

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Advent candle lit on Sunday

\*Opening Song - #220 *Angels from the Realms of Glory*

\*Greet One Another

Prayer Requests & Praises

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.**

Song of Preparation - #371 *I Stand Amazed in the Presence*

Scripture Reading Matthew 1:18-25

*Reader: This is the word of God for the people of God!*

**People: Thanks be to God!**

Message Rev. Eun Sik (Cloud) Poy

*Having Hope for the Future*

Communion: Breaking the Bread

Offering Our Tithes and Gifts

\*Doxology

***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.***

\*Sending Song - #238 *Angels We Have Heard on High*

\*Benediction

\* Please stand as able.

The mission of the Novi United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for all nations and tribes, all races and languages for the transformation of the world.

Our vision is to reach out to all people living in the Novi area, respecting and celebrating their racial, ethnic, and cultural differences while uniting all under the common purpose of worshipping God and spreading the love of Christ.

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## MULTI-ETHNIC

Building a multi-ethnic and multi-cultural environment where people from diverse ethnic backgrounds feel welcome and comfortable, allowing them to connect with the community and faith in culturally appropriate ways.

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## EDUCATIONAL

Reading the Bible is a significant practice to help knowledgeable Christian for the Bible. It is providing various ways of approaching the Bible reading activities, such as through Bible study groups, Bible reading group, and individual reading plans.

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## MISSIONAL

A missional church focuses on actively participating in God's mission to the world, engaging in evangelism, service, and cultural engagement with the goal of transforming communities and making disciples of all nations.

Holy Spirit, we welcome You, acknowledge You, and depend on You. Please pour Your Spirit from the inner sanctuary to the whole chapel. Let the streams of Your water come out of the Cross and cover us ankle-deep, knee-deep, and waist-deep, and let us swim in the Holy Spirit spiritually. Amen.

## Announcement

**Welcome** to Novi United Methodist Church! All our members are here to love and serve you.

**Advent Season:** Join us as we prepare our hearts to celebrate the birth of our Savior during this Advent season! Each Sunday, we will light the Advent candles and reflect on the hope, peace, joy, and love of Christ.

**Christmas Candlelight Service** will take place on Christmas Eve at 7:00 p.m. Mark your calendars and invite your family and friends to join us for this meaningful celebration!

**Music Director:** We are currently in the process of hiring a music director. Please pray for discernment and guidance as we seek to follow God's leading in worship.

## Weekly Gathering

- Wednesday Bible Fellowship: 10:00-11:30 a.m.
- Wednesday Bible Fellowship: 6:00-7:30 p.m.
- Friday Korean Bible Reading: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

*"Dear friend, I pray that you may enjoy good health and that all may go well with you, even as your soul is getting along well."*

- 3 John 1: 2 -

# WELCOME TO WORSHIP

First Sunday of Advent  
December 1, 2024



Novi United Methodist Church

Worship 9:45 a.m.  
Rev. Eun Sik (Cloud) Poy

*Radiant People!*

*Brilliant Life!*

*Bright Future!*

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