

THE LORD'S DAY—THE 2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 6, 2020

10:00 A.M.

“Promises Made—Promises Kept”

And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, “Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God.” Revelation 21:2-4

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PRAYER

Psalm 119:49-50

Remember your word to your servant, in which you have made me hope. This is my comfort in my affliction, that your promise gives me life. Amen

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Luke 1:68-75

Pastor: *Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has come to his people and redeemed them. He has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David (as he said through his holy prophets of long ago), salvation from our enemies and from the hand of all who hate us—*

People: *to show mercy to our ancestors and to remember his holy covenant, the oath he swore to our father Abraham: to rescue us from the hand of our enemies, and to enable us to serve him without fear in holiness and righteousness before him all our days.*

HYMN OF PRAISE

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O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

*PRAYER OF ADORATION

CONFESSION OF FAITH

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The Nicene Creed

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Genesis 12:1-9

PREACHING OF THE WORD

Pastor Mike Schuelke

The Promise of Heaven

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

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Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

*BENEDICTION

Hebrews 13:20-21

May the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing his will, and may he work in us what is pleasing to him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

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