

First
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Second Sunday of
Christmas



January 3, 2021
online

Christmas Litany (cont.)

Blessed are you, Lord Jesus Christ, reigning with the Father above the cherubim, and worshiped by the seraphim.

Let heaven and earth rejoice!

Blessed are you, born as a little child and laid in a manger.

Let heaven and earth rejoice!

Blessed are you, King of glory, graciously coming to dwell among us.

Let heaven and earth rejoice!

Blessed are you, giving us all we possess, yet accepting the gifts of the Magi.

Let heaven and earth rejoice!

With the angelic host and all the heavenly powers, let us proclaim and celebrate our Savior's birth.

Let heaven and earth rejoice!

Amen

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray...

Amen.

Special Music

“Infant Jesus” -arr., G. Winston Cassler

Ray Wade, Vocalist

Lesson

Isaiah 60:1-6

Special Music

“If I But Had a Little Coat” -Kenneth Walton

Susan Wade, Vocalist

Lesson Hebrews 1:1-4

Special Music “We Three Kings” -arr. Chris Wade
Accidentals, Vocalists

Gospel Lesson John 1:1-5, 10-14

Meditation

Special Music “I Wonder as I Wander” -arr.. John Jacob Niles
Katey Wade, Vocalist

Prayers of God's People

Lord in your mercy...

Hear our prayer.

Special Music “Joseph Dearest, Joseph Mine”
Susan and Ray Wade, Vocalists

The Lord's Prayer

**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.**

Benediction

Special Music “Angels We Have Heard on High”
ELCA Lutheran Choir

Sending Hymn “Go, Tell it on the Mountain” ELW 290
Vs. 1-3

Refrain:

Go, tell it on the mountain,
Over the hills and everywhere;
Go, tell it on the mountain,
That Jesus Christ is born.

While shepherds kept their watching
O'er silent flocks by night,
Behold, throughout the heavens
There shone a holy light.

(repeat refrain)

The shepherds feared and trembled,
When lo! above the earth
Rang out the angel chorus
That hailed the Savior's birth.

(repeat refrain)

Down in a lowly manger
The humble Christ was born,
And God sent us salvation
That blessed Christmas morn.

(repeat refrain)

Dismissal

Go in peace. Do justice.
Thanks be to God.

Postlude

“Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella”

arr., Martha Lynn Thompson

Handbell Choir

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Thank you to the Wade Family for your generous gift of music all year long, but especially for today's worship service.

Also thank you to the #Accidentals vocal group, a part of Chris Wade Productions, and recently featured on the CW's Christmas Carol Challenge TV show.

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Life in Christ

WORSHIP

Online Worship—www.firstlutheranredlands.org

SERVE

First Lutheran Coat Drive Clean out those closets , First Lutheran is collecting coats in the month of January to donate to those in need.

Thank you! To everyone who donated through our “Share *Christmas*” campaign. Whether it was money, gift cards, warm clothes, shoes, cookies, or food—YOU have made a difference in the life of our neighbors.

LEARN

Bible Study resumes on Thursday Morning, January 14, at 11 am. Watch the eNews for a new zoom link.

PLAY

Book Club Book Club enjoyed their last book "This Tender Land" so much that they have chosen another book by the same author for our next meeting. We will read "Ordinary Grace" by William Kent Krueger. Pick up a copy and join us via zoom on January 25.

Annual Reports and Meeting

Annual reports with proposed budget will be emailed January 11

Budget Hearing via zoom Sunday, January 17

Annual Meeting via zoom Sunday, January 24

Remember in prayer...

*“Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus,
and for all people according to their needs:”*

Those who mourn: Kim Amin and family at the death of her mother, Jean. Valerie Williamson and family at the death of Hazel.
+Rest eternal grant them, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon them+

Healing and strength: Dona Searles, having a procedure on January 6; father of Carol Smethers; BB Quinones; daughter-in-law of Mitch Heitritter, Amanda; granddaughter of the Griesemers, Kristen; Father-in-law of Karen Fredricksen, Ralph.

Continuing prayers for: Nancy Sturlaugson; Phil Schmidt; John McMunn; Saba Andom; brother of Valerie Williamson, Bob; Aunt of the Hendricksons, Lucy.

Our homebound: Lois Nabors, Loretta Sanders, Carlton Peterson; Arlene Coleman; Betty Frannea.

- ✧ Our nation during this transition time
- ✧ Presiding Bishop of the ELCA, Elizabeth Eaton, and Bishop of the Pacifica Synod, Andy Taylor
- ✧ For health care workers,
especially Dr. Clark Crane and Dr. Brittany Siemers
- ✧ Those affected and fighting COVID-19
- ✧ Peace

*Into your hand we commend all for whom we pray,
trusting in your mercy, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.”*