



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.

### JOY TO THE WORLD

Joy to the world! The Lord is come. Let earth receive her King;  
Let every heart prepare Him room,  
And heaven and nature sing, and heaven and nature sing,  
And heaven, and heaven and nature sing.

Joy to the world! The Savior reigns. Let men their songs employ;  
While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains  
Repeat the sounding joy, repeat the sounding joy,  
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace and makes the nations prove  
The glories of His righteousness  
And wonders of His love, and wonders of His love,  
And wonders, wonders of His love.

### MEET AND GREET

### LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

Laura Kay Rand

### PREPARATION FOR PRAYER (sung by all)

#### MY HOPE

My hope rests firm on Jesus Christ. He is my only plea.  
Though all the world should point and scorn,  
His ransom leaves me free. His ransom leaves me free.

My hope sustains me as I strive and strain towards the goal.  
Though still I stumble into sin,  
His death paid for it all. His death paid for it all.

My hope provides me with a spur to help me run this race.  
I know my tears will turn to joy  
The day I see His face, the day I see His face.

My hope is to be with my Lord,  
To know as I am known,  
To serve Him gladly all my days,  
In praise before His throne, in praise before His throne.

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### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Marianna Meachen—8:00 AM  
Pastor Steve Peich—9:30 AM

### PRAYERFUL RESPONSE (sung by soloists, then by all)

#### THESE CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

Open my eyes, O heart believe  
The wonder of that Christmas night,  
Be born in me.

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### EXPRESSING OUR GRATITUDE

Christopher Pan

### MUSICAL OFFERING (sung by choir)

Arlene Koh, Violinist

#### BORN IS EMMANUEL

Come, O come adore Him,  
Born is the holy Child.  
(Sing we noel!)

Come, O come adore Him,  
Infant so meek and mild.  
(Sing we noel!)

Angels give Him glory, joyful carols ring;  
Come, O come adore Him,  
Born is the Lord, our King!

Come, O come adore Him. Born is the Lord of Light.  
Come, O come adore Him. Look to the star so bright.  
Shepherds give Him glory, He is come to dwell,  
Now sing we noel!

O come adore Him, born is Emmanuel!  
Sing we noel!

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### MESSAGE

Pastor Tim Shaw

**"THE VIEW FROM THE MOUNTAINTOP"**  
*Worship the King: Advent Series*

#### MATTHEW 1:18-25

*(Page 1 in the second half of the house Bible)*

### SONG OF RESPONSE (sung by soloist)

#### GOD IS WITH US

*The skies don't seem to be as dark as usual.  
The stars seem brighter than they've been before.  
Deep within I feel my soul a-stirring  
As though my hope as been restored.*

*The shepherds say they've heard the voice of angels  
Confirming rumors spread across the land  
That a child protected well from Herod's anger  
Is our Father's Son, and the Son of Man.*

*Chorus—Love is raining down on the world tonight.  
There's a presence here I can tell.  
God is in us, God is for us, God is with us, Emmanuel.  
He's the Savior we have been praying for.  
In our humble hearts He will dwell.  
God is in us, God is for us, God is with us, Emmanuel.*

*I feel compelled to tell all who will listen  
That peace on earth is not so out of reach.  
If we can find grace, mercy and forgiveness,  
He has come to save, He is all of these.*

Chorus

*You're the Savior we have been praying for.  
In our humble hearts You will dwell.*

*You are in us, You are for us, You are with us, Emmanuel.  
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### \*BLESSING

### \*SONG OF BLESSING (sung by all)

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*(chorus only)*  
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### \*POSTLUDE

*Following the Song of Blessing, please feel free to come forward for prayer.*