

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE AT 9:30 A.M. – December 25, 2023

Rev. Aaron Greydanus...Minister Christmas Day

Preparation for worship: But the Angel said to them, “Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be to all people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord.”

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP OUR WONDERFUL COUNSELOR

Prelude

*Call to Worship

*Opening Prayer

*God’s Greeting

*Opening Song: #347:1-3 “*Angels We Have Heard on High*” (children come forward)

Lighting of the Advent Candles:

-Children’s Message: Pastor Aaron

-Advent Reading & Lighting of Candles: Madison Bosma, Sophia Kroese, Reese Wielenga

-Advent Hymn: #353:1,2 “*Infant Holy, Infant Lowly*”

Choir: “*In the First Light*”

WE BOW BEFORE THE THRONE OF OUR MIGHTY GOD

The Ten Commandments for Christmas

Congregational Prayer

Offering: Inspiration Hills

Offertory

WE HEAR THE WORD OF OUR EVERLASTING FATHER

*Hymn of Preparation: #354:1,2,5 “*Angels from the Realms of Glory*”

God’s Word Read: Isaiah 9:6,7

God’s Word Proclaimed: “**A Child – Light, Joy, Freedom**”

Prayer of Application

Hymn of Response: “*Joy Has Dawned*” (on PPT)

WE GO OUT TO SERVE OUR PRINCE OF PEACE

*Parting Blessing

*Parting Song: #337:1-4 “*Joy to the World! The Lord is Come*”

(Those wishing to sing the Hallelujah Chorus should go the balcony at this time)

Doxology: “*Hallelujah Chorus*” (director: Darren Vant Hul; organist: MaryLou Wielenga)

*Postlude

*indicates congregation stand

organist: Lavonne Kats

Trumpets: Logan Baccam, Alison Kroese, Bethany Bosma
Trombones: Konner Struik, Kaden Struik, Calen Bolkema, Tyson Bosma