

December 13, 2020

Kirk O' The Valley
Presbyterian Church



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For Unto Us a Child Is Born

10:00 a.m.

Welcome & Prayer - Pastor Len Tiso

Praise Music - "He Shall Reign Forevermore" - Mark Bailey

Verse 1

In the bleak mid-winter
All creation groans
For a world in darkness
Frozen like a stone
Light is breaking
In a stable for a throne

Chorus

(And) He shall reign forevermore forevermore
And He shall reign forevermore forevermore
Unto us a Child is born
The King of kings and Lord of lords
And He shall reign forevermore forevermore

Verse 2

If I were a wise man
I would travel far
If I were a shepherd
I would do my part
But poor as I am
I will give to Him my heart

Repeat Chorus

Bridge

Here within a manger lies the One
Who made the starry skies
This baby born for sacrifice
Christ the Messiah
Into our hopes into our fears
The Savior of the world appears
The promise of eternal years
Christ the Messiah

Repeat Chorus, Repeat Chorus

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Announcements - Pastor Len Tiso

Call to Worship - Pastor Len Tiso

Alleluia the Christ child comes,
And we await his birth.
Let us throw off our distractions,
And allow the chaos to settle.
Let us watch for the signs,
And listen to the messengers.
Let us stand on tiptoe,
And shout aloud and sing.
Something new is emerging,
Something new is being birthed.

Advent Candle Lighting - Third Sunday of Advent - Curt & Deb Hill

Opening Advent Hymn - "His Name is Wonderful" - Mark Bailey

Verse 1

Come see the baby
Crib for a bed

His mother Mary
Lay down His sweet head
The starlight was shining
The wise men were led
Come see the baby
And worship Him

Chorus

(His name is) Wonderful Counselor
Mighty God Prince of Peace
Everlasting Father
Emmanuel
Holy One Son of God
Savior of the world

Verse 2

Come and adore Him
On bended knee
He came to ransom
Someone like me
What could I offer
What could I bring
Come and adore Him
King of kings

Bridge

And the greatness of His reign will never end
Let there be peace on earth
And all goodwill to men
Come let us worship Him

Repeat Chorus

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Scripture Reading - Pastor Len Tiso

Isaiah 9:6: For unto us a Child is born,
Unto us a Son is given;
And the government will be upon His shoulder.
And His name will be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Reader: This is The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

Message - "Everlasting Father" - Pastor Len Tiso

Response Hymn - "Of The Father's Love Begotten " - Eric Cloud #309

Verse 1

Of the Father's love begotten,
Ere the worlds began to be,
He is Alpha and Omega,
He the source, the ending He,
Of the things that are, that have been,
And that future years shall see,
Evermore and evermore!

Verse 2

O ye heights of heaven adore Him;
Angel hosts, His praises sing;
Powers, dominions, bow before Him,
And extol our God and King;
Let no tongue on earth be silent,
Every voice in concert ring,
Evermore and evermore!

Verse 3

Christ, to Thee with God the Father,
And, O Holy Ghost, to Thee,
Hymn and chant with high thanksgiving,
And unwearied praises be:
Honor, glory, and dominion,
And eternal victory,
Evermore and evermore!
Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

People: 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, the power and the glory, for ever. Amen.

A Moment with our Children... As they share what they learned in Sunday School

Closing Song - "Glory (Let There Be Peace) " - Mark Bailey

Verse 1

One star
Burns in the darkness
Shines with the promise Emmanuel
One child
Born in the stillness

Living within us Emmanuel

Chorus

We're singing Glory Glory
Let there be peace let there be peace
Singing Glory Glory
Let there be peace let it start in me

Verse 2

One voice
Speaks for the voiceless
Hope for the hopeless Emmanuel
One love
Brings us together
Now and forever Emmanuel

Repeat Chorus

Bridge

Do not be afraid
His love is strong enough to save us
Nothing stands in the way
His love is strong enough to lead us
(REPEAT)

Repeat Chorus

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Benediction - Pastor Len Tiso

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Christmas Toy Drive - Please join others within the Kirk community in helping the Family Rescue Center give families in need a wonderful holiday! For the past 9 years, our Kirk community has donated new toys, gift cards & money to the Family Rescue Center for their Christmas event. We will be continuing the tradition with a toy drive from 12/4-12/18. This year's event will be held on Saturday, 12/19, from 9am-2pm.. Donations for children ages 3-18 may be made in the Kirk office.

Volunteering Opportunities with North Valley Caring Services (NVCS)

- **Food Box Deliveries** - NVCS has joined a new program to deliver food boxes to families and seniors in and around the San Fernando Valley. NVCS is looking for volunteers that can deliver the boxes on Mon, Tues, and Wed from 9am-1pm. Volunteers go to NVCS, pick up boxes for delivery, call people they are delivering to let them know a delivery is coming so they are available, and make sure the person answers the door upon delivery.

- Receive Orders - NVCS is also separately looking for volunteers who stay onsite at NVCS to help receive orders from the DoorDash drivers that bring the food boxes.
- To get involved or ask questions, email Silvia Robles at srobles@nvcsinc.org

Children's Ministry - We are having virtual Sunday School for our children. The current theme is "*December to Remember*". Here is the schedule:

10:00 am - 10:05 am Music with Nathan (Words will be provided on the screen)

10:05 am - 10:20 am Preschool Sunday School

10:20 AM - 11:15 am Grade School Sunday School

For questions about Children's Ministries please email us at: childrensministries@kirkval.org

Offerings

Although we are not gathered in our sanctuary on Sunday mornings, we still have two ways to give:

1. Write a check, made out to the Kirk O'The Valley Presbyterian Church, with a designation in the bottom left corner for General Fund, or a specific fund. Mail it to:
Kirk O' The Valley Presbyterian Church
19620 Vanowen Street,
Reseda CA 91335.
2. Online... It only takes 5 minutes to setup
 - a. Go to the website: www.kirkval.org
 - b. Create your online profile.
 - c. Log in
 - d. Go to donations. Complete all information there.
 - e. Put in your donation and credit card info.
 - f. The money will be sent to the Kirk.
 - g. All online information is private and is not shared.

Please know that your generous offering is greatly appreciated and will keep the Kirk and its outreach alive and well. Thank you for your generosity!

Kirk Family Photos: Count Your Blessings - Keep connected with your Kirk family by sharing photos of what you and your family are doing during this time of stay safe at home. It is simple, snap a fun picture and tell us a little about the picture. Then email both to: fellowship@kirkval.org.

Make sure you visit the church blog to view the pictures. It can be found at the Kirk Website at www.kirkval.org. On the home page, click on the fellowship tab and use the drop down menu to find "Count Your Blessings"

Prayer - Please email us with any praise reports or prayer requests at fellowship@kirkval.org. We would love to pray alongside you!

Contact Us - If you are new to the Kirk, have questions about our community, and/or would like someone to contact you, please email us at fellowship@kirkval.org.

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