



FOURTH AVENUE
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Pursuing Jesus...
Sharing Jesus

December 4, 2022

"Second Sunday of Advent"

Prelude, Announcements, Prayer Requests, & Call to Worship

O Come, All Ye Faithful p. 148

Vs. 1: 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.

Chorus: O come, let us adore him (3x); Christ, the Lord!

Vs. 2: Sing choirs of angels, sing in exultation, sing, all ye citizens of heaven above! Glory to God, all glory in the highest.

Vs. 4: Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born for our salvation; Jesus, to thee be all glory given; Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing.

Offering Meditation and Prayer Jack Davis

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One Candle Is Lit (Advent Candles are lit by Erick)

Vs. 1: Come surely, Lord Jesus, as dawn follows night, our hearts long to greet you, as roses, the light. Salvation, draw near us, our vision engage. One candle is lit for the **HOPE** of the age.

Vs. 2: Come quickly shalom, teach us how to prepare for a gift that compels us with justice to care. Our spirits are restless till sin and war cease. One candle is lit for the reign of God's **PEACE**.

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Ken

The Lord's Prayer Kim, Michael & Sonny

Scripture: Luke 2:8-12 Jack Davis

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks p. 154

Vs. 1: While shepherds watched their flocks by night, all seated on the ground, the messenger of God came down, and glory shone around, and glory shone around.

Vs. 2: "Fear not," the angel said—for dread had seized their troubled mind. "Glad tidings of great joy I bring to all of humankind, to all of humankind."

Vs. 3: "To you, in David's town this day, is born of David's line, a Savior, who is Christ, the Lord, and this shall be the sign: and this shall be the sign:"

Vs. 4: "The heavenly Babe you there shall find to human view displayed, all meanly wrapped in swathing bands, and in a manger laid, and in a manger laid."

Scripture: Luke 2:13-14 Jack Davis

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing p. 150

Vs. 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 the angelic host proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

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

Scripture: Luke 2:15-20 Jack Davis

The First Noel Kim, Michael & Sonny

Message: Inner Peace Pastor Ken

It Is Well with my Soul p. 561

Vs. 1: When **PEACE**, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, it is well, it is well with my soul.

Chorus: It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well with my soul.

Vs. 4: May God haste the day when my faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll; the trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, even so, it is well with my soul.

Communion Meditation & Elder Prayer Jack Davis

Announcements and Benediction Ken

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice p. 164

Vs. 3: Good Christian friends, rejoice with heart and soul and voice! Now you

*need not fear the grave: PEACE! PEACE! Jesus Christ was born to save!
Calls you one and calls you all, to gain the everlasting hall. Christ was born
to save! Christ was born to save!*

Jesus offers us the ability to experience inner calmness and serenity, harmony and stillness when our circumstances threaten to throw us into a state of anxiety, worry, and fear.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Joshua Bidlack Military service overseas

Velma (Surgery recovery)

Roman (safety in Ukrainian Army)

Michael Bidlack (breathing issue)

Mars (restore strength)

Bob Davis (Jack's brother going to hospice)

Ruby Hatcher (Vision in her eye)

Pat Hale (lungs remain clear)

Dick Wolf (restored strength)

Velma Obert (will have surgery)

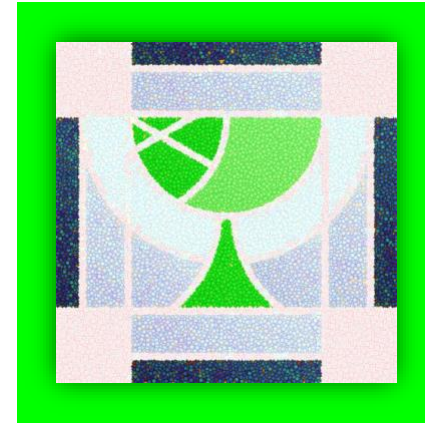
Erick Cooper (financial need)

Chris (Stroke)

Jay Riedel (Cancer)

Christina Grubb (health issues)

Linda Brummer (Cancer)



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