)

Regular Monthly Meetings & Events

Cub Scouts of America Last Weds. of month 6:30 pm, F.H.
 WIC...Women, Infants, Children 2nd & 4th Tuesdays 10:00 am, S.H.
 Boy Scouts Every Monday night 6:30pm, F.H.

Have questions? Email-Emily at secretarybumc1@gmail.com

Prayer Ministry: You may submit Prayer Chain & Prayer Vigil requests to Florine Lord (833-4309) or Elizabeth Pavlov (210-872-5047). Please call the Church Office (833-5030) by 2:00 p.m. on Thursdays for changes to the prayer list.

The Upper Room is available in the Narthex for your daily devotional time.

Pastor: Carlos Cloyd
Youth Minister: Position open
Choir Director: Elizabeth Reno
Pianist: Brenda Matheny
Song Leader: Sebastian Thomas
Ministers: Every Christian

Office Manager: Emily Romero
Bookkeeper: Yvonne Callison
Custodian: Ed Evans
Nursery: Kenzie Warner, Kathryn Hull
Lay Leader: Aaron Staas
Assoc. Lay Leader: Holly Johnson

Blanco United Methodist Church



2ND SUNDAY OF Advent

61 Pecan Street / P. O. Box 339, Blanco, TX 78606
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Sonshine Communion

Worship Service

December 9, 2018

Join us for Worship next Sunday!

Sonshine Communion Service	8:30 a.m.
Sunday School (<i>adult & children</i>)	10:00 a.m.
Traditional Worship Service	10:00 a.m.
Shekinah Praise	11:15 a.m.

Nursery Attendant Available 8:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Children's Church

In Children's Sunday School Classroom #2
 9:15 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. (ages 4 to 11 years old)