

**Welcome to worship at
New Hanover Evangelical Lutheran Church**

**Fourth Sunday of Advent
December 22, 2024**



Cradle and cross are inextricably connected on the fourth Sunday of Advent. Between a lovely tribute to the little town of Bethlehem and Mary’s magnificent song of praise, the letter to the Hebrews reminds us in no uncertain terms that Christ’s advent is for “the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.” It is the kind of tension in which the church always lives as when in holy communion—with high delight—“we proclaim the Lord’s death.”

The Rev. Scott Staub, pastor
Nicole Young, seminarian minister
Patricia Nyce, director of music ministry
Lindsey Waltermeyer, Grace band leader

We love our neighbors with healing and feeding them!

All worship can be viewed online at
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and on YouTube.

May your worship experience strengthen you
with God's love and grace.

Welcome

Prelude *Of the Father's Love Begotten* Handbell Choir

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This is perhaps the oldest hymn that many congregations sing. It was written by Aurelius Prudentius Clemens (348 - c. 413), a Spanish poet and lawyer who became a judge. From the first line of stanza one, "Of the Father's love begotten" Prudentius sets forth his case for what has become the established understanding of the Trinity, and that is that the Son has always, is always, and will always be with God and us. "He is Alpha and Omega, He the source, the ending he. Of the things that are, that have been, and that future years shall see..." Listen for another familiar Christmas carol within this piece.

Hanging of the Greens - Chrismons Nikki Young

The word **Chrismon** is a combination of two words, **Christ** and **Monogram**. Chrismons are symbols of the life of Christ and his birth, life and death on Earth. Our Chrismons are made of many materials in a great variety of texture like the many personalities and talents that make up the people of God in this community. Our Chrismons are white and gold – white to symbolize the purity of God's love for us and gold for the majesty of God, the giver of all that is good.

Lighting of the Advent Candle

The Singley family

Emmanuel, Emmanuel

To the tune of It Came upon the Midnight Clear

Emmanuel Emmanuel

His name is called Emmanuel

God with us revealed in us

His name is called Emmanuel

Repeat from beginning

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Please rise as you are able.

Gathering Hymn *The King Shall Come*

ELW #260

Call to Worship

Pastor Scott

In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Prayer of the Day

Pastor Scott

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Stir up your power, Lord Christ, and come. With your abundant grace and might, free us from the sin that binds us, that we may receive you in joy and serve you always, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Please be seated.

Children’s Message

Lindsey Waltermeyer

Children Hang the Chrismons

First Reading

Micah 5:2-5a

Donna Kehs

A reading from the book of Micah

² But you, O Bethlehem of Ephrathah,
who are one of the little clans of Judah,

from you shall come forth for me
one who is to rule in Israel,
whose origin is from of old,
from ancient days.

³ Therefore he shall give them up until the time
when she who is in labor has brought forth;
then the rest of his kindred shall return
to the people of Israel.

⁴ And he shall stand and feed his flock in the strength of the Lord,
in the majesty of the name of the Lord his God.

And they shall live secure, for now he shall be great
to the ends of the earth;

^{5a} and he shall be the one of peace.

Here ends the reading.

Please rise as you are able.

Gospel Acclamation *Creator of the Stars of Night* ELW #245
vs. 4

Gospel Luke 1:39-55 Pastor Scott

The holy gospel according to Luke

Glory to you, O Lord.

³⁹ In those days Mary set out and went with haste to a Judean town
in the hill country, ⁴⁰ where she entered the house of Zechariah and
greeted Elizabeth. ⁴¹ When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the
child leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy
Spirit ⁴² and exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among
women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. ⁴³ And why has this
happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me? ⁴⁴ For
as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting, the child in my
womb leaped for joy. ⁴⁵ And blessed is she who believed that there
would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her by the Lord."

⁴⁶ And Mary said,

"My soul magnifies the Lord,

⁴⁷ and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

⁴⁸ for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant.

Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;

⁴⁹ for the Mighty One has done great things for me,
and holy is his name.

⁵⁰ His mercy is for those who fear him
from generation to generation.
⁵¹ He has shown strength with his arm;
he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.
⁵² He has brought down the powerful from their thrones,
and lifted up the lowly;
⁵³ he has filled the hungry with good things,
and sent the rich away empty.
⁵⁴ He has helped his servant Israel,
in remembrance of his mercy,
⁵⁵ according to the promise he made to our ancestors,
to Abraham and to his descendants forever.”

The gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

Message

Pastor Scott

A moment of silence for reflection

Please rise as you are able.

