

**Christ the King Fellowship
Presbyterian
December 24, 2022**

Organ Prelude: I Saw Three Ships arr. Douglas Wagner

Trumpet: On Christmas Night All Christians Sing
arr. Christine Harmon

"O, Holy Night" (vs.1,2) **No.183**
(Red Praise)

"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" (vs.1) **No. 171**
(Red Praise)

Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Candles

*After the Christ candle has been lit:
Holy God tonight we celebrate Your love. Help us to remember You love us so much that the Word was made flesh, that God You came near -- born to save us & reconcile the world to You. Make us always ready to see & receive Christ when he comes! In Jesus' Name - Amen!

Scripture: Matthew 1:18-25

Praise: "Emmanuel Has Come" - Sandquist

**He laid down His crown, put aside His glory.
He became a baby. He became a man.
He stepped off His throne to obey the Father
To become our brother, first of many sons.
Glory, glory, glory, Emmanuel has come.
Glory, glory, glory, Christ is the firstborn of many sons.**

Choir: "Lion of Judah" - Tom Fettke

Scripture: Luke 2:1-7

"O Little Town of Bethlehem" **No. 44**
(Blue Hymnal)

Scripture: Luke 2:8-14

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" **No. 31**
(Blue Hymnal)

Christmas Reading

Scripture: Titus 2:11-14

Lord's Prayer

Trumpet: Eternal Source of Light Divine by George F. Handle/arr. Cliff Beckley

Scripture: John 1:1-14

"Silent Night" (Blue Hymnal) **No. 60**

-- Candle Lighting --

We extinguish the candles knowing we carry the light of Christ within us -- a light which can never be extinguished! AMEN!

Scripture: Isaiah 52:7-10

"Go Tell It on the Mountain" (Blue Hymnal) **No.29**

“O Come, O Come Emmanuel”

O come, O come, Emmanuel,
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile here,
Until the Son of God appear.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free
Thine own from Satan's tyranny;
From depths of hell Thy people save,
And give them victory o'er the grave.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou Dayspring, from on high,
And cheer us by Thy drawing nigh;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou Key of David, come
And open wide our heav'nly home;
Make safe the way that leads on high,
And close the path to misery.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Adonai, Lord of might,
Who to Thy tribes, on Sinai's height,
In ancient times didst give the law
In cloud and majesty and awe.
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

‘O Little Town of Bethelhem’

1 O little town of Bethlehem,
how still we see thee lie!
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep
the silent stars go by;
yet in thy dark streets shineth
the everlasting light.
The hopes and fears of all the years
are met in thee tonight.

2 For Christ is born of Mary,
and, gathered all above
while mortals sleep, the angels keep
their watch of wond'ring love.
O morning stars, together
proclaim the holy birth,
and praises sing to God the King
and peace to all the earth.

3 How silently, how silently,
the wondrous gift is giv'n!
So God imparts to human hearts
the blessings of his heav'n.
No ear may hear his coming,
but in this world of sin,
where meek souls will receive him, still
the dear Christ enters in.

4 O holy Child of Bethlehem,
descend to us, we pray,
cast out our sin and enter in,
be born in us today.
We hear the Christmas angels
the great glad tidings tell;
O come to us, abide with us,
our Lord Immanuel!

“Hark! The Herald Angels Sing”

1 Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King:
peace on earth, and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
join the triumph of the skies;
with th'angelic hosts proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

Refrain:

Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King"

2 Christ, by highest heaven adored,
Christ, the everlasting Lord,
late in time behold him come,
offspring of the Virgin's womb:
veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
hail th'incarnate Deity,
pleased with us in flesh to dwell,
Jesus, our Immanuel. [Refrain]

3 Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace!
Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all he brings,
risen with healing in his wings.
Mild he lays his glory by,
born that we no more may die,
born to raise us from the earth,
born to give us second birth. [Refrain]

“Silent Night”

1 Silent night, holy night!
All is calm, all is bright
round yon virgin mother and child.
Holy Infant, so tender and mild,
sleep in heavenly peace,
sleep in heavenly peace.

2 Silent night, holy night!
Shepherds quake at the sight.
Glories stream from heaven afar,
heav'nly hosts sing, Alleluia!
Christ, the Savior, is born!
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3 Silent night, holy night!
Son of God, love's pure light
radiant beams from thy holy face
with the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord, at thy birth,
Jesus, Lord, at thy birth.

“Go Tell it on the Mountatin”

Go, tell it on the mountain
Over the hills and everywhere
Go, tell it on the mountain
That Jesus Christ is born

While shepherds kept their watching
O'er silent flocks by night
Behold throughout the heavens
There shone a Holy light

Go, tell it on the mountain
Over the hills and everywhere
Go, tell it on the mountain
That Jesus Christ is born

The shepherds feared and trembled
When, lo! Above the Earth
Rang out the angel chorus
That hailed our Savior's birth

Go, tell it on the mountain
Over the hills and everywhere

Go, tell it on the mountain
That Jesus Christ is born

Down in a lowly manger
Our humble Christ was born
And brought us all salvation
That blessed Christmas morn

Go, tell it on the mountain
Over the hills and everywhere
Go, tell it on the mountain
That Jesus Christ is born
That Jesus Christ is born

