

- Words of Welcome and Announcements
- Advent candle lit on Sunday
- \*Opening Song - #246 *Joy to the World*
- \*Greet One Another
- Prayer Requests & Praises (I'll fly away)
- 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 - #219 *What Child Is This*
- Scripture Reading Luke 1:46-55

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

**People: Thanks be to God!**

- Message Rev. Eun Sik (Cloud) Poy

*Mary Break the Curse with Overwhelming Joy*

- 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 - #251 *Go, Tell It on the Mountain*
- \*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.

**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! We will have a special moment for you to select a Scripture verse as God's promise for the upcoming year.

**Christmas Open House:** Pastor Cloud and Lisa warmly invite all our Novi families and friends to their Christmas Open House on Sunday, December 22nd, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. They will be serving soup, salad, and cookies—yum! Come and enjoy their warm and welcoming home this Christmas season. We look forward to celebrating with you!

**365 Bible Reading Plan:** Get the 365 Bible Reading Plan for 2025! By reading just 3 chapters a day, you can complete the entire Bible from Genesis to Revelation in one year.

**Baptism:** We are delighted to celebrate the infant baptism of Graham Gaffney on Sunday, December 29th, during our 9:45 a.m. morning service. Our Novi Church family warmly and lovingly welcomes this precious little boy into our spiritual family in Christ.

## 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

3rd Sunday of Advent  
December 15, 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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