

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

**Organ Prelude**

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel - plainsong ca. 1200  
Saviour of the Nations, Come - A. N. Vetter

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Liturgy: The Candle of Peace**

*Read by Laura and Hannah McFadzen*

**The Candle is Lit**

**Hymn of the Month**

All earth is waiting to see the Promised One # 109

**Call to Confession & Prayer** (*Unison*) On Screen

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Hymn:** People in darkness # 124

**Time with the Young and Young at Heart**

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

**Prayer of Illumination**

**The Scriptures**

*Read by Brian Loucks*

**Old Testament:** Isaiah 40: 1-11 OT PG 682

**Responsive Lesson:** Psalm 72 1-7; 18-19 On Screen

**New Testament:** Romans 15: 4-13 NT PG 155

**New Testament:** Matthew 3: 1-12 NT PG 2

**Hymn:** On Jordan's bank # 126

**Sermon:** "When God Breaks In"

WE RESPOND IN FAITH AND SERVICE

**Offering and Offertory**

Sing Alleluia, Christ is Born - Purifoy/Lorenz

**Doxology** (*Unison*)

On Screen

**Offertory Prayer**

**Pastoral Prayers, Thanksgiving and Intercession**

**The Lord's Prayer** (*Unison*)

On Screen

**Hymn:** Hark! A thrilling voice is sounding

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**Commissioning** (*Responsive*)

On Screen

**Benediction**

**Choral Benediction:** O come, oh come, Emmanuel

On Screen

**Organ Postlude**

**Minister:** Rev. Robert Adams   **Organist:** Gary Postma

**Please join us for a time of fellowship following worship.**

**Coffee hour is courtesy of Katalin Kennedy**

**Everyone is Welcome!**

**The Lectionary Lessons of the Day**

Isaiah 11:1–10; Psalm 72:1–7, 18–19; Romans 15:4–13; Matthew 3:1–12

**Thank you for worshipping with us today!**