



Sunday, December 5, 2021
2nd Sunday of Advent
Candle of Peace

“For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.”

Isaiah 9:6

Order of Worship and Lyrics

Advent Song: Emmanuel

Emmanuel, Emmanuel, His name is called Emmanuel;
God with us, revealed in us
His name is called Emmanuel.

Hymn: Angels from the Realms of Glory

Angels, from the realms of glory
Wing your flight o'er all the earth
Ye who sang creation's story
Now proclaim Messiah's birth
Come and worship, come and worship
Worship Christ, the newborn King!

Shepherds, in the fields abiding
Watching o'er your flocks by night
God with man is now residing
Yonder shines the infant Light:
Come and worship, come and worship
Worship Christ, the newborn King!

Sages, leave your contemplations
Brighter visions beam afar
Seek the great Desire of nations
Ye have seen the Infant's star:
Come and worship, come and worship
Worship Christ, the newborn King!

Saints before the altar bending
Watching long in hope and fear,
Suddenly the Lord, descending
In His temple shall appear:

Come and worship, come and worship
Worship Christ, the newborn King!

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Praise Song: In the Bleak Midwinter

In the bleak midwinter frosty wind made moan
Earth stood hard as iron, water like a stone
Snow had fallen, snow on snow, snow on snow
In the bleak midwinter long ago

Our God, heav'n cannot hold Him nor earth sustain,
Heav'n and earth shall flee away
when He comes to reign
In the bleak midwinter a stable place sufficed,
For the Lord, God Almighty, Jesus Christ

Gloria, Gloria! Now my eyes have seen
Soli Deo Gloria! He salvation brings
As the Lord has promised, I may go in peace

What can I give Him poor as I am
If I were a shepherd I would bring a lamb
If I were a Wise Man I would do my part
Yet what can I give him? Give my heart

Gloria, Gloria! Now my eyes have seen
Soli Deo Gloria! He salvation brings
In the bleak midwinter I may go in peace

Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Gloria Patri:

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

Unison Reading: Luke 1:26-35

In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. And the virgin's name was Mary. And he came to her and said, Greetings, O favored one, the Lord is with you! But she was greatly troubled at the saying, and tried to discern what sort of greeting this might be. And the angel said to her, Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end. And Mary said to the angel, How will this be, since I am a virgin? And the angel answered her, The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be called holy—the Son of God.”

Pastoral Prayer and 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, Forgive us our
debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the
kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory Response: 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.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel, shall come to thee O Israel

Anthem: Angels We Have Heard on High/Joy Has Dawned

Joy has dawned upon the world, Promised from creation
God's salvation now unfurled, Hope for ev'ry nation
Not with fanfares from above, Not with scenes of glory
But a humble gift of love— Jesus born of Mary

Sounds of wonder fill the sky with the songs of angels
As the mighty Prince of Life shelters in a stable
Hands that set each star in place
shaped the earth in darkness
Cling now to a mother's breast vuln'erable and helpless.

Shepherds bow before the Lamb, gazing at the glory
Gifts of men from distant lands Prophecy the story
Gold—a King is born today, Incense—God is with us
Myrrh—His death will make a way
And by His blood He'll win us

Son of Adam, Son of heaven, Given as a ransom;
Reconciling God and man, Christ, our mighty champion!
What a Savior! What a Friend! What a glorious myst'ry!
Once a babe in Bethlehem, Now the Lord of hist'ry.

Sermon: "In Step with the Truth" Randy Jenkins

Scripture: Galatians 2:11-14

Hymn: Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming

Lo, how a Rose e'er blooming
From tender stem hath sprung!
Of Jesse's lineage coming as men of old have sung
It came, a flower bright, amid the cold of winter
When half-gone was the night.

Isaiah 'twas foretold it, the Rose I have in mind
With Mary we behold it, the virgin mother kind
To show God's love aright she bore to men a Savior
When half-gone was the night

This Flower, whose fragrance tender
with sweetness fills the air,
Dispels with glorious splendor
the darkness ev'rywhere.
True man, yet very God, from sin and death He saves us
And lightens ev'ry load

Benediction/Response: Sing We Now of Christmas
Sing we Noel, the King is born, Noel!
Sing we now of Christmas, sing we now Noel!

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