Song of the Day *Joy to the World (Unspeakable Joy)*

Grace Band

Joy to the world the Lord is come
Let earth receive her King
Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room
And heaven and nature sing
And heaven and nature sing
And heaven and heaven and nature sing

Joy to the world the Savior reigns
Let all their songs employ
While fields and floods rocks hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy

Chorus:

Joy unspeakable joy
An overflowing well
No tongue can tell
Joy unspeakable joy
It rises in my soul
Never lets me go

He rules the world with truth and grace
And makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness
And wonders of His love
And wonders of His love
And wonders, wonders of His love

Chorus

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Prayers of Intercession
Lord, in your mercy,
receive our prayer.

Nikki Young

The Lord's Prayer
Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

Nikki Young

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

Peace

Nikki Young

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

Please share a sign of peace with your neighbors.

The people give a sign of peace to each other.

Please be seated.

Offertory

Choir Anthem

Advent Hope

Chancel Choir

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Doxology

Doxology for Advent

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise
 God all creatures here below. Praise
 God above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

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The offering is brought forward for a blessing.

Announcements

Pastor Scott

Please rise as you are able.

Sending Hymn

Joy to the World

ELW #267

Dismissal

Pastor Scott

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Go get'em!!!

Postlude

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Announcements

Today

The bulletin is sponsored to the glory of God and in memory of the Rhoads family by Jim and Mary Alice Mack family and the Rhoads family.

The flowers are sponsored to the glory of God and in honor of John and Hazel LeVan, who will celebrate their 69th wedding anniversary on Christmas Day.

Serving Today Head Usher: Steve Weidner, Usher: Terry Santangelo, Lector: Donna Kehs, Children's Sermon: Lindsey Waltermyer, Acolyte: Landon Woods

Christmas Eve (4:00) Head Usher: Jim Gross, Ushers: Marty Hauser, George Trowbridge and Ryan Waltermyer, Lector: Hannah Waltermyer, Children's Sermon: Nikki Young, Acolyte: Genesis Garcia, Communion Assistants: Terry Santangelo and Nikki Young

Christmas Eve (8:00) Head Usher: Barbara Repa, Ushers: Bill Allen and Sharon and Bill Tracey, Lector: Faye Weidner, Acolyte: Ainsley Lucas, Communion Assistants: Erica Lucas and Carolyn Fleming

Next Sunday Head Usher: Head Usher: Ron Fegley, Ushers: Dee Singley and Kyle Singley, Acolyte: Miller Quigley

Altar Guild members serving this month: Deb Solazzo, Barb Eisenhart, Corrine Bartholomew and Judy Sloan

The Weary World Rejoices! Come join us each Sunday at 10:15 AM for an Advent Group Bible Study in room 33. Each week we meet to share and discuss holiday traditions, Bible passages and how each of us cope with living in the promise of peace and hope, even though we witness this world we live in. This study is a safe

place to come to share, listen and/or just hang. So come join us this Advent.

Christmas Caroling this afternoon, 1 – 3 PM Gather your friends and family for a fun and uplifting time, singing favorite and beloved Christmas carols to our NHELC homebound members as well as those in senior facilities. Carolers will gather in the Multi-purpose Room at 1:00 PM to plan the routes and pick up the goodie bags prepared at the Advent Social. After caroling, we will return to the church to enjoy cookies and hot cocoa. Caroling is a wonderful opportunity to spread some Christmas cheer. Contact Director of Music Ministry Patricia Nyce or Jean Moser (610-367-0342) with any questions about the caroling.

The Nursery room is located between the Welcome Center and the Fellowship Hall. Parents are welcome to use the room during worship as needed. The room provides for a comfortable play area in a joyful environment; toys and books are included. The room has access to a changing room and a private nursing room next door.

Doors leading to fellowship hall and the education wing remain locked during the worship service for the safety of all.

Calendar

Worship Service – Today, 9:00 AM, sanctuary and online

Food Drop Off – Today, 9:00 – 10:00 AM, kitchen

Food Delivery Pickup – Today, 10:00 AM, portico

J.A.M. – Today, 10:15 AM, room 21

Kids for Christ Rehearsal – Today, 11:00 AM, sanctuary

Praise Band Rehearsal – Today, 11:15 AM, sanctuary

Caroling – Today, 1:00 – 3:00 PM, meet in room 14

Confirmation – Today 1:30 – 3:30 PM, room 1

Prayer Ministry – Monday, 1:15 PM, sanctuary

Christmas Eve Live Nativity Service – Tuesday, 4:00 PM, sanctuary and online

Christmas Eve Traditional Service – Tuesday, 8:00 PM, sanctuary and online

Addiction 12 Step – Wednesday, 6:00 – 7:00 PM, room 32

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Birthday Party – Saturday, 10:00 – 4:00 PM, room 1

Worship Service – Next Sunday, 9:00 AM, sanctuary and online

Food Drop Off – Next Sunday, 9:00 – 10:00 AM, kitchen

Food Delivery Pickup – Next Sunday, 10:00 AM, portico

Celebrate the birth of Christ this Christmas Eve at NHELCL.

