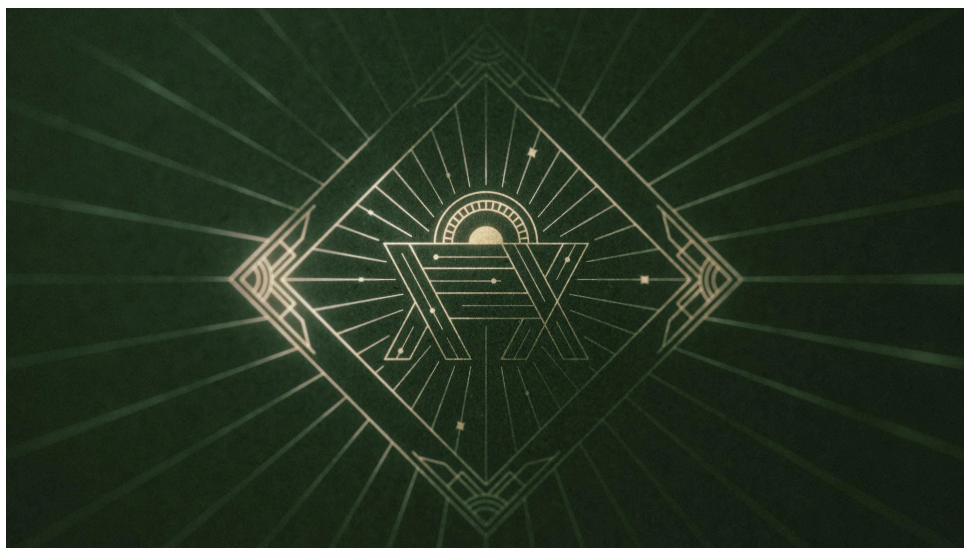


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"For to us a child is born, to us a son is given;
and the government shall be upon his shoulder,
and his name shall be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."
Isaiah 9:6

*Let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe,
for our God is a consuming fire. - Hebrews 12:28-29*

Prelude

What Child Is This?

Welcome/Announcements and Opening Prayer

Call To Worship/Adoration

Hymn

Christmas Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy)

Affirmation of Faith

Advent Lighting

Peace

Confession

Hymn

O Holy Night

Assurance of Pardon

Responsive Reading, Hymn

Philippians 2:5-11, The First Noel

Pastoral Prayer of Petition and Thanks

Scripture Reading

Message

Isaiah 9:1-7

(p.680 - pew Bible)

"Light Promised" - Pastor Andrew Dyer

Reflection

Hymn

Come to Jesus (Rest In Him)

