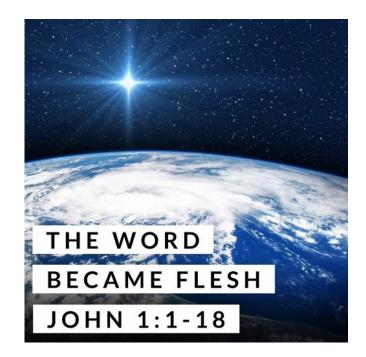


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Welcome

Prelude

The First Noel

*Call to Worship

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

Ascribe to the Anointed the glory due to Christ's name.

We bow down to the Messiah in the splendor of holiness.

***Opening Hymn**

There's A Song in the Air UMH 249

*Invocation

There are not many of us noble, O God, and our adoration of the Christ Child is more the approach of the shepherds than of the Wise Men. Receive our worship as from the humble, whatever our status in society, as we are unworthy to come before you except through our intermediary whom you sent to us and for us, the Baby of Bethlehem, the Man of Nazareth, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Psalm of the Day (responsive) 147 UMH 859

The Prayers of the People

Celebration of Birthdays/Anniversaries Our Joys and Concerns

Invitation To Offering

The Offertory	
*Doxology UN	1H 95
Prayer	
Lord's Prayer	
Hymn of Preparation	We Three Kings UMH 254
Reading the Word	Matthew 2:1-12 John 1:(1-9), 10-18
Response	
The Word of God for the	people of God.
Thanks be to God!	
Meditation	
The Sacrament of Holy Communion	
The Sending Song	Star-Child FWS 2095
*Benediction and Blessing	
Blessing Song	Want to Walk as a Child of the Light UMH 206 v1

* Please stand

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