Candlelight services will be held at 4:00 and 8:00 PM. The 4:00 service features a live nativity.

The church office will be closed on Christmas Day and the next day for the holiday.

Upcoming Events

Attention Committee and Board Chair: 2024 reports are due in the church office by Monday, January 6, 2025.

All are invited to a Christmas Day dinner on Wednesday, December 25th, at 2:00 PM at Mission First, located at 414 High Street in Pottstown. Thanks to Grace Tabernacle Church for serving up this festive meal.

New Hanover Family Learning Center Update - The Property Committee and Learning Center team have been busy making plans to get the education wing ready for construction sometime after the New Year. Large items have been identified to be claimed to keep or disposed of by being sold, donated, or trashed. The property committee will be moving these items from the education wing on Saturday, January 4th. You may reach out to Jim Gross if you'd like to help move large items.

Donna Kehs will work with volunteers after Christmas to pack items in storage closets and small items in the classrooms. One group of volunteers will box items but will not move any heavy boxes, and another volunteer or two will move the boxes out of the education wing. If you are available on Monday, December 30th, or Thursday, January 2nd, and would like to volunteer, reach out to Donna Kehs at 610-212-2673.

Want to be a member?

Please fill out a yellow card, “Your Voice from the Pew”, located in the pew rack and give to Pastor Scott or place the card in the offering plate. Check off “Interest in Church Membership.”

Thank You

Angel Tree A huge thank you to everyone who participated in our Angel Tree this year. As always, our congregation is most generous and creative in their gift giving.

A very packed carload of gifts and gift cards were delivered to the Martin Luther School at Gemma Services in Plymouth meeting. The Martin Luther School provides education and support to grades k-12 students with emotional and behavioral needs. In addition, there is a residential program with sixty current residents. The staff was thrilled to see us arrive. Amanda from the school explained each resident is provided a personal Christmas bounty. Staff make every attempt to make Christmas morning special. She added the generosity of our congregation is most appreciated. Thank you, one and all, and Merry Christmas!

Boyertown Area Multi-Service Thank you to all who contributed non-perishable items to the Boyertown Area Multi-Service during our November collection. Thanks to your generosity, NHELCC donated 74 lbs. of food and personal items to help our neighbors.

Resources

Want to keep up with all the latest news from NHELCC?

Subscribe to the bi-weekly Constant Contact communication emails. You will receive a weekly announcement on Monday and a worship reminder on Saturday. If you are not already receiving these emails, you can use this QR code and sign up today using a very simple, secure site.



Do you enjoy the praise band songs? Would you like to get to know them better? This [playlist](#) includes over fifty songs that our praise band has done, and more will be added in the



future. You will need to download Spotify (it's free!) to listen to the songs.

Peer Support Information The Ferns Peer Run Respite is a local mental health non-profit resource in Montgomery County. The Ferns provides a supportive and calm environment for individuals in need and not able to interact in other available mental health resources. The Ferns is totally peer supported and allows individuals at the respite the time they may need to recover or seek additional treatment. If you know an individual who may need this service, contact the church and leave a message for the peer support program or reach out to Pastor Scott.

The Peer Support Ministry webpage on the church's website (newhanoverlutheran.org) offers resources for mental health and wellness. Visit the webpage for information.

Mental Health and Wellness Millions of people across the nation are affected by mental health conditions. National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) has local centers in both Reading and Lansdale. They offer in-person and online support groups. NHELIC has links with helpful information available on our website (newhanoverlutheran.org) or contact NAMI Helpline or PA Addiction Helpline directly.

NAMI Help Line 1-800-950-6242 is available Monday - Friday 10:00 AM to 10:00 PM ET.

Text "Helpline" to 62640 or if in crisis call or text 988.

PA Addiction Helpline 1-800-662-HELP (4357).

Online live chat offered at 1-717-216-0905 or text

You Can Help

Pictorial Directory Send pictures of members, classes and group activities to Nance White at Nance2237@yahoo.com as soon as possible to be included in the new pictorial directory.