Fighter Verse

Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-16

Benediction

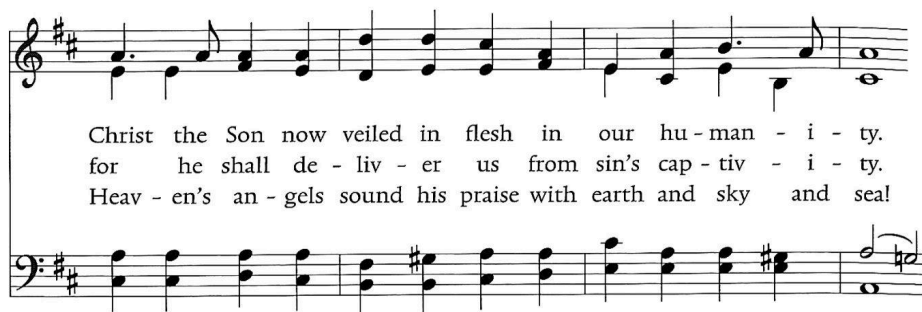
Closing

Final Hymn

O Come All Ye Faithful



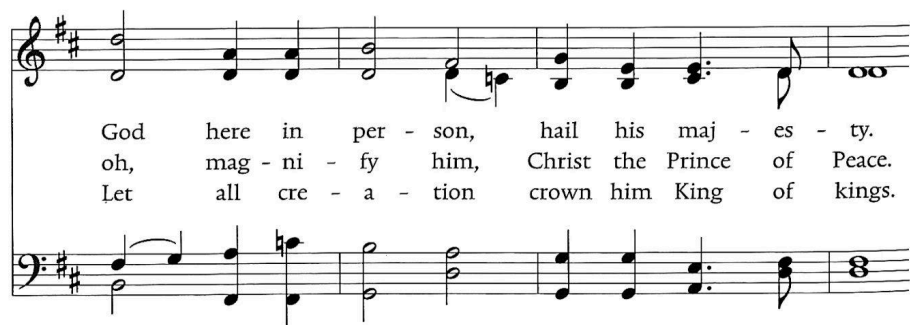
1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, in a man-ger low - ly;
 2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, sings the vir - gin Mar - y;
 3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!



Christ the Son now veiled in flesh in our hu-man - i - ty.
 for he shall de - liv - er us from sin's cap - tiv - i - ty.
 Heav - en's an - gels sound his praise with earth and sky and sea!



King-doms bow be - fore him, heav'n and earth a - dore him.
 Born to heal the na - tions, born for our sal - va - tion,
 Join the song of tri - umph, glo - ry in the high - est!



God here in per - son, hail his maj - es - ty.
 oh, mag - ni - fy him, Christ the Prince of Peace.
 Let all cre - a - tion crown him King of kings.

C **VERSE** Cmaj7 F/C C

1. O ho - ly night, the stars are bright - ly shin - ing,
 2. Hum - bly He lay, Cre - a - tor come as crea - ture,
 3. Come then to Him Who lies with in a man - ger,

5 C G/C F C

It is the night of the dear Sav - ior's birth.
 born on the floor of a hay - scat - tered stall.
 with joy - ful shep - herds, pro - claim Him as Lord.

10 C Cmaj7 C

Long lay the world in sin and er - ror pin - ing,
 True Son of God, yet bear - ing hu - man fea - ture,
 Let not the Prom - ised Son re - main a strang - er;

14 Em Bm Em

till He ap - peared and the soul felt its worth.
 He en - tered earth to re - verse A - dam's fall.
 In rev - erent wor - ship, make Christ your A - dored.

18 G G/F C/E

A thrill of hope, the wea - ry world re - joi - ces, for
 In tow - ering grace, He laid a - side His glo - ry, and
 E - ter - nal life is theirs who would re - ceive Him; With

23 Dm7 G/D C G/B

yon - der breaks a new and glo - rious morn.
 in our place, was sac - ri - ficed for sin.
 grace and peace, their lives He will a - dorn.

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27 **CHORUS** Fmaj7 Em7/G

Fall on your knees, O
 Fall on your knees! O
 Fall on your knees! Re -

31 Dm Am7 D7

hear the an - gel voi - - ces! O
 hear the gos - pel sto - - ry! O
 ceive the Gift of heav - - en! O

35 C/G G7 Am Am/C D7

night di - vine, O
 night di - vine, O
 night di - vine, O

39 C/G G7 C F/C C C F/C C 1.2

night when Christ was born! O
 night when Christ was born! O
 night when Christ was born! O

45 Am Am/C D7 C/G G7 Am Am/G D7/F# 3.

born! O night, O ho - - - ly

51 C/G G7 C F/C C

night when Christ was born.

Leader:

⁵ Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus,
⁶ who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with
God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but emptied himself, by taking the form
of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸ And being found in
human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the
point of death, even death on a cross.

All:

⁹ Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the
name that is above every name, ¹⁰ so that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
¹¹ and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of
God the Father.

Verse 1

The first Noel, earth and heaven embraced
As a virgin beheld her new born babe
From realms on high to a manger on earth
Salvation had dawned in a lowly birth

Chorus

Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel
Born is the King of Israel

Verse 2

The Son of God, in kindness He came
As a friend to the hopeless, the lost, and the lame
Our sins He bore yet His name we despised
And the hands that brought healing were pierced as He died

Chorus

Verse 3

The Author of Life, there lifeless He lay
As the grave cast its shadow and darkness reigned
Then out of death broke forth a great light
As He rose up in victory, the glorious Christ

Chorus

1. Are you wea - ry, hea - vy la - den? Come and lay your bur - dens down;
 2. Are you hope - less? Are you guil - ty? Caught in shame for all your sin?
 3. Are you wait - ing in your sor - rows For this bro - ken world to heal?

