



WYCKOFF

REFORMED CHURCH

Worshiping God,
Making Disciples of Jesus,
Living Missionally

Christmas Day 2022

Welcome in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit
to The Wyckoff Reformed Church!

HOSPITALITY NOTES

These resources are also available at www.wyckoffreformed.org/worshipguides.
To participate in this service online, join us at wrclive.org or on Facebook Live.

If you need to use a restroom, they are available through the right-hand door at the front of the sanctuary.

A quiet room is available through the left-hand door as well.

Bold sections will be read aloud together.

* Invites you to rise in body or in spirit.

Want to get connected, learn more, or grow in your faith?
Fill out the connection card at www.wyckoffreformed.org/connect.

Support our ministry at www.wyckoffreformed.org/give.

GATHERED BY GOD

GATHERING MUSIC

"PREPARE HIM ROOM"

WELCOME

Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven and earth, **Amen.**

CALL TO WORSHIP

ISAIAH 2:2-3

In days to come the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established as the highest of the mountains, and shall be raised above the hills; all the nations shall stream to it. Many peoples shall come and say, "Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths."

*CAROL

"GOOD CHRISTIAN FRIENDS, REJOICE" #98

SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 1:2-3, 10-11, 16-20

PRAYER FOR RENEWAL

BASED ON PSALM 51

Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin.
[Silence]

You desire truth in the inward being;
therefore teach me wisdom in my secret heart.
Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and put a new and right spirit within me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and sustain in me a willing spirit.

O Lord, open my lips,
and my mouth will declare your praise.
For you have no delight in sacrifice;
if I were to give a burnt-offering, you would not be pleased.
The sacrifice you desire is a broken spirit;
a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise."

SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 9:2-7

CAROL "OF THE FATHER'S LOVE BEGOTTEN" #78, VV. 1-3

SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 11:1-10

CAROL "LO, HOW A ROSE E'ER BLOOMING" #79

SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 35:1-10

***CAROL**
#92

"JOY TO THE WORLD"

SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 40:1-11

***CAROL** "GOD REST YE MERRY, GENTLEMEN" VS. 1-2, 4
God rest you merry, gentlemen,
let nothing you dismay,
remember Christ our Savior
was born on Christmas day,
to save us all from Satan's pow'r
when we were gone astray;

Refrain:

O tidings of comfort and joy, comfort and joy,
O tidings of comfort and joy.

From God our heav'nly Father,
a blessed angel came;

and unto certain shepherds
brought tidings of the same:
how that in Bethlehem was born
the son of God by name, [Refrain]

Now to the Lord sing praises
all you within this place,
and with true love and brotherhood
each other new embrace;
this holy tide of Christmas
all other doth deface. [Refrain]

SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 56:1-2, 6-8; ISAIAH 60:1-3

CAROL

"THE FIRST NOEL" VS. 1, 3-5

The first Noel the angel did say
was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay,
in fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
on a cold winter's night that was so deep.

Refrain:

Noel, Noel, Noel, Noell,
born is the King of Israel.

And by the light of that same star
three wise men came from country far;
to seek for a king was their intent,
and to follow the star wherever it went. [Refrain]

This star drew nigh to the northwest;
o'er Bethlehem it took its rest,
and there it did both stop and stay,

right over the place where Jesus lay. [Refrain]

Then entered in those wise men three,
full reverently upon their knee,
and offered there in his presence
their gold, and myrrh, and frankincense. [Refrain]

SCRIPTURE

ISAIAH 61:1-3, 10-11

CAROL

"HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING" #80

OFFERING

We have reintroduced the collection of the offering to our worship services! Giving our offerings is an important action that symbolizes the gift of our whole lives to Christ in gratitude for all He has given us. We give cheerfully and joyously, not out of guilt or shame. You may give your offering by placing it in the plate as you receive it from your neighbor and pass it down your row. You may also give online at www.wyckoffreformed.org/give, or text an amount to 201-849-1436. If you give electronically, consider placing an electronic giving card in the plate as a symbol of your gift!

OFFERTORY

"BETHLEHEM BABY"

Duet: Samantha Kadzban and Cathy Nalesnik

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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. 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.

***BENEDICTION**

CALENDAR

Christmas Eve

12:00 PM Travelers' Service
5:00 PM Family Service
9:00 PM Candlelight Service

Christmas Day

10:30 AM Christmas Service

Monday, December 26

Office Closed

Friday, December 30

Office Closed

New Year's Day

9:30 AM New Year's Day Service

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