You can donate to NHELIC ministry electronically. Simply point your smartphone camera at one of these QR codes and follow the link.

Tithe.ly QR Code



Simply Giving QR Code



Volunteers are needed to help during the church service: Ushers, Lectors, Children’s Sermons, Acolytes and Communion Assistants. Contact Faye Weidner at omiweidner@gmail.com or 484-929-5958 if you can help.

Food Ministry

More than 200,000 meals have been delivered! NHELCL’s Loaves & Fishes Food Ministry is changing lives. And, you can be a part of the team. 1) You can donate food. Drop off your donation on Wednesdays between 1 – 2 PM and Sundays between 9 – 10 AM. **Items most needed include: hamburger, chicken (thighs and breast meat), pasta (ziti, elbows, bowties), cheese (mozzarella, cheddar, parmesan), potatoes, fresh fruit (apples, oranges, bananas) and eggs.** 2) Donate money through Thrivent Gift Cards. Place monetary donations on the offering plate or mail to the church. 3) Deliver meals. Sign up at <https://www.newhanoverlutheran.org/loaves-fishes-food-ministry/>.

Reconciling in Christ

Recently the RIC team arranged for two presentations. The presentations, “LGBTQIA+ 101” and “Pronouns-Why They Are Important”, are now on the church website under the



Reconciling In Christ Journey page. In case you missed the presentations or would like to watch them again, you will find them by entering this link in your web browser:

<https://newhanoverlutheran.org/reconciling-in-christ/> or connect using this QR Code.

Do you want to participate in a one-to-one discussion around the possibility of New Hanover becoming a Reconciling in Christ church, welcoming to all - especially to those identifying as LGBTQIA+, racially diverse, or gender diverse? Contact Sharon

Tracey, Diane Bealer, Josh Young, Janet Psota, Rick Hausch or Pastor Scott.

Got a question for the Reconciling in Christ (RIC) team about their journey? Jot down your question (paper provided at the desk) and put it in the box on the desk in the Welcome Center. The team will try to answer your question(s). Be sure to provide your preferred contact information.

“Taking a closer look: What the Bible does and doesn’t say about homosexuality” January 12th at 10:15 AM in Fellowship Hall

The Bible is often used against 2sLGBTQIA+ people to prove that they are condemned by God, and sometimes to justify discrimination and even violence against them. Most often people point to a few verses scattered throughout scripture to justify this. In this workshop we will examine some of these texts, and explore how to respond when the Bible is used against 2sLGBTQIA+ people. The Rev. Bruce Davidson, a retired pastor in the ELCA, will be leading the presentation. At the end of his presentation questions will be received. We will meet in Fellowship Hall immediately following the worship service. Drinks and snacks will be available.

“Allyship” January 19th Allyship is an action verb defining the lifelong process of building relationships based on trust, consistency, and accountability with minoritized individuals and/or groups of people with the strategic intentions to become collaborators to promote equity.

We welcome Dr. Dee Singley, (she/they), Director for Disability Services and 504 Coordinator Institute for Student Success at Ursinus College for a Temple Talk during worship on January 19th. Afterwards, during the adult Sunday School hour, Dr. Singley and members of the RIC team will be available for questions and further discussion in Room 33 of the Christian Education Wing.

Prayer Requests

Long-term: Sarah Bowman, Keeley Staples, Logan Conley, Carol Buchholtz Yost

Shut-in: Penny Frymoyer

Grieving: family and friends of Carol Howells

Military: Shawn Dietz, Michael McHugh, Kevin Dugan, Jason Bernhard, Craig Geiser, Patrick Mathias, Steven Kane, William Zearfoss, Will Wilson V, Milton Jack Repa, Kyle Woods, Danny Foust

