Fellowship Presbyterian Church Sunday, December 11, 2022 ~ Lessons and Carols

> *Now it will come about that In the last days* The mountain of the house of the LORD *Will be established as the chief of the mountains,* And will be raised above the hills: And all the nations will stream to it. And many peoples will come and say, "Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, *To the house of the God of Jacob;* That He may teach us concerning His ways And that we may walk in His paths." For the law will go forth from Zion And the word of the LORD from Jerusalem. And He will judge between the nations, And will render decisions for many peoples: And they will hammer their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks. Nation will not lift up sword against nation, And never again will they learn war. ~Isaiah 2:2-4

Prelude Welcome and Announcements Pastor Marty Martin Call to Worship Isaiah 12:1-6		news of a merciful King's birth. Then why should men on earth be sad, since our Redeemer made us glad; then why should men on earth be sad, since our Redeemer made us glad; when from our sin He set us free, all for to gain our liberty. When sin departs before His grace then life and health come in its place. When sin departs before His grace, then life and health come in its place; angels and men with joy may sing, all for to see the newborn			me Th my Sav Christ- near, o heav'n God, a sweet
Then you will say on that day, "I will give thanks to You, O LORD; For although You were angry with me, Your anger is turned away,		King. All out of darkness we have light, which made the angels sing this night: then out of darkness we have light which made the angels sing this night, "Glory to God in the highest heav'n, now and forevermore," Now and forever more, now and forever more,			Thy ha heart, Thine d
And You comfort me.		Amen! ~CCLI11347461			Homily
"Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid; For the LORD GOD is my strength and song,		Lesson Four	<i>Magnificat</i> <i>Luke</i> 1:46-56	Elder Craig Bouvier	Prayers of C
And He has become my salvation." Therefore you will joyously draw water From the springs of salvation. And in that day you will say, "Give thanks to the LORD, call on His name. Make known His deeds among the peoples; Make them remember that His name is exalted."		§ Carol	Silent Night! Holy Night! (stanzas 1, 2 & 4)	No. 210	§ Carol § Benediction
		Lesson Five	The Angel Visits Joseph Matthew 1:18-25	Pastor Peter Spink	
Praise the LORD in song, for He has done excellent things; Let this be known throughout the earth. Cry aloud and shout for joy, O inhabitant of Zion, For great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel.		§ Carol	O Little Town of Bethlehem (stanzas 1, 2 & 4)	No. 201	
		Lesson Six	Jesus' Birth in Bethlehem	Elder Tim Taylor	

Carol

Lesson One

Lesson Two

Lesson Three

§ Carol

§ Carol

Carol

Love Came Down at Christmas

was born at Christmas: star and angels gave the sign; star and

angels gave the sign. Love came down at Christmas, love all lovely, love divine; love was born at Christmas: star and angels gave the

sign. Worship we the Godhead, love incarnate, love divine; worship we our Jesus, but wherewith for sacred sign; but wherewith for

sacred sign? Love shall be our token; love be yours and love be

mine, love to God and neighbor, love for plea and gift and sign:

A Child Is Born

Isaiah 7:10-14; 9:2, 6-7; 40:5

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

Gabriel Visits Marv

Luke 1:26-38

Of the Father's Love Begotten

(stanzas 1, 3 & 5)

Mary Visits Elizabeth

Luke 1:39-45

Sussex Carol

angels bring; on Christmas night all Christians sing, to hear

the news the angels bring, news of great joy, news of great mirth,

Luke 2:1-7

On Christmas night, all Christians sing, to hear the news the

love for plea and gift and sign. ~CCLI11347461

Love came down at Christmas, love all lovely, love divine; love

Choir

No. 194

No. 162

Choir

Pastor Andrew Newman

Elder John Kuhfuss

Mr. Kevin Worley

Carol

Wexford Carol

Good people all, this Christmas-time, consider well and bear in mind what our good God for us has done in sending His beloved Son. In Spirit holy we should pray to God with love this Christmas day; in Bethlehem upon that morn there was a blessed Messiah born. Near Bethlehem did shepherds keep their flocks of lambs and feeding sheep; to whom God's angels did appear. which put the shepherds in great fear. "Prepare and go." the angels said. "To Bethlehem, be not afraid; for there you'll find, this happy morn, a princely babe, sweet Jesus born." With thankful heart and joyful mind, the shepherds went the babe to find, and as God's angel had foretold, they did our Savior Christ behold. Within a manger He was laid, and by His side the virgin maid, attending on the Lord of life, who came on earth to end all strife. In Spirit holy we should pray to God with love this Christmas day; in Bethlehem upon that morn there was a blessed Messiah born. Sweet Jesus born. Messiah born. ~CCLI11347461

Angels We Have Heard on High

The Shepherds

Luke 2:8-20

Lesson Eight

Lesson Seven

§ Carol

Carol

To Thee My Heart I Offer

Benedictus

Luke 1:57-80

To thee my heart I offer, oh Christ-child, sweet and dear; upon Thy love, relying, be Thou ever near. Oh, take my heart and give me Thine and may it be forever mine, oh Jesus, holy, undefiled, my Savior, meek and mild. What brought Thee to the manger, oh Christ-child, sweet and dear? Thy love for me a stranger, be ever near, oh Lord, how great Thy perfect Love, that reaches from the heav'ns above. Thy love for us, by sin defiled, that made Thee, God, a child, a child. Let me be Thine forever, oh Christ-child, sweet and dear; uphold me with Thy mercy, be Thou ever near. Thy hand bestows Thy gifts to me and all I have, I offer thee! My heart, my soul and all I own; let these be Thine alone, let these be Thine alone, these be Thine alone. ~CCLI11347461

Not What We Might Expect ers of Confession, Thanksgiving and Supplication

Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come

§ The congregation will please stand.

Elder Jeff Wayne, Sr.

No. 214

Elder Terry Richards.

Choir

No. 195

Pastor Martin





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