

# WELCOME!

We're so glad you decided to join us at First Prez Honolulu!

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### PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP

- The Rev. Dr. Dan Chun—Pastor
- The Rev. Steve Peich—Assistant Pastor
- The Rev. Dr. Tim Shaw—Associate Pastor
- Festival Choir and Orchestra
- Aubrey Benavente—Soloist
- Roslyn Catracchia—Director of Worship and Performing Arts
- Grace Fitzgerald—Soloist
- Beebe Freitas—Organist
- Mary Chesnut Hicks—Festival Choir and orchestra conductor
- The Higa Family—Lighting of the Advent candle
- Keiki of First Prez—Assisting in worship
- Mahiai Kekumu & Jeremy Wong—Soloists
- Karen Makishima—Children & Family Life Director
- Ryan Smithson—Associate Director of Worship
- Sophia Stark—Soloist
- Jade Stice—Assisting in leading worship
- Grant Sung—Scripture reader and singer
- Jenny Sung—Director of Congregational Life
- Leon Williams— Soloist and assisting in leading worship
- Joy Yoshida—Soloist and assisting in leading worship

# JOIN US AGAIN!

We hope you'll be back next Sunday for one of our regular worship services at 8 am, 9:30 am, or 11:11 am

### ALPHA COURSE: QUESTIONS ABOUT GOD OR LIFE

- Contact: Gary Toh • 808-440-6556 • gary@fpchawaii.org

### CARE AND SUPPORT

- DivorceCare, GriefShare, Facing Cancer with Hope, Military Mom's and Dad's Night Out, Caregivers Support Group, Stephen Ministry
- Contact: Marianna Meachen • 808-225-8448 • marianna@fpchawaii.org

### PRAYER

- Prayer time available on Sunday mornings and on quarterly healing services. We welcome prayer requests by email or by phone.
- Contact: Gary Toh • 808-440-6556 • gary@fpchawaii.org

### SMALL GROUPS

- Various locations on Oahu for Bible study, prayer, and support: women, men, coed, singles, parents, young adults, older adults.
- Contact: Jenny Sung • 808-532-1135 • jenny@fpchawaii.org

### LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

- Opportunities to serve people in our communities and around the world
- Contact: Tim Shaw • 808-532-1117 • tim@fpchawaii.org

### FOR CHILDREN

- Sunday program for kids 3 months old to 5<sup>th</sup> graders, Vacation Bible School, family-focused events
- Contact: Candi Miller • 808-440-6572 • candi@fpchawaii.org

### FOR MIDDLE SCHOOLERS AND HIGH SCHOOLERS

- Sunday school program, Friday gatherings, special events year-round, mission trips
- Contact: Matt Morrison • 808-440-6555 • matt@fpchawaii.org (Middle School)
- Kimiyo Bowlby • 808-532-1118 • kimiyo@fpchawaii.org (High School)

### FOR FAMILIES

- Opportunities for strengthening marriages, building parenting skills, and connecting as a community
- Contacts: Karen Makishima • 808-440-6564 • karen@fpchawaii.org
- Steve Peich • 808-532-1139 • steve@fpchawaii.org

### FOR WOMEN

- Bible studies, retreats, outreach activities, mentoring program, Mighty Moms Small Group, craft groups, events
- Contact: Jenny Sung • 808-532-1135 • jenny@fpchawaii.org

### FOR MEN

- Weekly prayer meetings and Bible studies, monthly dinners, retreats
- Contact: Steve Peich • 808-532-1139 • steve@fpchawaii.org

### FOR YOUNG ADULTS

- College-aged and young adult Bible studies and fellowship groups
- Contact: Tim Shaw • 808-532-1117 • tim@fpchawaii.org

### LIFE TRAINING & WAKO CLASSES

- An array of practical & biblical classes for adults on Sun mornings & Wed nites
- Contact: Steve Peich • 808-532-1139 • steve@fpchawaii.org (Life Training)
- Contact: Tim Shaw • 808-532-1117 • tim@fpchawaii.org (WAKO)

### LISTEN AND WATCH

- First Prez mobile app, First Prez sermons on TV at KALO Channel 25 and on iTunes



## MERRY CHRISTMAS!

### PRELUDE

Festival Choir & Orchestra

### GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO

*IN DULCI JUBILO, German melody, 14th C. Sussex Carol, English Carol  
Setting by Lloyd Larson © 2004 Beckenhurst Press, Inc.*

### GREETING

Pastor Dan Chun

### \*CAROL MEDLEY (sung by all)

### O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,  
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem;  
Come and behold Him, born the King of angels;  
O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,  
O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord.

