

*The
Manger*



Sunday - December 22nd, 2024

Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Song “O Come, O Come Emmanuel”

Responsive Reading - Psalm 113

Song “He Shall Reign Forever More”

Prayer of the Day

Readings Micah 5:2-5a
Philippians 2:5-11

Anchored in Christ Advent Candle
Lighting // **The Love Candle**

Special Music “Light of the Stable”

Sermon Text Luke 2:1-7

Message

Prayers of God’s People

Words of Institution

The Lord’s Prayer

Distribution Songs

“O Little Town of Bethlehem”

“It Came Upon a Midnight Clear”

Prayer of Blessing

Announcements

Benediction

Song “Go Tell It on the Mountain”

Postlude

This Week at Christ Lutheran:

Sunday 9am - Worship Service
10am - Coffee Fellowship

Tuesday 4:30pm - Christmas Eve
Worship

Wednesday Office Closed

Friday Office Closed
6:30am - Men’s Prayer
Breakfast

Sunday 9am - Worship Service
10am - Coffee Fellowship

Sunday Servants -

Greeter: Tim & Sandy Carson

Reader: Sharon Michael

Communion Prep: Kirsten Shanahan

Coffee: Greg & Sharon Michael

Please pray for the following people:

Ron Wipf, Yvonne Breeschoten, Danielle

Thomas, Val Molin, Tami Greenwood,

Kathy Oman, Sue Pedersen, Cal & Judy

Johnson

Micah 5:2-5a

²“But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, though you are small among the clans of Judah, out of you will come for me one who will be ruler over Israel, whose origins are from of old, from ancient times.”

³ Therefore Israel will be abandoned until the time when she who is in labor bears a son, and the rest of his brothers return to join the Israelites.

⁴ He will stand and shepherd his flock in the strength of the Lord, in the majesty of the name of the Lord his God. And they will live securely, for then his greatness will reach to the ends of the earth.

⁵ And he will be our peace when the Assyrians invade our land and march through our fortresses.

Philippians 2:5-11

⁵ In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus:

⁶ Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage;

⁷ rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.

⁸ And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death—even death on a cross!

⁹ Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name,

¹⁰ that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

¹¹ and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Luke 2:1-7

¹ In those days Caesar Augustus issued a decree that a census should be taken of the entire Roman world. ² (This was the first census that took place while Quirinius was governor of Syria.) ³ And everyone went to their own town to register.

⁴ So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David, because he belonged to the house and line of David. ⁵ He went there to register with Mary, who was pledged to be married to him and was expecting a child.

⁶ While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, ⁷ and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, Feb. 2nd

4:00 - 5:30pm

A.C.T. UNITED
Anti Child Trafficking

The Star - The Tree - The Candle - The Manger - The Cross

Symbols of Christmas

Sundays in December
@ Christ Lutheran

Christmas Eve Candle Light Service - 4:30pm

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