

# THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

*"Third Sunday of Advent"*

Sunday, 13 December, 2020

✦ Indicates standing if able

## WELCOME & GREETING

*Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley*

## LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE OF JOY



## INVOCATION

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*Psalm 5:11-12*

"But let all those rejoice who put their trust in You; Let them ever shout for joy, because You defend them; Let those also who love Your name Be joyful in You. For You, O LORD, will bless the righteous; With favor You will surround him as with a shield."

### ✦ HYMN

Nº 01

*How Great Our Joy!*

### CONFESSING CHRIST

*Ezekiel 16:9-14*

"Then I washed you in water; yes, I thoroughly washed off your blood, and I anointed you with oil. I clothed you in embroidered cloth and gave you sandals of badger skin; I clothed you with fine linen and covered you with silk. I adorned you with ornaments, put bracelets on your wrists, and a chain on your neck. And I put a jewel in your nose, earrings in your ears, and a beautiful crown on your head. Thus you were adorned with gold and silver, and your clothing was of fine linen, silk, and embroidered cloth. You ate pastry of fine flour, honey, and oil. You were exceedingly beautiful, and succeeded to royalty. Your fame went out among the nations because of your beauty, for it was perfect through My splendor which I had bestowed on you," says the Lord GOD."

### CONFESSION OF SIN

*Ruling Elder Bradley Chwastyk*

Confessional Prayer

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Isaiah 12:1-3*

Ruling Elder:

"And in that day you will say: "O LORD, I will praise You; Though You were angry with me, Your anger is turned away,

and You comfort me. Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid; 'For YAH, the LORD, is my strength and song; He also has become my salvation.' " Therefore with joy you will draw water From the wells of salvation."

❖ HYMN

Nº 02

*Angels We Have Heard on High*

**TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

Giving of Our Gifts

Offertory

- ❖ Doxology: Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise Him all creatures here below,  
Praise Him above, ye Heav'nly hosts;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
- ❖ Gloria Patri: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the  
beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
world without end; Amen, Amen.

**THE WORD PREACHED**

Reading of Scripture  
"Joy"

*Lamentations 2:11-19*  
*Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley*

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

❖ INVITATIONAL HYMN

Nº 03

*Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence*

COMMUNION WITH CHRIST IN THE SUPPER

❖ HYMN

Nº 04

*Joy to the World!*

**BENEDICTION**

- ❖ Postlude



## How Great Our Joy!

1. While by the sheep we watched at night,  
 2. There shall be born, so he did say,  
 3. There shall the child lie in a stall,  
 4. This gift of God we'll cher - ish well,

glad tid - ings brought an an - gel bright.  
 in Beth - le - hem a child to - day.  
 this child who shall re - deem us all.  
 that ev - er joy our hearts shall fill.

*f* How great our joy! *p* Great our joy!

The first system of the musical score consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a common time signature. It begins with a dynamic marking of *f* (forte) and contains four measures of music, primarily using chords. The lower staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature. It begins with a dynamic marking of *f* and contains four measures of music, also primarily using chords. The lyrics are centered between the two staves.

*f* Joy, joy, joy! Joy, joy, joy! *p*

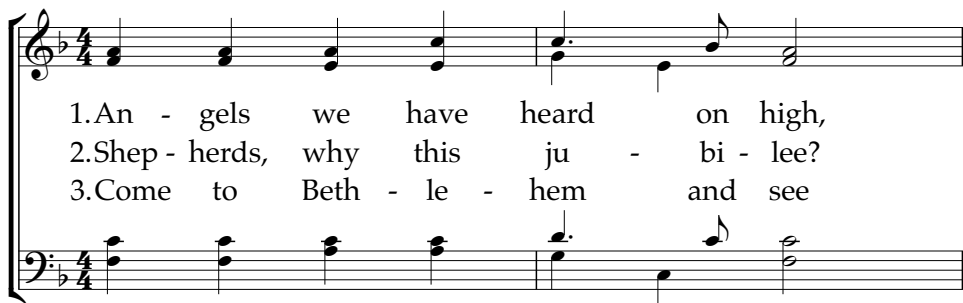
The second system of the musical score consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of two flats and a common time signature. It begins with a dynamic marking of *f* and contains five measures of music, featuring a more active melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes. The lower staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature. It begins with a dynamic marking of *f* and contains five measures of music, primarily using chords. The lyrics are centered between the two staves.

