# O Come, O Come, Emmanuel " No.9

(Blue Hymnal)

Warner/Bradbury



Confession: (from BCW) God of the future, You are coming in power to bring all nations under Your rule. We confess that we have not expected Your kingdom, for we live casual lives, ignoring Your promised judgement. We accept lies as truth, exploit neighbors, abuse the earth, and refuse Your justice and peace. In Your mercy, forgive us. Grant us wisdom to welcome Your way, and to seek things that will endure when Christ comes to judge the world.

# Assurance of Pardon and 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 (Blue Hymnal No.579)

### "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel " No.9 (Blue Hymnal)



"Jesus Loves Me" Jesus loves me, this I know For the Bible tells me so. Little ones to Him belong. They are weak but He is strong.

#### Chorus: Yes, Jesus loves me. 3 X The Bible tells me so.

Jesus loves me! He who died Heaven's gates to open wide. He will wash away my sin, Let His little child come in.

Jesus loves me! He will stay Close beside me all the way; He's prepared a home for me, And some day His face I'll see.



# **Scripture 1: Jeremiah 33:14-16** (p. 1134)

Scripture 2: Luke 21:25-36 (p. 1501)

**Faith and Engagement** 



**"Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" No.2** (Blue Hymnal)



Prayers of the Pastor and the People with Praise and Thanksgiving

share briefly names & situations to lift to God in prayer – we know God is more than able to hold all we offer & God knows the details! Lord in Your mercy...**Hear our prayer** 

**Blessing** 



"Halle, Halle, Halle-Iujah (X3) Hallelujah, Hal-le-Iu-jah!"

### **Prayer Concerns**

Prayer family: Ann Weber and John Piechota Prayer young person: Chet Helmetsie Prayer theme for young adults: school/work All medical professionals, emergency responders & those serving in hospitals, nursing homes & care facilities Military folks & family - the USA & all those in leadership S-VE School Board members, administrators, teachers & others North Spencer Christian Academy Church Finances Food Cupboard New Life Baptist

## **Calendar:**

Sunday -- Congregational Mtg (after worship) Sunday -- Decorate the church (& eat too) -- after congregational mtg! Monday -- 5PM Session Coaching Monday -- 6PM AA Wednesday -- 11AM Adult Study Friday -- 11AM Women's Bible Study Friday -- 12:15PM Spencer Singers *Friday -- 1:30PM Chair Yoga* Sunday -- 10AM Adult Study 11AM Worship

# Christ the King Fellowship Presbyterian **#love** December 1, 2024 – 11:00 AM



# Welcome

Prelude "O Come O Come Emmanuel"

arr by David Lasky

Call to Worship (SING 1st 2 lines):

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near. Wait for the Lord; be strong; take heart.  $\setminus$ 

Advent Lighting Liturgy (light candle)

(after hearing "The Lord is our righteousness." then pray together: )

We stand in awe of a light that endures, a steady glow through the dimmest days. We draw near to the God who waits with grace, filling us with hope in every season. With hearts ignited, we work and wait for liberative justice,

trusting that it shines beyond even the deepest shadows.

Though our flames may falter, we press on, for God-is-with-us — Emmanuel is near. Amen.



(The Doxology) Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise \*Him,all creatures here below; Praise \*Him above, ye heavenly ghost; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

### "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel " Latin 12<sup>th</sup> Century

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

## Refrain

*Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel.* 

O come, Thou Day-spring, come and cheer Our spirits by Thine advent here; Disperse the gloomy clouds of night, And death's dark shadows put to flight.

### Refrain

O come, Desire of nations, bind In one the hearts of all mankind; Bid Thou our sad divisions cease, And be Thyself our king of Peace.

Refrain

# "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" Charles Wesley

1. Come, thou long expected Jesus, born to set thy people free; from our fears and sins release us, let us find our rest in thee. Israel's strength and consolation, hope of all the earth thou art; dear desire of every nation, joy of every longing heart.

 Born thy people to deliver, born a child and yet a King, born to reign in us forever, now thy gracious kingdom bring. By thine own eternal spirit rule in all our hearts alone; by thine all sufficient merit, raise us to thy glorious throne.