Peace for violence in our area and nationally

Katy Mahon-Miller	Luann Hanley	Carol Estes
William Trotter	Kathy Kane	Maxwell Girard
Pat Fryer	Jean Renninger	Pr. Kork Moyer
Betty Lou Shadle	Julia Hauck	Tony Mancini
Raul Castro	Amy LeVan	Jeffrey Kunsch
Wilma Lahr	Melissa	Mary Lou
Doug Weaver	Joan Wagner	Robert Ganovsky
Dorothy Bingaman	Emily Ocelus	Eric & Wendy Hess
Sue Care	Deb Matthews	Marceline
Anne Eshleman	Daniel Johnson	Chris Fatzinger
Hank Droneberg	Pena family	Kim Frain
Jen Perez	Frank D.	Pam Helfrich
Barb & Tom Faust	Andy Van Dyke	Janet
Pam Abbott	Holli Muffler	Louise Karns
Pr. Jennifer Phelps	Jessica Trout	Verdie Smith
Mabel Gaugler	Sandy Wesner	Helen Foulke
Carla Hausmann	Joan Price	Betty Seroski
Ralph Borneman	Lucille Powell	Virginia Specht
Jeffrey Weems	Joan Scheffey	Arnold Amundsen
Chuck Beck	Ally Musser & family	Rich Freed
Joe	Joe	Casey Flack
Tim Mutter	Denton Quick	David Helfrich, Sr.
Tara Hauck	Patricia Kemp	Ron Seasholtz
Jennifer, Brendt, Declan & Conor Budnick		Penny Garber
Hazel LeVan	Lynn Amundsen	David Gottshall

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Celebrating 325 Years
1700-2025



Still Making History

Is your church doing a Christmas play? Are you in it?

Write the names of the characters from the Christmas story and color the scene below.

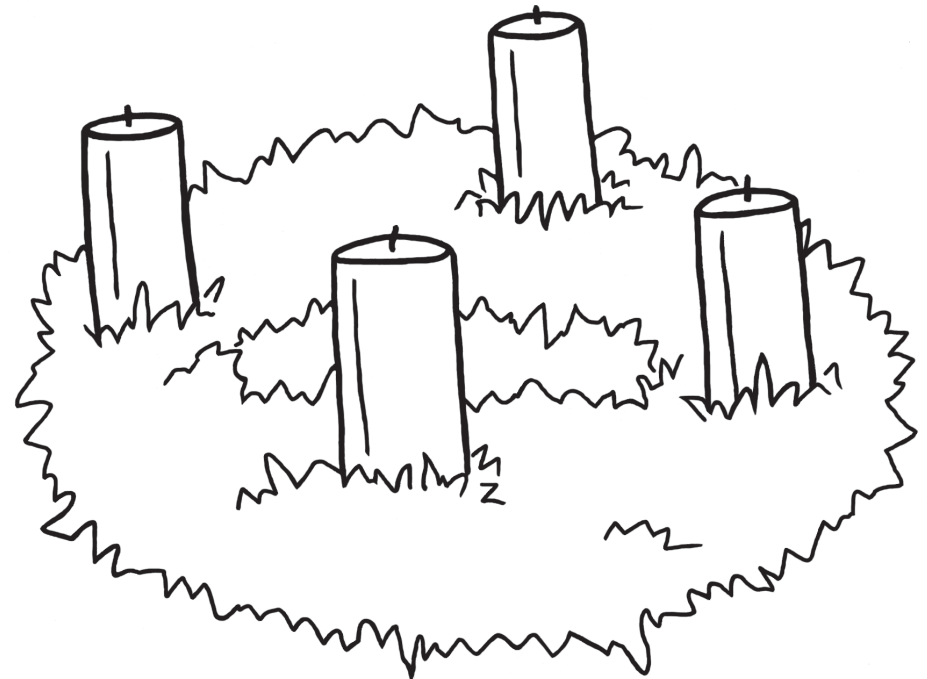


PRE-READER

Advent 4

- Today is the **fourth** Sunday in **Advent**.
- Advent means “**the coming**” in Latin.
- During Advent, we await **the coming of baby Jesus**.

Today is the fourth Sunday in Advent. On this Sunday we light all four candles on the Advent wreath. Light these Advent candles below by drawing and coloring flames above each candle.

