

# Lord's Day Morning Worship Service

December 22, 2024; 11:00 a.m.

*When the music begins, please refrain from conversation and prepare for the worship service.*

*Greeting and Welcome; Announcements*

## Approaching God

- ▲ Call to Worship & Response **Psalm 148:1–2**

Leader: Praise the LORD!  
Praise the LORD from the heavens;  
Praise him in the heights!

People: **Praise him, all his angels;  
praise him, all his hosts!**

- ▲ Salutation

- ▲ Doxology **Trinity Hymnal 103 (vs. 4)**

**Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three we name you;  
while in essence only One, undivided God we claim you,  
and adoring bend the knee, while we sing this mystery.**

- ▲ Prayer of Invocation

- ▲ *I Lift My Eyes Up to the Hills* **Psalter Hymnal 121A**

- ▲ Confession of Sin (*Unison*) **Psalm 85:7–9**

**Show us your steadfast love, O LORD,  
and grant us your salvation.  
Let me hear what God the LORD will speak,  
for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints;  
but let them not turn back to folly. Amen.**

- ▲ Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Old Testament Scripture **Micah 5:1–6**

Pastoral Prayer

## Giving Attention to God's Word

- ▲ *Thou Who Was Rich...* **Trinity Hymnal 230**

New Testament Scripture **Luke 2:1–14**

Sermon **THE INCARNATION** **Luke 2:1–14**

Licentiate Mitchell D. Watson

Theme Jesus accomplishes God's glory and our peace.

1. The Savior Born (vs. 1–7)
2. God Glorified (vs. 8–14)

## The Sacrament of The Lord's Supper

- ▲ Nicene' Creed (*unison*) **Trinity Hymnal, page 846**

- ▲ *Gloria Patri* **Hymnal 735**

Jesus' Words of Institution **Mark 14:22–25**

## Responding to God's Word & Sacrament

- ▲ *Angels We Have Heard on High* **Trinity Hymnal 214**

Giving & Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

- ▲ Benediction **Hebrews 13:20–21**

- ▲ Doxology **Trinity Hymnal 218 (vs. 5)**

**All creation, join in praising,  
God the Father, Spirit, Son;  
evermore your voices raising  
To th'eternal Three in One:  
Come and worship, come and worship,  
worship Christ, the newborn King.**

▲ *Indicates standing, as able.*

*Scripture quotations are from the English Standard Version (ESV)*

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## Next Lord's Day

Licentiate Mitchell D. Watson will preach at both services

Morning Sermon JESUS WILL RETURN (1 Thess. 4:13–18)

Evening Sermon GOODNESS TO OPPRESSED (Ps. 107:39–43)