*f* Praise we the Lord in heav'n on high!

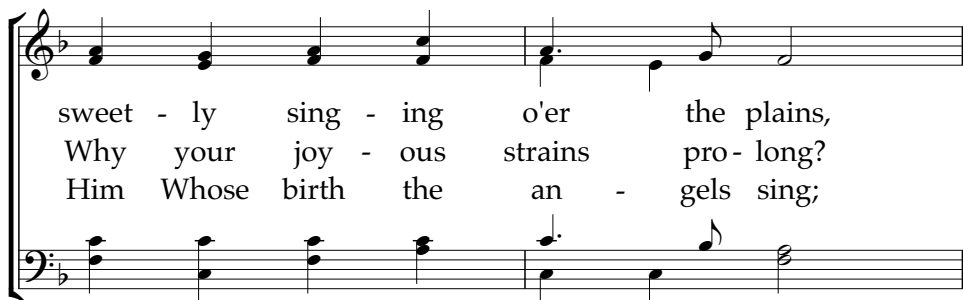
The third system of the musical score consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of two flats and a common time signature. It begins with a dynamic marking of *p* (piano) and contains five measures of music, featuring a more active melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes. The lower staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature. It begins with a dynamic marking of *p* and contains five measures of music, primarily using chords. The lyrics are centered between the two staves.

*p* Praise we the Lord in heav'n on high!

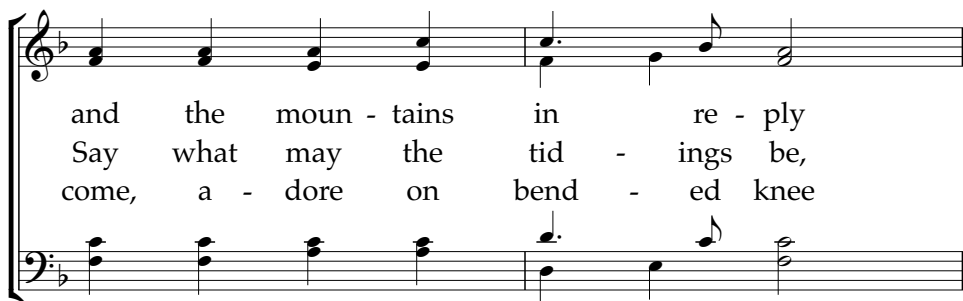
# Angels We Have Heard on High



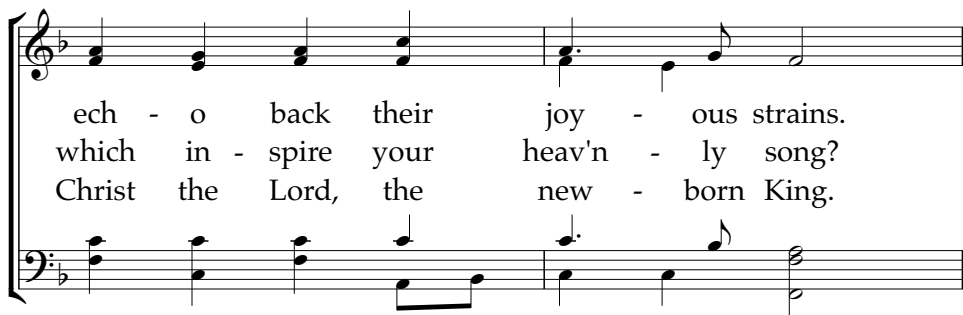
1. An - gels we have heard on high,  
2. Shep - herds, why this ju - bi - lee?  
3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see



sweet - ly sing - ing o'er the plains,  
Why your joy - ous strains pro - long?  
Him Whose birth the an - gels sing;



and the moun - tains in re - ply  
Say what may the tid - ings be,  
come, a - dore on bend - ed knee



ech - o back their joy - ous strains.  
which in - spire your heav'n - ly song?  
Christ the Lord, the new - born King.

