
AACRC Worship Order
December 12, 2021 • 10:30am

Prelude: *Prepare the Way*

Red Hymnal 58

Call to Worship & God's Greeting

Advent Hymn: *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

Red Hymnal 61:1,5,6,7

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God,
always with us, always coming:
We confess that we do not know
how to prepare for your Advent.
We have forgotten how to hope in what we cannot see;
we have ignored the promise of your kingdom.

Forgive us, O God, for being distracted and self-consumed.
Slow us down to notice our own souls
and of those around us.
Make every rough place smooth
by the working of your Spirit,
through the miracle of your grace
and by acts of sincere repentance.
Come to us, Lord Jesus Christ, Savior of the world:
make us ready for your coming.
Amen.

Words of Assurance

Children's Blessing

(3-5-year-old children are invited to Children's Worship in room 29)

Song: *Magnificat*

Flo Paris

Sermon: Advent 3

Luke 3:7-18

Pastor Kristen Livingston

The Lord's Supper

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*...And so with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven,
we join the unending hymn:*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest!

...Great is the mystery of faith.

Christ has died!

Christ is risen!

Christ will come again!

Communion Song: *On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry* Red Hymnal 70

*As you come forward, there is an offering plate available to
present your gifts and offerings for the Lord's work through AACRC.*

Prayers of the People

Sending Song: *Soon and Very Soon*

Red Hymnal 482

We Receive God's Blessing

Postlude: *Soon and Very Soon*

Worship Leader: Pastor Noah Livingston
Advent Candle Lighting: Wayne & Ann VanZomerem
Bass: Jack Stephenson
Drums: Philip Buchman
Keys: Joe Yunkman
Organ: Jan Musch
Piano: Veena Kulkarni-Rankin
Vocalist: Cochee Sheriff