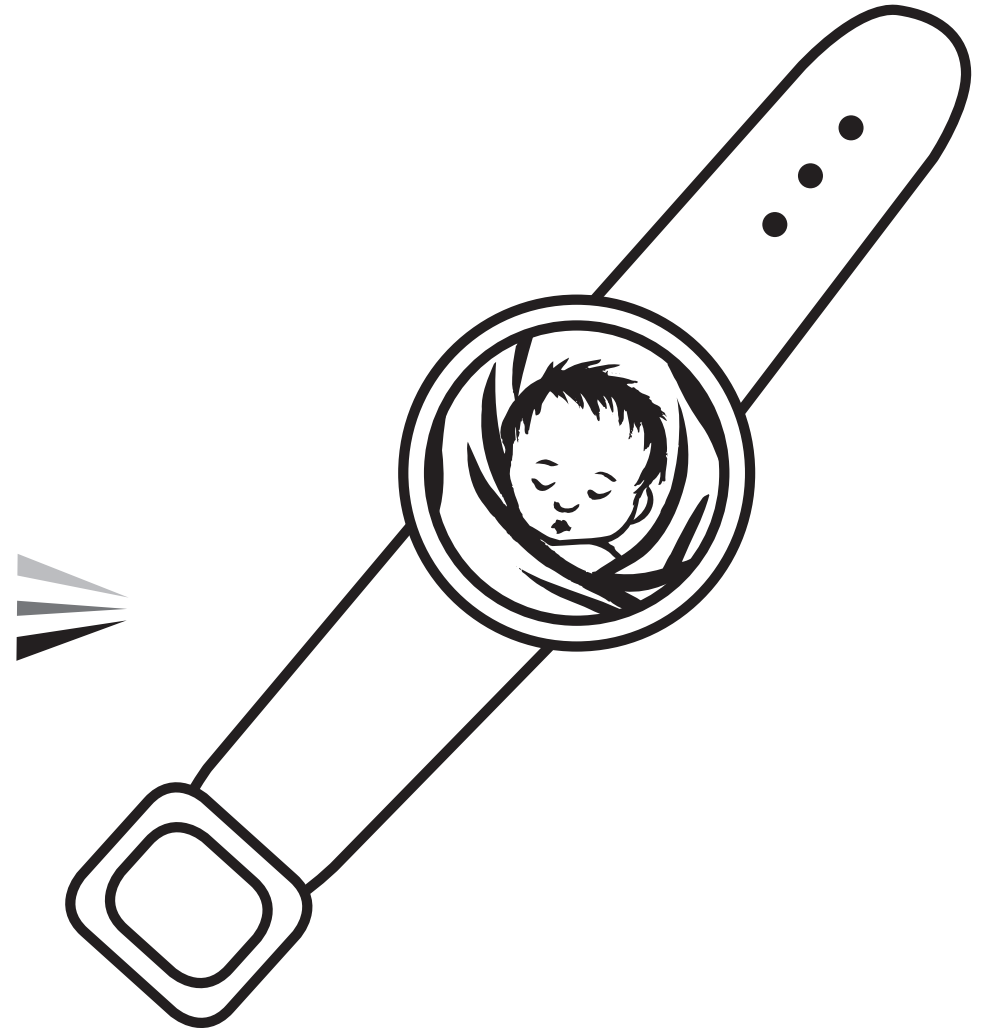




Elizabeth told Mary, “Because you believe God keeps promises, you have been blessed.”

During Advent, we wait for baby Jesus. In order to recognize this time of waiting and hoping, decorate the watch below.

When you are done coloring, draw the minute and hour hands to show what time it is right now!



Make Your Own Advent Calendar

Advent is almost over. By now, you've heard Bible stories and songs during worship all about the coming of Jesus. In the Advent calendar below, draw an Advent or Christmas symbol for each day of Advent to help count down the days until Jesus' birth. See the symbols around the border and look around your worship space for some ideas!



Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

Today!						



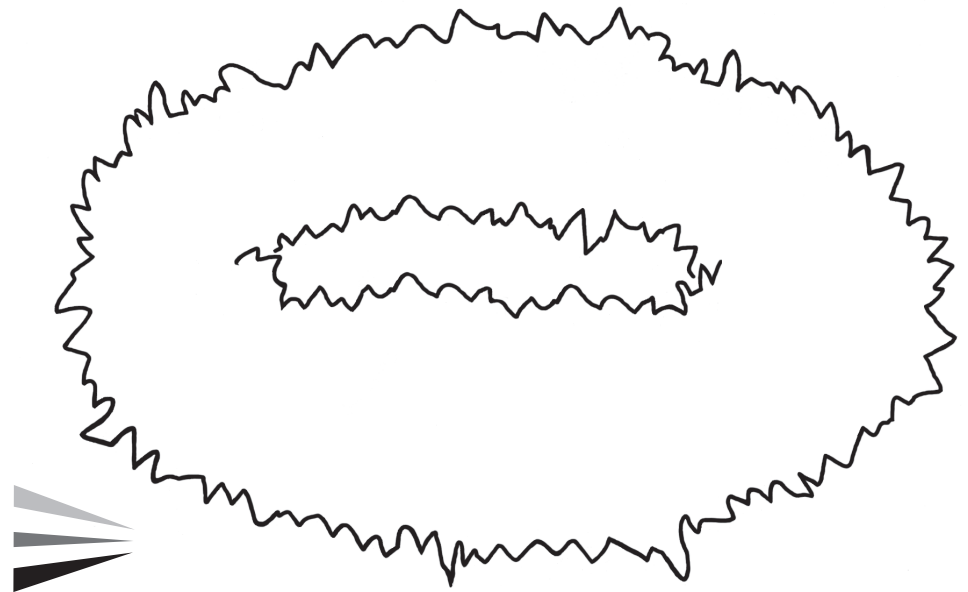
READER

Advent 4

- Today is the **fourth** Sunday in **Advent**.
- The color of Advent is **blue**.
- Advent means "**the coming**" in Latin.
- During Advent, we await **the coming of baby Jesus**.