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation,  
O sing, all ye citizens of heaven above.  
Glory to God, all glory in the highest.  
O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,  
O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord.

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning,  
O Jesus, to Thee be all glory given;  
Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing;  
O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,  
O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord.



### 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.

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.

### \*OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Steve Peich

### \*CAROL MEDLEY (sung by all)

#### O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

O little town of Bethlehem, How still we see thee lie!  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep, the silent stars go by;  
Yet in thy dark streets shineth the everlasting Light;  
The hopes and fears of all the years Are met in thee tonight.

For Christ is born of Mary, and gathered all above,  
While mortals sleep, the angels keep their watch of wondering love.  
O morning stars, together proclaim the holy birth!  
And praises sing to God the King,  
And peace to all on earth.

#### HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING

Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King:  
Peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"  
Joyful, all ye nations rise, join the triumph of the skies;  
With the angelic host proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"  
Hark! the herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King."

#### ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH

Angels we have heard on high  
Sweetly singing o'er the plains.  
And the mountains in reply  
Echo back their joyous strains.  
Gloria in excelsis Deo, Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Come to Bethlehem and see Him whose birth the angels sing.  
Come adore on bended knee, Christ the Lord, the newborn King.  
Gloria in excelsis Deo, Gloria in excelsis Deo.

### SPOKEN WORD

Ryan Smithson

### GREAT JOY

### PREPARATION FOR PRAYER (sung by soloists)

Ryan Smithson, Mahiai Kekumu, Jeremy Wong, Joy Yoshida

### JOY TO THE WORLD

*Arranged by Pentatonix Copyright © 2015 Sony Music*

### CHRISTMAS PRAYER

Jenny Sung

### PRAYERFUL RESPONSE (sung by choir)

### DO YOU HEAR WHAT I HEAR?

*By Noel Regney and Gloria Shayne ©1962 Regent Music Corporation*

### INTRODUCTION OF ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING

Karen Makishima

### LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

Nat Higa and Family

### SONG OF RESPONSE (sung by soloist and choir)

Sophia Stark, soloist

### NO EYE HAD SEEN

*No eye had seen, no ear had heard  
'Til hosts on high proclaimed the birth.  
And heav'n brought down its only Child,  
The Son of man, the world reconciled.  
And song broke forth, angelic strain,  
And none could help but sing the name:  
Emmanuel, Emmanuel, Emmanuel!*

*Written by Amy Grant and Michael W. Smith.*

*Arr. By Bob Krogstad ©1998 O'Ryan Music, Inc. and Age to Age Music, Inc.*

### CHRISTMAS OFFERING

Pastor Tim Shaw

### MUSICAL OFFERING (sung by soloist and choir)

Leon Williams, soloist

### SON OF GOD

*Written by David Hamilton, Tony Wood and Michael W. Smith*

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### SCRIPTURE VIDEO

Keiki of First Prez

### THE GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD

### SONG OF PREPARATION (sung by soloist)

Roslyn Catracchia, soloist  
Grant Sung, Scripture reader

### I NEED A SILENT NIGHT

*Written by Amy Grant and Chris Eaton Copyright © 2008*

### CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

Pastor Dan Chun

**"WOULD THAT IT WERE SO SIMPLE"**

### CHRISTMAS CAROL (sung by soloist, then by all)

Grace Fitzgerald—December 23  
Aubrey Benavente—December 24

### SILENT NIGHT

*Soloist—Silent Night, holy night! All is calm, all is bright  
'Round yon virgin mother and Child,  
Holy Infant, so tender and mild.  
Sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.*

All—Silent night, holy night, shepherds quake at the sight.  
Glories stream from heaven afar,  
Heavenly hosts sing alleluia;  
Christ the Savior is born! Christ, the Savior is born!

Silent night, holy night, Son of God, love's pure light.  
Radiant beams from Thy holy face,  
With the dawn of redeeming grace,  
Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth.

### CANDLELIGHT BLESSING

### POSTLUDE

Beebe Freitas, organist