



Immanuel Presbyterian Church

Online Worship Service

3rd Sunday of Advent

December 13, 2020

*Discovering and displaying Christ
in here and out there*

Celebration of the Lord's Day

WELCOME

INTROIT

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel
(Wisdom)

VENI EMMANUEL

PRAYER

SONG

Little Drummer Boy

Katherine K. Davis

THIRD ADVENT CANDLE

The Bishop Family

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PROGRESSIVE PAGEANT

The Wise Men - *The Tittle Family*

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 1:27-31 NRSV

²⁷ But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; ²⁸ God chose what is low and despised in the world, things that are not, to reduce to nothing things that are, ²⁹ so that no one might boast in the presence of God. ³⁰ He is the source of your life in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification and redemption, ³¹ in order that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."

One: The grass withers and the flower fades, but the Word of God endures forever.

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON SERIES

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

SERMON

Wisdom from on High
Rev. John C. Tittle

*O Come, thou Wisdom from on high
who orderest all things mightily;
to us the path of knowledge show,
and teach us in her ways to go.*

ANTHEM

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

J.S. Bach

PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: 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.

SONG

No Greater Love

Tommy Walker

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Participants:

Rev. Dr. John Tittle, Pastor
Abby Tittle, Online Worship Service Producer
Dr. Walter W. Schurr, Director of Music
Wil Price, Alternative Worship Service Music Leader
Kris Goorsky, Director of Christian Formation
Carl Cherry, vocals
Ryan Green, vocals and guitar
Bob and Carol Van Gelder, vocalists
Holly Schurr, Glockenspiel
The Sanctuary Choir of Immanuel Church

The mosaic "Christ Pantocrator" (in "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" and "Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring") was one of the first images of Christ developed in the Early Christian Church. It is located in the Hagia Sophia in Istanbul.

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