Candle Mania

The symbol for Advent is a candle. In church, we can use many different kinds of candles for an Advent wreath: big ones, skinny ones, blue ones, spiral ones! On the Advent wreath below, invent four candle shapes, each one different than the rest. Then draw a flame on each candle to represent the fourth week of Advent.



How Would YOU Respond?

Today's lesson describes Mary's response to her unexpected and unbelievable pregnancy. She responds almost like a song, accepting God's amazing plan for her life. Below are various surprising scenarios. Fill in the bubbles with how YOU would respond!

**YOU ARE GETTING a
new SIBLING.**

**YOU Failed
a test at SCHOOL.**

**YOU won a
TRIP to Hawaii.**

**YOUR
BEST
FRIEND
is
MOVING
away.**

**YOU WERE
voted CLASS
PRESIDENT.**

Some of the words from today's memory verse are jumbled. When you figure out each scrambled word, write it in the blanks.

Memory Verse



And _____ said "My _____
ymar **ulos**

magnifies the _____, and
rold

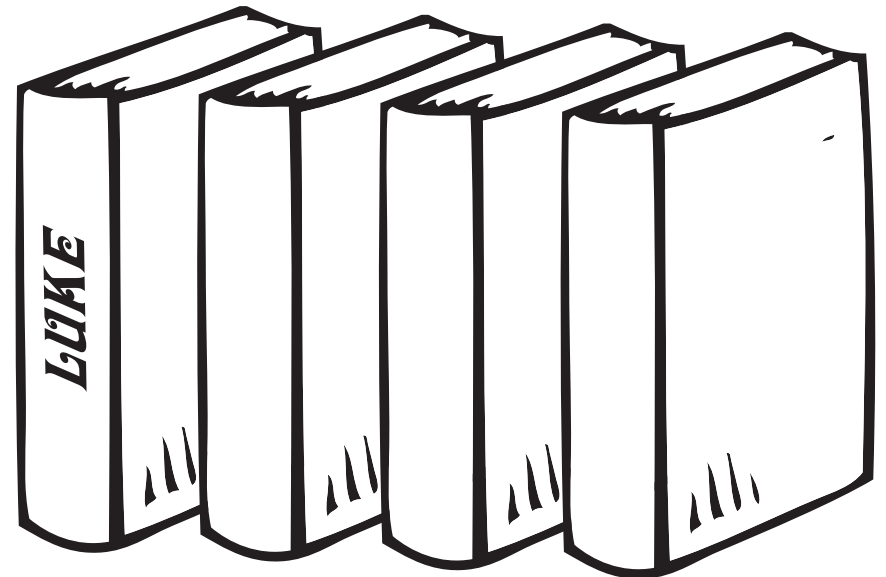
my _____ rejoices in God my _____."
tripsi **rovasi**

— _____ 1:46-47
kelu



Today's lesson comes from the book of Luke. Luke is one of the four Gospels. The word Gospel means "good news." Can you name the other three Gospels?

Did You Know?



Emmanuel

Words and Music by
Bob McGee

$\text{♩} = 80$

C/E F F/E Dm7 G7 C Gm6/B \flat A7 A7/C \sharp

Em - man - u - el, Em - man - u - el, His name is

6 Dm Dm/C G7/B G C E7 F F/E Dm7 G7

called Em - man - u - el: God with us, re - vealed in

12 C Gm6/B \flat A7 A7/C \sharp Dm Dm/C G7/B G C

us! His name is called Em - man - u - el.

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The King Shall Come



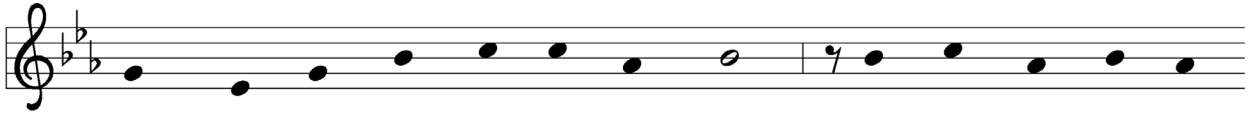
- 1 The King shall come when morn-ing dawns and light tri - um-phant breaks,
- 2 Not as of old a lit - tle child, to bear and fight and die,
- 3 Oh, bright - er than the ris - ing morn when Christ, vic - to - rious, rose
- 4 Oh, bright - er than that glo - rious morn shall dawn up - on our race
- 5 The King shall come when morn-ing dawns and light and beau - ty brings.