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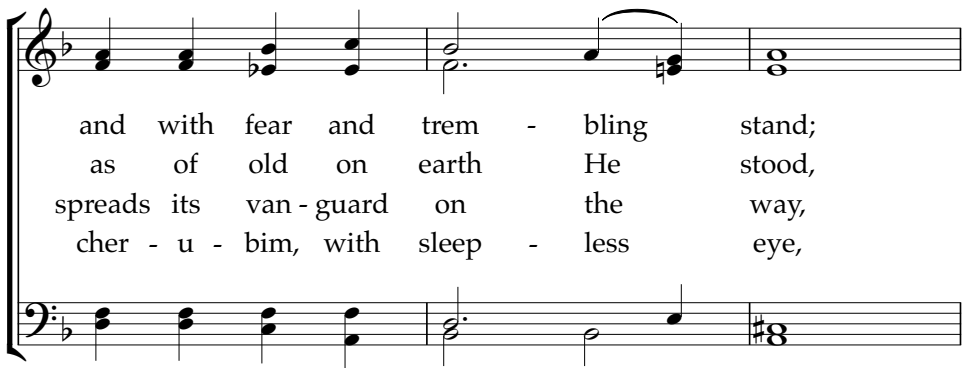
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# Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence



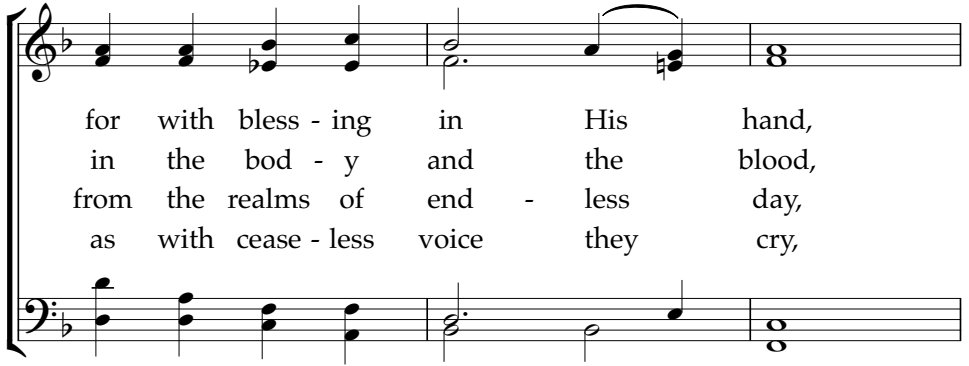
1. Let all mor - tal flesh keep si - lence,  
 2. King of kings, yet born of Mar - y,  
 3. Rank on rank the host of heav - en  
 4. At His feet the six - winged ser - aph;



and with fear and trem - bling stand;  
 as of old on earth He stood,  
 spreads its van - guard on the way,  
 cher - u - bim, with sleep - less eye,



pon - der noth - ing earth - ly - mind - ed,  
 Lord of lords, in hu - man ves - ture,  
 as the Light of light de - scend - eth  
 veil their fac - es to the pres - ence,



for with bless - ing in His hand,  
in the bod - y and the blood,  
from the realms of end - less day,  
as with cease - less voice they cry,



Christ our God to earth de - scend - - eth,  
He will give to all the faith - - ful  
that the pow'rs of hell may van - - ish  
"Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - - ia,



our full hom - age to de - mand.  
His own self for heav'n - ly food.  
as the dark - ness clears a - way.  
al - le - lu - ia, Lord Most High!"



# Joy to the World!

1. Joy to the world! the Lord is come;  
 2. Joy to the earth! the Sav - ior reigns;  
 3. No more let sin and sor - row grow,  
 4. He rules the world with truth and grace

Let earth re - ceive her King.  
 Let men their songs em - ploy,  
 Nor thorns in - fest the ground.  
 And makes the na - tions prove

Let ev - ery heart pre - pare Him room,  
 While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains  
 He comes to make His bless - ings flow  
 The glo - ries of His righ - teous - ness

And heav'n and na - ture sing,  
Re - peat the sound - ing joy,  
Far as the curse is found,  
And won - ders of His love,

1. And heav'n and na -

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Detailed description: This system contains the first two staves of music. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature. It contains four measures of music, ending with a repeat sign. The bottom staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature. It contains four measures of music, starting with a whole rest in the first measure, followed by a half note chord in the second measure, and two measures of quarter notes. The lyrics are placed between the staves, with the first line of lyrics aligned with the first measure of the top staff.