Je - sus calls you, Je - sus draws you; Rest in Him.
 He pur - sues you, to for - give you; Rest in Him.
 He is com - ing, soon re - turn - ing; Rest in Him.

He is gen - tle, He is low - ly, He de - lights to bring us peace;
 He has paid for eve - ry fail - ure, Mer - cy flows in end - less streams;
 We will see Him, we will know Him, O what heights of grace re - vealed;

Ten - der shep - herd, migh - ty Sav - ior; Rest in Him.
 Come and fol - low, free - dom calls you; Rest in Him.
 From his kind - ness, eve - ry prom - ise; Then ful - filled.

How sure, His com - pas - sion for us! Oh, how deep is His

Love; So come, come to Je - sus and rest in Him.

All:

¹ I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, ² with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, ³ eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

⁴ There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call— ⁵ one Lord, one faith, one baptism, ⁶ one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

⁷ But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of Christ's gift... ¹¹ And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, ¹² to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, ¹³ until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, ¹⁴ so that we may no longer be children, tossed to and fro by the waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by human cunning, by craftiness in deceitful schemes. ¹⁵ Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, ¹⁶ from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.

Verse

O come, all ye faith - ful, joy - ful and tri - um - phant,

6

O come ye, O come ye to Beth - le - hem!

11

Come and be - hold Him, born the King of an - gels!

15 *Refrain*

O come, let us a - dore Him, O come, let us a - dore Him,

21

O come, let us a - dore Him, Christ, the Lord!

The Gospel

The Gospel is the joyous declaration
that God is redeeming the world through Christ
and that He commands everyone everywhere
to repent from sin and trust Jesus Christ for salvation.

Each of us has sinned against God,
breaking His law and rebelling against His rule,
and the penalty for our sin is death and hell.

But because of his love, God sent His Son, Jesus,
to live, for His people's sake, the perfect, obedient life God
requires and to die on the cross in our place for our sin.

On the third day, Christ rose bodily from the grave
and now reigns in heaven,
offering forgiveness, righteousness, resurrection,
and eternal blessedness in God's presence
to everyone who repents of sin and trusts solely in Him for
salvation.

Announcements

Today

NOV 30

5th Sunday - NO Evening services

Upcoming

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| DEC 3 | 6:00pm | Youth Group |
| | 6:30pm | Wed eve Bible study |
| DEC 7 | | Lord's Supper |
| | 6:00pm | Prayer Meeting |
| DEC 8 | 7:00pm | Women of the Word - Christmas Party |
| DEC 10 | 6:00pm | Youth Group |
| | 6:30pm | Wed eve Bible study |
| DEC 14 | 6:00pm | Girls True Life//Boys Trail Life - Christmas Parties |
| DEC 17 | 6:00pm | Youth Group - Christmas Party |
| | | <u>NO</u> Wed eve Bible study |
| DEC 21 | 6:00pm | Kids Christmas Program |
| DEC 24 | 4:00pm | Candlelight Christmas Eve Service |
| DEC 28 | | <u>NO</u> Girls True Life//Boys Trail Life |

Nov 30 - Chad Bodecker, Head Usher // David Gayer, Host
Josh Meier, Scripture Reader // Zeke Dyer, House & Grounds
Dyer, Cleaning

Dec 7 - Randy Chambers, Head Usher // Travis Whiteside, Host
Zeke Dyer, Scripture Reader // Chad Bodecker, House & Grounds
Meier, Cleaning

General Info: "How do I get involved at PBC?" Start with becoming a member.
Email Pastor Andrew about exploring membership.
Family Fellowship Breakfast 9:00am // Sunday School 10:00am

For Families: We believe children are a blessing and that it is important to have your children worship with you. If you need to step out, we have a cry room at the back for babies and toddlers or a nursery where you can watch the service.

Student Ministry: Meetings take place most Wednesdays from 6:00-7:30pm in the fellowship hall. All 6th-12th graders are welcome. A meal is provided.

Giving: You can give online at www.palmyrabaptist.org/give

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