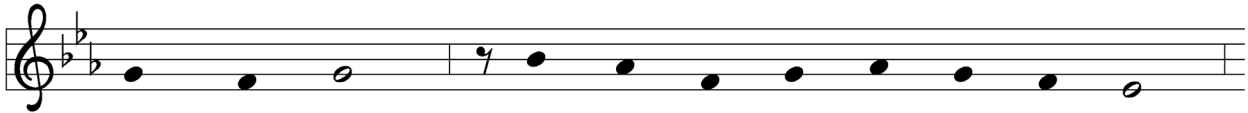
when beau - ty gilds the east - ern hills and life to joy a - wakes.
but crowned with glo - ry like the sun that lights the morn-ing sky.
and left the lone - some place of death, de - spite the rage of foes.
the day when Christ in splen - dor comes, and we shall see his face.
Hail, Christ the Lord! Your peo - ple pray: come quick - ly, King of kings.

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Creator of the Stars of Night



1 Cre - a - tor of the stars of night, your peo - ple's ev - er -
2 When this old world drew on toward night, you came; but not in
3 At your great name, O Je - sus, now all knees must bend, all
4 Come in your ho - ly might, we pray, re - deem us for e -
5 To God the Fa - ther, God the Son, and God the Spir - it,



last - ing light, O Christ, re - deem - er of us all,
splen - dor bright, not as a mon - arch, but the child
hearts must bow: all things on earth with one ac - cord,
ter - nal day; de - fend us while we dwell be - low
Three in One, praise, hon - or, might, and glo - ry be



we pray you hear us when we call.
of Mar - y, bless - ed moth - er mild.
like those in heav'n, shall call you Lord.
from all as - saults of our dread foe.
from age to age e - ter - nal - ly. A - men.

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Joy To The World (Unspeakable Joy)

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VERSE 1 & 2

♩ = 128

1. Joy to the world! the Lord is come; Let earth receive her
2. Joy to the world! the Savior reigns; Let all their songs em -

King. Let ev' - ry heart pre - pare Him room, and
play. While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains re -

heav - en and na - ture sing, and heav - en and na - ture sing, and
peat the sound - ing joy, re - peat the sound - ing joy, re -

TURNAROUND 1

heav - en, and heav - en and na - ture sing.
peat, re - peat the

TURNAROUND 2

sound - ing joy.

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CHORUS 1a

28 G D

Joy, un - speak - a - ble joy! An o - ver - flow -

33 A G

ing well; No tongue can tell! Joy,

38 D A

un - speak - a - ble joy! It ris - es in my soul, nev - er lets

VERSE 3

43 Em G E A B C#m7

me go! 3. He rules the world with truth and grace and

49 A B C#m7 A E/G#

makes the na - tions prove the glo - ries of His

55 A E/G# C#m7 B

right - eous - ness and won - ders of His love, and won - ders of His love,

60 A F#m B E

and won - ders, won - ders of His love!

CHORUS 1b

A E B

Joy, un - speak - a - ble joy! An o - ver - flow - ing well;

71 A E

No tongue can tell. Joy, un - speak - a - ble joy!

77

It ris - es in my soul, nev - er lets me go!_____

ENDING

E A E A E A

87

E

Joy to the World



1 Joy to the world, the Lord is come! Let earth re -
 2 Joy to the earth, the Sav - ior reigns! Let all their
 3 No more let sin and sor - row grow nor thorns in -
 4 He rules the world with truth and grace and makes the



ceive her king; let ev - 'ry heart pre - pare him
 songs em - ploy, while fields and floods, rocks, hills, and
 fest the ground; he comes to make his bless - ings
 na - tions prove the glo - ries of his righ - teous -



room and heav'n and na - ture sing, and heav'n and na - ture
 plains re - peat the sound - ing joy, re - peat the sound - ing
 flow far as the curse is found, far as the curse is
 ness and won - ders of his love, and won - ders of his



sing, and heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing.
 joy, re - peat, re - peat the sound - ing joy.
 found, far as, far as the curse is found.
 love, and won - ders, won - ders of his love.

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