



January 3rd, 2021

Join us for Worship @ 11:15am

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OPENING HYMN

Morning Has Broken

#145

Eleanor Farjeon, 1931

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WELCOME/SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Check out the Mini-Link for announcements this week!

OPENING PRAYER

HYMN

Hark, the Herald Angels Sing

#240

Charles Wesley, Public Domain

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried, the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PSALTER (Psalm 72:1 – 7, 10 – 14) from The Message

Give the gift of wise rule to the king, O God, the gift of just rule to the crown prince. May he judge your people rightly, be honorable to your meek and lowly. Let the mountains give exuberant witness; shape the hills with the contours of right living. Please stand up for the poor, help the children of the needy, come down hard on the cruel tyrants. Outlast the sun, outlive the moon – age after age after age. Be rainfall on cut grass, earth-refreshing rain showers. Let righteousness burst into blossom and peace abound until the moon fades to nothing.

Kings remote and legendary will pay homage, kings rich and resplendent will turn over their wealth. All kings will fall down and worship, and godless nations sign up to serve him, because he rescues the poor at the first sign of need, the destitute who have run out of luck. He opens a place in his heart for the down-and-out, he restores the wretched of the earth. He frees them from tyranny and torture – when they bleed, he bleeds; when they die, he dies.

SERMON **Walking with Jesus: The Wise Men**

SCRIPTURE **Matthew 2:1 – 12**

Pastor Ken Hagler

Notes:

HYMN

Grace Alone

#2162

Scott Wesley Brown and Jeff Nelson
1998 Maranatha! Music

PRAYER - Joys & Concerns

Submit prayer requests in the comment section or by calling or emailing the church office.

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, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERING & SENDING FORTH

One Bread, One Body

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John B. Foley, 1989
John B. Foley and North American Liturgy Resources



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Our Mission Statement

We are a welcoming, loving, and serving church.

Welcoming people of all race, class or lifestyle to experience God’s love through all ministries of our church.

Loving God and neighbor, knowing that love will encourage our diversity and span our differences.

Serving our community and world through serving the poor, homeless, hungry, orphaned, addicted, and imprisoned.

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