



Zion Goshert's United Church of Christ

Worship: The Children's Christmas Program
Sunday, November 29, 2020

Pastor: Bruce Farrell
Ministers: All the Faithful Members

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PRELUDE Tara Zimmerman [9:55 a.m.]

WELCOME

The Hanging of the Greens

CALL TO WORSHIP Coleton D.
SPECIAL MUSIC: *Hark the Herald Angels Sing* Jaydon D.
THE MEANING OF THE SERVICE Kacy T.
OPENING PRAYER Ruby B.
THE ADVENT WREATH The Boyer Family
Lighting of the Advent Candle

HYMN

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

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

Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel!

**² O come, thou Dayspring, come and cheer our spirits by Thine advent here;
disperse the gloomy clouds of night, and death's dark shadows put to flight. *Refrain***

**³ O come, Thou Wisdom from on high, Who order all things, far and nigh;
to us the path of knowledge show, and cause us in Her ways to go. *Refrain***

**⁴ O come, Desire of nations, bind all peoples in one heart and mind;
bid envy, strife and quarrels cease; fill the whole world with heaven's peace. *Refrain***

CHANGING OF THE PARAMENTS Elsie and Allison S.
Revelation 22:12-13, 16

DECORATING THE WINDOWS Myla and Kelcy G.
Holly: The Tender Shoot
Isaiah 53:2-5

SPECIAL MUSIC: *Hark the Herald Angels Sing* Evan H.

THE GREENS Olly and Mara M.
Isaiah 9:2, 6, 7

THE POINTSETTIAS Harrison W. and Coleton D.
Isaiah 60:1-2

SPECIAL MUSIC: *Hallelujah* Joanna H.

SERMON: Why All This Decorating Fuss?

Pastor Farrell

HYMN

On Jordan's Banks, The Baptist's Cry

**¹ On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry announces that the Lord is nigh:
awake and listen for he brings glad tidings of the King of kings.**

**² For You are our salvation, Lord, our refuge and our great reward;
without Your grace we waste away like flowers that wither and decay.**

**³ To You, O Christ, all praises be, whose advent set Your people free;
Whom with the Father we adore and Holy Spirit evermore!**

THE GIFT OF CHRIST

Blake and Trevor H.

THE NATIVITY

Joshua and Owen G.

Luke 2:1-14

SETTING UP THE NATIVITY

Jeremiah & Juliette N.

LITURGICAL DANCE: *Noel* by Lauren Daigle

Kacy, Zoe and Savannah

DEOCRATING THE TREE

Cameron and Kayden T.

The Tree: An Everlasting Promise

Isaiah 41:17-20

CHRIST'S LIGHT

Hailey C.

SPECIAL MUSIC: *Joy to the World*

The Dermes Family Singers

BENEDICTION

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POSTLUDE

Then the Lord said to Moses, "See, I have chosen Bezalel ... and I have filled him with the Spirit of God, with wisdom, with understanding, with knowledge and with all kinds of skills - to make artistic designs for work in gold, silver and bronze, to cut and set stones, to work in wood, and to engage in all kinds of crafts... to make everything I have commanded you [for the tabernacle].

Exodus 31:1-6



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