



# WYCKOFF

REFORMED CHURCH

WORSHIP GUIDE  
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In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, welcome to Wyckoff Reformed Church!

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To participate in this service online, join us at [wrclive.org](http://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.

**Masks are strongly recommended for all those in attendance.**  
**Note that all those singing and leading from the front are fully vaccinated.**

Infants and children (birth-3 years old) may be taken to the nursery in the blue room of our Education Building upon your arrival and before heading to the sanctuary for worship. Once in the sanctuary, families should check in their children using our iPad check-in system before taking a seat. After the family moment, children ages 4 through 8th grade will be escorted by their teachers to their classroom in the Education Building. Kids and teachers will wear masks. Parents will pick up their child from their classrooms following worship.

**Bold sections will be read aloud together**

\* Invites you to rise in body or in spirit

## GATHERED BY GOD

### GATHERING MUSIC

Prepare him room, prepare him room  
That the King of glory may come in

"PREPARE HIM ROOM"

### WELCOME

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

Grace to you and peace from God our father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

### \*SONG OF PREPARATION

Refrain:

For You, O Lord our souls in stillness wait  
For You, O Lord our souls in stillness wait  
Truly our hope is in You  
Truly our hope is in You

"COME LIGHT OUR HEARTS"

O Lord of life, our only hope  
Your radiance shines  
On all who look to You in the dark  
Emmanuel come, come light our hearts  
*Refrain*

Oh Joy above, all other loves  
In You we find, more than enough  
We come as we are, O heal and restore,  
Come light our hearts  
*Refrain*

## **LIGHTING THE ADVENT CANDLE**

PSALM 150 (MSG)

Virginia Del Buono, Lyla Kennedy and Dakota Wiechmann

### **\*SONG OF PRAISE**

"ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING" #551

All creatures of our God and King,  
lift up your voice and with us sing:  
alleluia, alleluia!  
O burning sun with golden beam,  
and shining moon with silver gleam,  
O praise him, O praise him,  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,  
and worship him in humbleness,  
alleluia, alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
and praise the Spirit, Three in One:  
O praise him, O praise him,  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

"O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL" #76

O come let us adore Him  
O come let us adore Him  
O come let us adore Him  
Christ the Lord!

Sing choirs of angels, sing in exultation  
Sing all ye citizens of heaven above  
Glory to God all glory in the highest

O come let us adore Him  
O come let us adore Him  
O come let us adore Him  
Christ the Lord!

### **PRAYER FOR RENEWAL**

Merciful God, always with us, always coming:

We confess that we do not know how to prepare for your Advent.

Our calendars are so full there is no room for you;  
Our to-do lists so long there is no room for you;  
Our minds so occupied there is no room for you;  
Our hearts so distracted there is no room for you.

In this, we miss the miracle bearing down upon us;  
We miss the promise of Emmanuel, you God, with us.  
Please, forgive us.

Grant us the simple wonder of the shepherds,  
The courage and perseverance of the Magi,  
The attention and patient faith of Mary and Joseph,  
That we may journey with them to Bethlehem  
And find the good news of a child born for us.  
Now, in the quiet of our hearts,  
We ask you to make us ready for his coming. Amen.

*In the following silence, open your heart to the Holy Spirit. What are you longing for? What are you plagued by? Surrender to God. Breath in the name of Jesus, breath out the name of Jesus.*

### **PROMISE OF GRACE**

People of God: Jesus Christ, Our Lord,  
whose coming we announce in this season, is our righteousness.  
In Christ, we are made right with God.  
Thanks be to God.

### **FAMILY MOMENT**

Sara Christie

### **OFFERING**

*We respond to the love and grace of Jesus by giving back our whole lives to God in worship. In this offering, we give our financial gifts as a symbol that all we have comes from God and is to be used for God's glory. Please continue to support us! To give your gift online visit [www.wyckoffreformed.org/give](http://www.wyckoffreformed.org/give) or feel free to mail your offering.*

### **OFFERTORY**

"GIVE THANKS"  
Greg Nalesnik, Cathy Nalesnik and Sandy Ondrof

**\*DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below  
Praise Him, above ye heavenly host  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**LISTENING TO GOD**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**SCRIPTURE**

LUKE 2:8-20

**SERMON**

"WORSHIP FULLY"  
Rev. Andy Kadzban

**RESPONDING TO GOD**

**SONG OF RESPONSE**

"PREPARE HIM ROOM"

**\*APOSTLES' CREED**

We join our voices together with Christians throughout the ages and across the world to proclaim these words:  
I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**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.  
And 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.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **\*SONG OF SENDING**

"JOY TO THE WORLD" #92

Joy to the world! the Lord is come:  
let earth receive her King.  
Let every heart prepare him room,  
and heaven and nature sing,  
and heaven and nature sing,  
and heaven, and heaven and nature sing.

Joy to the earth! the Savior reigns:  
let all their songs employ,  
while fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains  
repeat the sounding joy,  
repeat the sounding joy,  
repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

No more let sin and sorrow grow  
nor thorns infest the ground;  
he comes to make his blessings flow  
far as the curse is found,  
far as the curse is found,  
far as, far as the curse is found.

He rules the world with truth and grace,  
and makes the nations prove  
the glories of his righteousness  
and wonders of his love,  
and wonders of his love,  
and wonders, wonders of his love.

### **\*SENT WITH GOD'S BLESSING**

## POSTLUDE

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