

After the final Petition:

P...who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen

OFFERING

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

LSB 208

LORD'S PRAYER

LSB 209

AGNUS DEI

LSB 210

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

O Come, O Come Emmanuel **LSB 357 (st. 6,7)**

Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates **LSB 340**

Hark the Glad Sound **LSB 349**

Comfort, Comfort Ye My People **LSB 347**

NUNC DIMITTIS

LSB 211

CLOSING HYMN

Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer

LSB 918

POSTLUDE

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The Order of Divine Service-Setting IV

The Fourth Sunday in Advent

Saturday, December 18, 2010

5:00 pm

† The Sacrament of the Altar: is celebrated today in the confidence that our Lord gives us His very body and blood to eat and drink in, with and under the bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our union with Him and one another. As we trust His words and repent of all sin, we proclaim His death until He returns. Since this act is a confession of our faith, anyone who is not yet instructed, in doubt, or holds a differing confession is asked first to speak with the Pastor.

† Reminders for Those Coming To the Lord's Table....

1. Children (those not yet receiving the Sacrament) are encouraged to approach the Lord's Table with their parent(s), in order to receive a blessing.
2. Women with lipstick are kindly asked to remove it prior to partaking from the common cup.
3. The cups in the center of the individual tray (containing the amber color liquid) are prepared for those who have a concern for alcohol consumption.

PRELUDE

OPENING HYMN

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

LSB 357 (st. 1,2,3)

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

LSB 203

INTROIT

Ps. 130:5–8; antiphon: Is. 64:1

P Oh that you would rend the heavens and come down,
that the mountains might quake at your presence.

**C I wait for the LORD, my soul waits,
and in his word I hope;**

P my soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning,
more than watchmen for the morning.

**C O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love,
and with him is plentiful redemption.**

P And he will redeem Israel
from all his iniquities.

To God Alone Be the Glory!

ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P Oh that you would rend the heavens and come down, that the mountains might quake at your presence.

KYRIE

LSB 204

COLLECT

P Stir up Your power, O Lord, and come and help us by Your might, that the sins which weigh us down may be quickly lifted by Your grace and mercy; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

G Amen

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 7:10–17

¹⁰Again the LORD spoke to Ahaz, ¹¹“Ask a sign of the LORD your God; let it be deep as Sheol or high as heaven.” ¹²But Ahaz said, “I will not ask, and I will not put the LORD to the test.” ¹³And he said, “Hear then, O house of David! Is it too little for you to weary men, that you weary my God also? ¹⁴Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel. ¹⁵He shall eat curds and honey when he knows how to refuse the evil and choose the good. ¹⁶For before the boy knows how to refuse the evil and choose the good, the land whose two kings you dread will be deserted. ¹⁷The LORD will bring upon you and upon your people and upon your father’s house such days as have not come since the day that Ephraim departed from Judah—the king of Assyria.”

L This is the Word of the Lord

G Thanks be to God

GRADUAL

Zech. 9:9; Ps. 118:26, alt.

P Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion. Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem. Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. From the house of the Lord we bless you.

EPISTLE

Romans 1:1–7

¹Paul, a servant of Christ Jesus, called to be an apostle, set apart for the gospel of God, ²which he promised beforehand through his prophets in the holy Scriptures, ³concerning his Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh ⁴and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by

his resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord, ⁵through whom we have received grace and apostleship to bring about the obedience of faith for the sake of his name among all the nations, ⁶including you who are called to belong to Jesus Christ, ⁷To all those in Rome who are loved by God and called to be saints: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

L This is the Word of the Lord

G Thanks be to God

ALLELUIA and VERSE

LSB 205

HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 1:18–25

G Glory to You, O Lord.

¹⁸Now the birth of Jesus Christ took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been betrothed to Joseph, before they came together she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit. ¹⁹And her husband Joseph, being a just man and unwilling to put her to shame, resolved to divorce her quietly. ²⁰But as he considered these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, “Joseph, son of David, do not fear to take Mary as your wife, for that which is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.” ²²All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet: ²³“Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall call his name Immanuel” (which means, God with us). ²⁴When Joseph woke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him: he took his wife, ²⁵but knew her not until she had given birth to a son. And he called his name Jesus.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord

G Praise to You O Christ

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LSB 206

HYMN

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

LSB 357 (st. 4,5)

SERMON

“Immanuel”

Isaiah 7:10-14

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

After each Petition:

P Lord, in Your mercy

-OR-

P Let us pray to the Lord

G Hear our prayer

G Lord, have mercy