And heav'n and na - ture sing,  
Re - peat the sound - ing joy,  
Far as the curse is found,  
And won - ders of His love,

ture sing,

ture sing, And heav'n and na -

Detailed description: This system contains the second two staves of music. The top staff continues from the first system with four measures of music, ending with a repeat sign. The bottom staff continues with four measures of music, featuring a long melisma line over the first two measures. The lyrics are placed between the staves, with the first line of lyrics aligned with the first measure of the top staff.

And heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing!  
Re - peat, re - peat the sound - ing joy!  
Far\_ as, far as the curse is found!  
And won - ders, won - ders of His love!

ture sing,

Detailed description: This system contains the third two staves of music. The top staff continues with four measures of music, ending with a repeat sign. The bottom staff continues with four measures of music, featuring a long melisma line over the first two measures. The lyrics are placed between the staves, with the first line of lyrics aligned with the first measure of the top staff.

## SERMON NOTES

"Joy"

*Lamentations 2:11-19*

11 My eyes fail with tears, My heart is troubled; My bile is poured on the ground Because of the destruction of the daughter of my people, Because the children and the infants Faint in the streets of the city. 12 They say to their mothers, "Where is grain and wine?" As they swoon like the wounded In the streets of the city, As their life is poured out In their mothers' bosom. 13 How shall I console you? To what shall I liken you, O daughter of Jerusalem? What shall I compare with you, that I may comfort you, O virgin daughter of Zion? For your ruin is spread wide as the sea; Who can heal you? 14 Your prophets have seen for you False and deceptive visions; They have not uncovered your iniquity, To bring back your captives, But have envisioned for you false prophecies and delusions. 15 All who pass by clap their hands at you; They hiss and shake their heads At the daughter of Jerusalem: "Is this the city that is called 'The perfection of beauty, The joy of the whole earth?'" 16 All your enemies have opened their mouth against you; They hiss and gnash their teeth. They say, "We have swallowed her up! Surely this is the day we have waited for; We have found it, we have seen it!" 17 The LORD has done what He purposed; He has fulfilled His word Which He commanded in days of old. He has thrown down and has not pitied, And He has caused an enemy to rejoice over you; He has exalted the horn of your adversaries. 18 Their heart cried out to the Lord, "O wall of the daughter of Zion, Let tears run down like a river day and night; Give yourself no relief; Give your eyes no rest. 19 "Arise, cry out in the night, At the beginning of the watches; Pour out your heart like water before the face of the Lord. Lift your hands toward Him For the life of your young children, Who faint from hunger at the head of every street.

# CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY

"Joy"

Lamentations 2:11-19

L L E S S U R B O C A J D B P W H M I G  
G G E W T N T O D S O E C E P H W E V Y  
J Y H P W N B H R W L Z O C D E E L B X  
E A U V O W A E E B Y P T A R R F A I L  
T A U O F U H F U I L E R U O E N S L Z  
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C O N L O R R E H I Y B E E N I G R I V  
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E G M S D U T R O F M O C W O U N D E D  
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BECAUSE  
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CITY  
COMFORT  
COMPARE  
DAUGHTER  
DESTRUCTION  
EYES  
FAIL  
FAINT  
FOR  
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HEART  
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INFANTS  
JERUSALEM  
LIFE  
LIKE  
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MOTHERS  
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PEOPLE  
POURED  
RUIN  
SAY  
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What verse in Lamentations 2 contain the underlined words? \_\_\_\_\_

Write the whole verse out: \_\_\_\_\_

# **Announcements at Severn Run...**

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## **IMPORTANT NOTE**

Pastor Jesse will be on study leave, as well as attending a class this week and will not be in the Church Office. Thank you!

## **CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE**

We will be having a Christmas Eve Service which will be live-streamed as well — details to follow soon! Thank you!

## **POP-UP PANTRY**

Our next Pantry is **this Wednesday, 12/16**.

