

Second Sunday of Advent

December 8, 2019

11:00 a.m.

Prelude Fettke
The Majesty and Glory of Your Name

Silent Meditation **Isaiah 11:1-4**
There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit. And the Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him, the Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD. And his delight shall be in the fear of the LORD. He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide disputes by what his ears hear, but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked.

Welcome and Announcements

Chimes

Introit
While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks

Call to Worship **Psalm 44**

Prayer of Adoration, Approach and Confession

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Hymns **#'s 131, 117**
**Angels, from the Realms of Glory
We Come, O Christ, to You**

Offertory Elliott
Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne

Presentation of Gifts and Doxology **#625**

Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer and Intercession

Hymns **#'s 141, 167**
**O Little Town of Bethlehem
O Sing a Song of Bethlehem**

Scripture Reading **(pp. 181, 224)**
**Joshua 5:13-15
Ruth 4:13-17**

Sermon Rev. John Flanagan
The History of Advent

Hymn **#125**
Joy to the World!

Closing Words

Choral Response
**O come let us adore Him, O come let us adore Him,
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.
For He alone is worthy, For He alone is worthy,
For He alone is worthy, Christ the Lord. Amen.**

Benediction

Postlude Peters
Lord of Glory

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Baptism upon personal profession of faith is the normal mode of entry into the membership of a Christian church.
Persons seeking membership, who have not been baptized as believers or transferring from another church, may be accepted for full membership based on their own public profession of faith.