

Contemporary Service 9:00

December 1, 2019



"And you, child, will be called the prophet of the Most High; for you will go before the LORD to prepare his ways."

Hope Lutheran Church

December 1, 2019

9:00 am



Welcome

Pastor Kristin

Gathering Song

Here I Am to Worship

Lighting of the Advent Candle and Prayer of the Day

Song

Trading My Sorrows



OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Isaiah 7:10-17

¹⁰Again the LORD spoke to Ahaz, saying, ¹¹Ask 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. ¹³Then Isaiah said: "Hear then, O house of David! Is it too little for you to weary mortals, that you weary my God also?"

¹⁴Therefore the LORD himself will give you a sign. Look, the young woman is with child and shall bear a son, and shall name him Immanuel. ¹⁵He shall eat curds and honey by the time he knows how to refuse the evil and choose the good. ¹⁶For before the child knows how to refuse the evil and choose the good, the land before whose two kings you are in dread will be deserted. ¹⁷The LORD will bring on you and on your people and on your ancestral house such days as have not come since the day that Ephraim departed from Judah — the king of Assyria." (NRSV)

Pastor The Word of the Lord
People Thanks be to God



Children’s Message Pastor Kristin

Message **The Prophets** Pastor Kristin

Response to the Message *O Come, O Come Emmanuel*

Call to Confession

The Prayers of the People

Each petition ends with *Hear us O God*, and people respond **Your mercy is great.**

Sharing of the Peace

Pastor: The Peace of Christ be with you always

People: **And also with you.**

Offering *A Christmas Hallelujah*

Celebration of Communion and The Lord’s Prayer

Communion will be received today by intinction: taking a wafer in your hand, please dip it into the chalice choosing either the wine or grape juice, consume it, and then you may return to your seat. Gluten free wafers are available—just let the pastor know if that’s what you prefer.

Communion Blessing

Benediction

Sending Song

All the People Said Amen!

Leader: As you go into the world, remember our mission!

All: Live out Servant Love

All: Show Hospitality

All: Extend Generosity

All: Worship the Risen Lord

Leader: Go in peace, a living example of the love of Jesus Christ

All: Thanks be to God