This week, we'd like to offer hams for Christmas as well as produce and non-perishables. We are asking for donations of hams - 4-5 lbs. (can be frozen). Please bring them in either on Sunday or Tuesday morning by noon. Thank you for your service, and for your generous food and monetary donations - We are grateful to our Lord!

We are also in need of someone to shop at Costco for this next date as well as future dates. You can use the church Costco card, Marcy provides you with a list, and you will be reimbursed for the purchase. Shopping has to be completed by Tuesday at 2:30pm. If you are interested, please sign up using the link below, or see Marcy. Thank you!

Volunteer Sign-Up link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0d45aeac23a7f85-popup>

## **SEVERN RUN MAILBOX**

Christmas cards for the congregation can be placed in the "Christmas File Box" provided in the narthex. Please distribute the cards to the files of the box yourself. Thank you!

## **WEEKLY THURSDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETING**

**This Thursday, 12/17 from 7-8:00pm** at the church. Please bring your face masks. This prayer meeting is open to everyone. Thank you!

## **SREPC WOMEN'S MINISTRY - GROWING IN GRACE, LOVING LIKE CHRIST**

**Women's Tuesday Evening Study** The Tuesday Night Ladies are studying the Gospel of Luke. Please contact Elaine Nolen at 410-903-5091 or Marilyn Doerfel at 405-922-4028 for the meeting location. Thank you!

## **CHRISTMAS ADVENT CALENDAR/SCRIPTURE READINGS**

For anyone interested, below is a link to a Christmas Advent Calendar with Scripture readings for each day in December - <https://www.thinkingkidsblog.org/christmas-advent-calendar-bible-verses>.

## **SREPC MEN'S MINISTRY - GRACE, GRIT, GLORY...**

**Men's Wednesday Evening Study** meets **every other Wednesday, 7:30pm** at the church. Please see Ruling Elder Bradley Chwastyk for more details.

**Our Monthly Men's Breakfast** is the first Saturday of every month - **the next one is this Saturday, 1/9 (in lieu of 1/2)** 8am-9:30am at the church. A testimony will be given, and breakfast will be provided by Harry O'Haver. Please RSVP to Nick Clark - 703-901-4730 or [nickclark582@gmail.com](mailto:nickclark582@gmail.com) if you plan on attending. Thank you!

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**December - 12/16** - Pop-Up Pantry; **12/20** - Fourth Sunday of Advent - *Love*;  
**12/24** - Christmas Eve Service

# What's Happening at Severn Run...

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Sun  
**13**  
Dec

- ▶ Third Sunday of Advent - *Joy*
- ▶ Morning Worship Service - 9am & 11am
- ▶ Communion Served

Mon  
**14**  
Dec

Tues  
**15**  
Dec

- ▶ Pop-Up Pantry Prep - 2:30pm
- ▶ SRCCHA Classes - 8am-noon (SPEP)
- ▶ Boy Scouts Pavilion/Field - 6:45pm
- ▶ Women's Bible Study - Nolen Home - 6:30pm

Wed  
**16**  
Dec

- ▶ Pop-Up Pantry - 3:30-6:30pm
- ▶ Men's Bible Study

Thur  
**17**  
Dec

- ▶ SRCCHA Classes - 8am-noon (SPEP)
- ▶ Prayer Meeting at the church - 7pm

Fri  
**18**  
Dec

Sat  
**19**  
Dec

Sun  
**20**  
Dec

- ▶ Fourth Sunday of Advent - *Love*
- ▶ Morning Worship Service - 9am & 11am
- ▶ Communion Served

**December 2020**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

# Serving at Severn Run...

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*This Week - Dec 13*

9am/11am Usher  
9am/11am Offering Usher  
Post 9am Disinfecting Team  
Post 11am Disinfecting Team

Bob Schingeck/Duane Dwyer  
Chase Vaughn/Still Needed  
Calvert & Betty Upton  
Nick Clark

*Next Week - Dec 20*

9am/11am Usher  
9am/11am Offering Usher  
Post 9am Disinfecting Team  
Post 11am Disinfecting Team

Bob Schingeck/Duane Dwyer  
Chase Vaughn/Still Needed  
Calvert & Betty Upton  
Nick Clark

**(Please see the diaconate to sign up for any of the above - we need your help!)**