

## LIGHTING THE CANDLE OF PEACE

NewSong Service:  
The Nielsen Family

Cornerstone Service:  
The Yow Family



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# Peace



December 4, 2022

Second Sunday of Advent



*“Hospitality: Welcome In Jesus”*

# NewSong

## THIS WEEK

### RESPONSIVE LITANY:

LEADER: In this season of Advent, we pray for God's peace.

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### *Lighting the Candle of Peace*

*Greetings*

*Songs of Praise*

*Prayers of the People*

*Lord's Prayer*

*Announcements*

*Offertory*

*Doxology*

*The Reading of the Word* Psalm 72, p. 485

Romans 15: 4-13 p. 949

*Affirmation of Faith: Nicene Creed*

*Center page*

*Children seven years and younger are encouraged to stay in service with you but they are welcome to join Miss Lynn in the classroom at this time. Children eight years and older are to remain with their parents in the Sanctuary.*

*Sermon* "Hospitality: Welcome In Jesus" *Pastor Matt Stillman*

*Holy Communion*

*Final Song*

*Benediction*



Sunday, Stewardship Pledges due *Dec 4*

Monday, 12:00 pm: Poinsettia orders due *Dec 18*

2:00 pm: Jesus Oriented Yoga mat class

3:15 pm: Jesus Oriented Yoga chair class

7:00 pm: Men's Theology Study

Tuesday, 8:30 am: Men's Breakfast Pine Crest Inn *Dec 6*

2:00 pm: Conversations with the Scriptures

3:30 pm: Pastor Prayer Support Group

Wednesday, 11:00 am: Women's Christmas Luncheon

Table on the Green *Dec 21*

*Your received \$20 payment by Dec 12 is your reservation*

5:30 pm: Meet the Candidates and

Family Fellowship Dinner *Dec 14*

*RSVP any time before 12 pm, Dec 12*

Thursday, 10:00 am: Good and Beautiful God study

3:45 pm: Praise Team rehearsal

5:00 pm: Choir rehearsal



*Thank you to all the volunteers  
who have helped with our Worship Services this week.*



**December 24 – Lessons and Carols with Communion – 4:00 p.m.**

**Sunday, December 25 – Christmas Day Service – 10:00 a.m.**

**(There is one service only on Christmas day)**

# Grace, Love and Fellowship

May grace, love and fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. 2 Corinthians 13:14

Unison



May the grace of Christ, our Sav-ior, and the love of God, our

Fa-ther, and the fel-low-ship of the Spir-it be with us.

May the us for-ev-er and

ev-er, for-ev-er-more. A-men.

# “Hospitality: Welcome In Jesus”

Sermon Notes: Romans 15:4-13

HEAD

HEART

HANDS

# CORNERSTONE

## Good Christian Men Rejoice

### PRELUDE

### WORDS OF WELCOME

Reverend Ellis Brooks

### CHOIR CALL TO WORSHIP "Light the Candle"

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### Lighting the Candle of Peace

### \* HYMN OF PRAISE "Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silent"

#### PRAYER OF GENERAL CONFESSION

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against Thy Divine Majesty, provoking most justly Thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. The remembrance of them is grievous unto us; the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please Thee in newness of life, to the honour and glory of Thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Ellis

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

### \* GLORIA PATRI

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

1. Good Chris-tian men, re - joice with heart and soul and voice;  
2. Good Chris-tian men, re - joice with heart and soul and voice;  
3. Good Chris-tian men, re - joice with heart and soul and voice;

give ye heed to what we say; Je - sus Christ is born to - day;  
now ye hear of end - less bliss; Je - sus Christ was born for this!  
now ye need not fear the grave; Je - sus Christ was born to save!

earth and heav'n be - fore him bow, and he is in the man - ger now,  
He hath o - pened heav - en's door, and man is bless - ed ev - er - more.  
Calls you one and calls you all to gain his ev - er - last - ing hall.

Christ is born to - day! Christ is born to - day!  
Christ was born for this! Christ was born for this!  
Christ was born to save! Christ was born to save!

Medieval Latin carol  
Tr. John Mason Neale, 1853; alt.  
Alt. 1961

IN DULCI JUBILO 6.6.7.7.8.5.5.  
German melody, 14th cent.  
Arr. W. D., 1918

\* COMMUNION HYMN “Good Christian Men Rejoice”

HOLY COMMUNION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank Thee, for that Thou dost vouchsafe to feed us who have duly received these holy mysteries with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of Thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of Thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of Thy Son, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of Thy everlasting kingdom, by the merits of His most precious death and passion.

And we most humbly beseech Thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with Thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as Thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to Whom, with Thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

\* BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE:

*May the grace of Christ our Savior, and the love of God our Father,  
And the fellowship of the Spirit be with us.  
May the grace of Christ our Savior, and the love of God our Father,  
And the fellowship of the Spirit be with us,  
Forever and ever, forevermore. Amen.*

\* Congregation Stands

Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silent

1 Let all mortal flesh keep silence, and with  
 2 King of kings, yet born of Ma - ry, as of  
 3 Rank on rank the host of heav - en streams be -  
 4 At his feet the six - winged ser - aph, cher - u -

Chorus:  
 fear and trem - bling stand. Pon - der noth - ing  
 old on earth he stood, Lord of heav - en  
 fore him on the way, as the Light of  
 bim with sleep - less eye, veil their fac - es

earth - ly mind - ed, for with bless - ing in his  
 now in - car - nate in the bod - y and the  
 light de - scend - ing from the realms of end - less  
 to the Pres - ence, as with cease - less voice they

hand Christ our God to earth de - scend -  
 blood, he will give to all the faith -  
 day comes, that pow'rs of hell may van -  
 cry, "Al - le - lu - ial Al - le - lu -

ing comes, our hom - age to de - mand,  
 ful his own self for heav'n - ly food.  
 ish, as the shad - ows pass a - way.  
 ial Al - le - lu - ia, Lord Most High!"

For an alternate chord progression, see "You, Lord, Are Both Lamb and Shepherd" (#432).

Text: from the Greek "Ἐπιφάνια τῆς ἁγίας Θεοτότου," Liturgy of St. James of Jerusalem (Medianteanum), 5th c.; Burns, Gerard  
 Aldrich, *Lyra Ecclesiastica*, 2nd ed., 1864; alt.  
 Music: French traditional, *Chansons populaires des provinces de France*, 1860

**\* THE NICENE CREED**

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made; being of one substance with the Father; by Whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man: and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures: and ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of the Father: and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: and I believe one holy catholic and apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: and I look for the Resurrection of the dead: and the Life of the world to come.

Amen.

**SCRIPTURE** Psalm 72, p. 485  
Romans 15: 4-13 p. 949

**CHORAL MESSAGE**

**PASTORAL PRAYER** Rev. Ellis

**SERMON:** *“Hospitality: Welcome In Jesus”* Pastor Matt

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