



COLLENBROOK UNITED CHURCH

WORSHIP January 02, 2022—*Second Sunday after Christmas*

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William Byrd, III

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POSTLUDE

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HYMNS & SONGS

“Once in Royal David’s City” *Henry John Gauntlett*

1- Once in royal David’s city stood a lowly cattle shed, where a mother laid her baby in a manger for His bed. Mary was that mother mild, Jesus Christ her little child.

2- He came down to earth from heaven who is God and Lord of all, and His shelter was a stable, and His cradle was a stall. With the poor, oppressed, and lowly, lived on earth our Savior holy.

3- Jesus is our childhood’s pattern, day by day like us He grew; He was little, weak and helpless, tears and smiles like us He knew; and He feels for all our sadness, and He shares in all our gladness.

4- And our eyes at last shall see Him, through His own redeeming love, for that child so dear and gentle is our Lord in heaven above; and He leads His children on to the place where He is gone.

“Rejoice! Rejoice, Believers” *Welsh folk melody*

1- Rejoice! Rejoice, believers, and let your lights appear; the evening is advancing and darker night is near. The Bride-groom is arising and soon He will draw nigh; up, watch with expectation, at midnight comes the cry.

3- Our hope and expectation, O Jesus, now appear; arise, Thou sun so longed for, above this shadowed sphere! With hearts and hands uplifted, we plead, O Lord, to see the day of earth’s redemption, and ever be with Thee!

“My Soul Give Glory to My God” *Miriam Therese Winter*

1- My soul gives glory to my God. My heart pours out its praise. God lifted up my lowliness in many marvelous ways.

2- My God has done great things for me: yes, holy is God’s name. All people will declare me blessed, and blessings they shall claim.

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HYMNS & SONGS

“Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming” *German carol*

1- Lo, how a rose e'er blooming from tender stem hath sprung, of Jesses's lineage coming, by faithful prophets sung. It came a floweret bright, amid the cold of winter, when half spent was the night.

2- Isaiah 'twas foretold it, the rose I have in mind, with Mary we behold it, the virgin mother kind. To show God's love aright she bore for us a Savior, when half spent was the night.

“O Little Town of Bethlehem” *Phillips Brooks*

1- 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.

4- O holy Child of Bethlehem, descend to us, we pray; cast out our sin and ever in, be born in us today. We hear the Christmas angels the great glad tidings tell; o come to us, abide with us, our Lord Emmanuel!

“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” *Transl. John Mason Neale*

1- O come, O come, Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel that mourns in lonely exile here, until the Child of God appear.

4- O come, O shoot of Jesse, free your own from Satan's tyranny, from depths of hell your people save, and give them victory o'er the grave.

Refrain- Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel!

“From Heaven Above” *Martin Luther*

1- From heaven above to earth I come to bring good news to everyone! Glad tidings of great joy I bring to all the world, and gladly sing:

2- To you this night is born a child of Mary, chosen virgin mild; this newborn child of lowly birth shall be the joy of all the earth.

HYMNS & SONGS

“The First Nowell” *English carol*

1- The first Nowell the angel did say was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay; in fields where they lay a-keeping their sheep, on a cold winter’s night that was so deep.

(Refrain) Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Born is the King of Israel.

2- They looked up and saw a star shining in the east beyond them far, and to the earth it gave great light, and so it continued both day and night.

(Refrain) Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Born is the King of Israel.

“O Come All Ye Faithful” *John Francis Wade*

1- 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! *(Refrain)*

2- Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning, Jesus, to Thee be all glory given; word of the Father, now in flesh appearing! *(Refrain)*

3- Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation! Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above! Glory to God, all glory in the highest! *(Refrain)*

(Refrain) O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him, Christ, the Lord!

“Hark! The Herald Angels Sing” *Charles Wesley*

1- 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!”

2- Christ, by highest heaven adored, Christ the everlasting Lord! Late in time behold Him come, offspring of the virgin’s womb. Veiled in flesh the Godhead see; hail the incarnate Deity, pleased in flesh with us to dwell, Jesus, our Emmanuel.

3- Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace! Hail the sun of righteousness! Light and life to all He brings, risen with healing in His wings. Mild He lays His glory by, born that we no more may die, born to raise us from the earth, born to give us second birth.

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Welcome bags, and Children's Bulletins.
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January Events & Birthdays

4 th	Marie D.
5 th	Bill D. Joe Fabiani
6 th	Jeff D.
10 th	Courtney B.
14 th	Emily J.
19 th	Bridget T.
24 th	Owen G.
30 th	Annual Congregation Meeting

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