



Hope Lutheran Church

Order of Worship

First Sunday of Advent

November 27, 2022

Pastor Beth Schultz Byrnes

Music provided by Pat Tatzel & Voices of Hope

Prelude

Welcome

Confession and Forgiveness

Gathering Hymn*“Awake! Awake, and Greet the New Morn”*
[red 242]

Lighting of Advent Candle

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Children’s Time

Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the virgin Mary,
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,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come 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 Church

Voices of Hope *“Near to My Heart”*

Sharing the Peace

Mission Moment

The Great Thanksgiving

Words of Jesus

Lord’s Prayer

Lamb of God

Communion Distribution

Post Communion Prayer

Sunday School Dismissal

Hymn of the Day *“Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus” [red 254]*

Reading Isaiah 42:1-9

Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not

quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching.

Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: I am the Lord, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the Lord, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

Gospel ReadingMatthew 12:15-21

When Jesus became aware of this, he departed. Many crowds followed him, and he cured all of them, and he ordered them not to make him known. This was to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah: "Here is my servant, whom I have chosen, my beloved, with whom my soul is well pleased. I will put my Spirit upon him, and he will proclaim justice to the Gentiles. He will not wrangle or cry aloud, nor will anyone hear his voice in the streets. He will not break a bruised reed or quench a smoldering wick until he brings justice to victory. And in his name the Gentiles will hope."

Sermon

Blessing

Announcements

Sending Hymn*"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"* [red 257] v 1-4

Dismissal

Postlude