

SUNDAY WORSHIP ONLINE

December 19, 2021, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

Masters in this Hall

Mark Hayes

Sanctuary Choir

*Masters in this hall, hear ye news today,
Brought from over sea, and ever I you pray:*

Nowell! Nowell sing we clear!

Holpen are all folk on earth, born is God's Son so dear.

Going o'er the hills, through the milk-white snow,

Heard I ewes bleat while the wind did blow, while the wind did blow.

Nowell! Nowell sing we clear!

Holpen are all folk on earth, born is God's Son so dear God's Son so dear.

Shepherds many an one sat among the sheep.

No man spake more word than they had been asleep.

Quoth I, "Fellows mine, why this guise sit ye,

Making but dull cheer shepherds though ye be?"

Nowell, Nowell sing we clear!

Holpen are all folk on earth, born is God's Son so dear.

Shepherds should of right leap and dance and sing.

Thus to see ye sit is a right strange thing.

Quoth these fellows then, "To Beth'lem town we go

To see a mighty Lord lie in manger low."

Therein did we see a sweet and goodly may

And a fair old man, upon the straw she lay,

And a little child on her arm had she.

"Wot ye who this is?" said the hinds to me.

Nowell! Nowell! Nowell! Nowell sing we clear!

Holpen are all folk on earth, born is God's Son so dear.

This is Christ the Lord, masters, be ye glad!

Christmas is come in, and no folk should be sad.

Nowell! Nowell sing we clear!

Holpen are all folk on earth, born is God's Son so dear.

Nowell! Nowell sing we loud!

God today hath poor folk raised and cast a-down the proud!

WELCOME

Rev. Amanda Davis

*CAROL

O Come, All Ye Faithful

arr. Dan Forrest

O come all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,

O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem.

Come and behold Him, born the King of angels,

Refrain

**O come let us adore Him, O come let us adore Him,
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.**

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exaltation!

Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above.

Glory to God, all glory in the highest.

Repeat Refrain

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning,

Jesus, to Thee be all glory given!

Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing!

Choir Only

Repeat Refrain

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Rev. Amanda Davis

THE WORD IN MUSIC

Heavenly Star

Pepper Choplin

Sanctuary Choir

Rising, shining, soaring overhead as the world goes on below.

But very few will lift their eyes to see the star, heavenly star.

Searching, praying, staying on the path the star leads on before.

So come and join as we seek the holy Child. We will follow the star, heavenly star.

Star of wonder, star of light, star with royal beauty bright.

Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect Light!

Searching, yearning, learning, all who seek will surely one day find.

And all who will search, with open eyes, who will pray with open hearts,

They will see the light and find the Lord.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Mandy Jones

*THE WORD IN SCRIPTURE

Micah 5:3-5a

This is the Word of the Lord! **Thanks be to God!**

MESSAGE

Rev. Andy Nixon

Behold, the Savior Comes: To The Ends Of The Earth

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*CAROL

Angels We Have Heard On High

arr. Joan Pinkston

Angels we have heard on high,

Sweetly singing o'er the plains,

And the mountains in reply

Echo back their joyous strains.

Refrain

**Gloria in excelsis Deo,
Gloria in excelsis Deo!**

**Shepherds, why this jubilee?
Why your joyous strains prolong?
Say what may the tidings be,
Which inspire your heav'nly song?**

Repeat Refrain

**Come to Bethlehem, and see
Him whose birth the angels sing;
Come, adore on bended knee,
Christ, the Lord, the newborn King.**

Choir Only

*Gloria in excelsis Deo! Gloria in excelsis,
Gloria in excelsis Deo, Gloria!*

SENDING FORTH

Rev. Amanda Davis

POSTLUDE

The Little Drummer Boy

arr. Harry Simeone

**Come they told me, pa rum pum pum pum
Our new-born King to see, pa rum pum pum pum
Our finest gifts we bring, pa rum pum pum pum
To lay before the King, pa rum pum pum pum,
Rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum.
So to honor Him, pa rum pum pum pum, when we come.**

**Baby Jesu, pa rum pum pum pum
I am a poor boy too. Pa rum pum pum pum
I have no gift to bring, pa rum pum pum pum
That's fit to give our King. Pa rum pum pum pum,
Rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum.
Shall I play for you, pa rum pum pum pum, on my drum.**

**Mary nodded, pa rum pum pum pum
The ox and lamb kept time, pa rum pum pum pum
I played my drum for Him; pa rum pum pum pum
I played my best for Him, pa rum pum pum pum,
Rum pum pum pum, rum pum pum pum.
Then He smiled at me, pa rum pum pum pum, me and my drum.**

** Please stand, as you are able.*

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