

THE LORD'S DAY

December 22, 2019

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (10:55 AM)

INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *Luke 2:10-14*

*INVOCATION

*HYMN: **Trinity 208** - *O Come, All Ye Faithful*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Merciful God, we humble ourselves in Your presence, confessing our unworthiness and sinfulness in Your sight. We have broken Your holy law. We have not sought first Your kingdom and righteousness. We have been anxious and troubled about many things and have neglected the things that belong to our peace. We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves or done to others as we would that they should do to us. Most gracious God, our heavenly Father, who has given Your Son, Jesus Christ, to save Your people from their sins; forgive us, we beg You. Cleanse us from all unrighteousness, and renew a right spirit within us, through the grace of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: *Matthew 1:21*

*GLORIA PATRI - **Trinity 735**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *Westminster Shorter Catechism Q 4-6*

Q. 4. What is God?

A. God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in His being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth.

Q. 5. Are there more gods than one?

A. There is but one only, the living and true God.

Q. 6. How many persons are there in the Godhead?

A. There are three persons in the Godhead: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory.

ADVENT READING AND CANDLE LIGHTING (Love-Purple): *Psalms 24:1-10* (Insert)

ANTHEM: *Gotta Whisper, Gotta Shout!*

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

*PSALTER: **Bible Songs 18 (Back)** - *Free My Heart from Sin*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT: *John 1:14-18* (p. 886; LP p. 1053)

SERMON: "Beholding the Glory of God"

*HYMN: **Trinity 203** - *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY - **Trinity 731**

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: *Threefold Amen* - **Trinity 740**

POSTLUDE

*Please stand, if able

*Greetings! Our church family extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us today. If you are visiting with us, please complete a **Visitor's Card** in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Thank you!*

	<u>12-22-2019</u>	<u>12-29-2019</u>
Flowers	Poinsettias	
Nursery	Merri Avery, Caleb Jennings	
Ushers	Noah Yi, Andre Jennings, Gene Wicker, Michael Jennings	