

VERNAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A Congregation of the *Evangelical Presbyterian Church*

LORD'S DAY SERVICE
DECEMBER 29, 2024

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

God Calls Us

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 96:1-6, 12

***Invocation**

The Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***Hymn #375**

O Come, All Ye Faithful

ADESTE FIDELES

God Cleanses Us

Reading of the Law: 459

Spiritual Treasure

Matthew 6:19-33

Prayer of Confession & Supplication

Assurance of Pardon

Luke 1:68-75

*Hymn

What Child is This?

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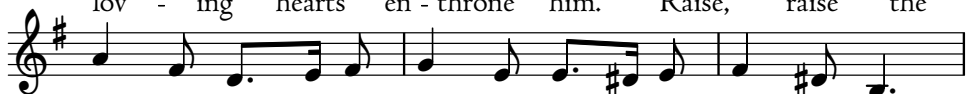
1. What child is this who, laid to rest, on Ma-ry's lap is
2. Why lies he in such mean es - tate, where ox and ass are
3. So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh; come, pea-sant, king, to



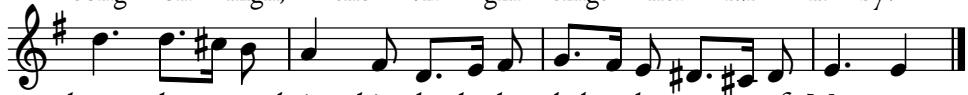
sleep - ing? Whom an - gels greet with an - thems sweet, while
feed - ing? Good Christ - ians, fear; for sin - ners here the
own him; the King of kings sal - va - tion brings, let



shep - herds watch are keep - ing? This, this is
si - lent Word is plead - ing. Nails, spear, shall
lov - ing hearts en - throne him. Raise, raise the



Christ the King, whom shep - herds guard and an - gels sing:
pierce him through; the cross be borne for me, for you:
song on high, the vir - gin sings her lul - la - by:



haste, haste to bring him laud, the babe, the son of Mar - y.
hail, hail the Word made flesh, the babe, the son of Mar - y.
joy, joy for Christ is born, the babe, the son of Mar - y.

God Consecrates Us

New Testament Reading

Philippians 1:1-18

Children's Word

*Hymn #374

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

MENDELSSOHN

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 25:1-40

Sermon

A Picture of Heaven

Reid Roberson

Prayer of Intercession

Confession of FaithThe Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Gloria Patri #436**

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Offertory***Doxology #434**

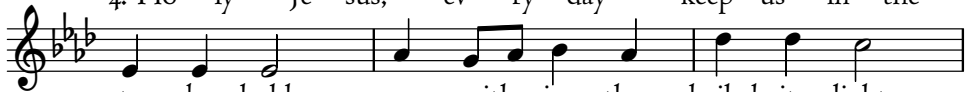
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Offertory PrayerGod Commissions Us****Hymn***As with Gladness Men of Old*

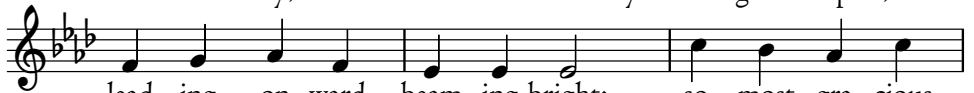
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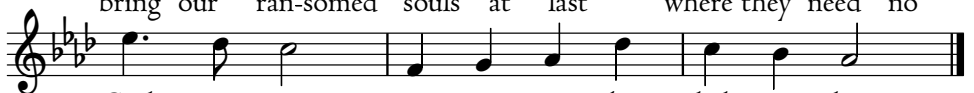
1. As with glad-ness men of old did the guid-ing
 2. As with joy-ful steps they sped to that low-ly
 3. As they of-fered gifts most rare at that cra-dle
 4. Ho-ly Je-sus, ev-'ry day keep us in the



star be-hold; as with joy they hailed its light,
 cra-dle-bed, there to bend the knee be-fore
 rude and bare; so may we with ho-ly joy,
 nar-row way; and when earth-ly things are past,



lead-ing on-ward, beam-ing bright; so, most gra-cious
 him whom heav'n and earth a-dore; so may we with
 pure, and free from sin's al-loy, all our cost-liest
 bring our ran-somed souls at last where they need no



God, may we ev-er-more be led to thee.
 will-ing feet ev-er seek thy mer-cy seat.
 trea-sures bring, Christ, to thee, our heav'n-ly King.
 star to guide, where no clouds thy glo-ry hide.

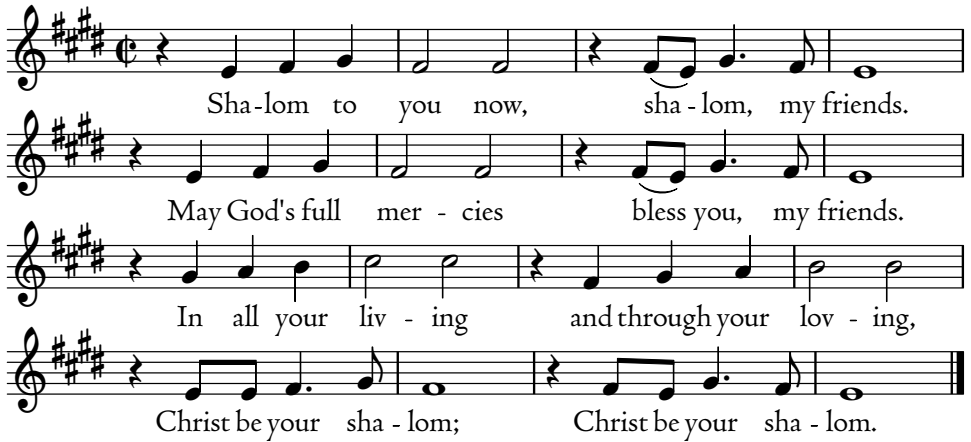
***Benediction**

Numbers 6:24-26

***Departure Hymn**

Shalom to You

SOMOS DEL SENOR



Sha-lom to you now, sha-lom, my friends.
May God's full mer - cies bless you, my friends.
In all your liv - ing and through your lov - ing,
Christ be your sha - lom; Christ be your sha - lom.



**The congregation is invited to stand.*

Announcements

No Choir & Prayer Meeting this Wednesday.

Prospective New Members: If you are interested in possibly joining the church, please speak to Reid so we can begin scheduling a new members class.

Prayer List

Melvin Lister, Lindy McMillan, Jeremiah Smith, Leighton Wilson,
Donna Pederson, Elaine Gabel, Katie Kitrell, Donna McIntosh,
Pat McKay, Vivian Parker, Gail Stuck

Upcoming Birthdays

Doug Miller (Dec. 31), Madeleine Roberson (Jan. 19),
Rilla Roberson (Jan. 25)