



November 29, 2020 First Sunday of Advent 9:45 a.m. Worship

Zoom link: <https://tinyurl.com/fbcames-zoom>

Meeting ID: 302 054 4990, Passcode: 381038

Prelude

Lighting of the Advent Candle Phomvisay family

After the candle is lit, please join in singing "A Candle Is Burning"

**A candle is burning, a flame warm and bright,
A candle of HOPE in November's dark night
While angels sing blessings from heaven's starry sky,
Our hearts we prepare now for Jesus is nigh**
(Sandra Dean, used by permission)

Opening Prayer

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn "O Come O Come Emmanuel" *Latin hymn*

**O come, O come, Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel,
that mourns in lonely exile here, until the Son of God appear.
Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel!**

**O come, thou Dayspring, come and cheer
our spirits by thine advent here;
disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
and death's dark shadows put to flight. [Refrain]**

**O come, thou Wisdom from on high,
and order all things, far and nigh;
to us the path of knowledge show,
and cause us in her ways to go. [Refrain]**

**O come, Desire of nations, bind
all peoples in one heart and mind;
bid envy, strife, and discord cease;
fill the whole world with heaven's peace. [Refrain]**

Scripture Reading

Luke 1:26-35

Special Music

Sermon "Do Not Be Afraid: Hold Hope" Rev. Dave Russell

Morning Prayer

Closing Hymn "Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus" *Wesley/Prichard*

**Come, thou long expected Jesus, born to set thy people free;
from our fears and sins release us, let us find our rest in thee.
Israel's strength and consolation, hope of all the earth thou art;
dear desire of every nation, joy of every longing heart.**

**Born thy people to deliver, born a child and yet a King,
born to reign in us forever, now thy gracious kingdom bring.
By thine own eternal spirit rule in all our hearts alone;
by thine all sufficient merit, raise us to thy glorious throne.**

Benediction

Postlude

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Church School: Theology Class meets today at 11:00 am

Virtual Coffee Shop – Tuesday 2:00 pm

Choir – Wednesday 6:30

Mid-Week Devotion – Thursday 6:30

TODAY: Advent at Home Kit Drive-Through Pickup –1:30-2 pm

Hanging of the Greens (on Zoom) –2 pm

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and paper products for MICA**. You may also drop off at other times this
week; please contact the church office.