

First Baptist Church in Beverly

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at "First Baptist Church in Beverly"

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Songs from the Stable

Advent 2021



Sunday, November 28-Sunday, December 26, 2021
First Baptist Church in Beverly

**Welcome to Worship
at First Baptist Church in Beverly!**

We welcome you to worship this morning. If you did not have the chance to sign in on your way into the service, we invite you to do so as you leave; this helps us to know you were here and gives you the opportunity to share with us any prayer requests you may have or to request more information about our church. We are so pleased to gather with you! You can also speak with Julie Flowers or Daniel Johnson (our Congregational Engagement Associate) following the service.

There are Prayer Request cards in the pew rack in front of you. If you would like to take a moment to fill one out with a prayer concern you would like shared or like the ministers to know, please do so, and then place it in the offering plate when they are passed. Prayer concerns that should be kept for ministers only should have that designation written on them.

The greeters this morning are Pam Constantine and Jeanne Fonda.

The chancel flowers this morning are given in loving memory of Bill & Betty Megrath by their daughter, Suzanne.

*Indicates Congregation Standing As They Are Able

***Indicates latecomers may be seated



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ORDER OF WORSHIP
First Sunday of Advent

November 28, 2021

10:00 a.m.

Tolling of the Hour

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Julie Flowers

(If you have not yet had the opportunity to turn off your cell phone, please do so now)

Moment of Preparation

Call to Worship

The Armstrong/Johnstone Family

Lighting of the Advent Wreath—The Candle of Hope

***Hymn 119**

VENI EMMANUEL

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

***Invocation, Lord's Prayer, (debts),**

Daniel Johnson

and Gloria in Excelsis Deo (155 chorus)

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, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Stepsitters

Rev. Julie Flowers

Special Music

God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen
Lisa Stoneham, trombone

R. Walters

***Benediction**

Daniel Johnson

***Postlude**

Scripture Readings

Isaiah 40:3-8; 60:1-3

Pew Bible pg. O.T. 517

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Events This Week:

Morning Prayer

Rev. Jaimie Crumley

Word Searchers Adult Bible Study—11:30 a.m. today in the Office Wing Conference Room

***Hymn 138**

Awake! Awake and Greet the New Morn

REJOICE, REJOICE

Middle School Fellowship - WALKING IN THE HOLIDAY PARADE—meet at 11:30 a.m. today in the church gym to help prepare our float; parade steps off at 1 p.m. from Beverly High School; pick-up from the church parking lot around 3 p.m.

Sermon

“Rejoice, Rejoice”

Rev. Jaimie Crumley

Senior High Fellowship - today at 6–9 p.m.

Morning Offering

Call to Giving
Offertory

Rev. Julie Flowers
J. Martin

Online Fellowship and Books - Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.


Zoom Coffee Hour - Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

Bethlehem Wind

Blow, Blow, Bethlehem wind, over the hills and the valleys. Blow, blow, Bethlehem wind, God’s promise of love and salvation. Blow, blow, Spirit of Truth, carry the news of a Saviour. Blow, blow, Spirit of God, preparing the word for God’s Son. Blow, blow, Bethlehem wind, carry the song of the angels. Blow, blow, Bethlehem wind, blow. Blow, blow, Sprit of Hope, scatter the leaves of our sorrow. Blow, blow Spirit of God, warm the whole world with your love. Alleluia.

At 1:15 p.m. today there will be light refreshments available in the entryway of the church before the Holiday Parade. Plan to join your FBC friends and family.

For more information on these and other programs of the church check the QR Code on the pew card in front of you or www.fbcbeverly.org!

 Doxology (48) Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all creatures here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; one God, triune, whom we adore. Amen.

***Hymn 129**

Lift Up Your Heads, O Mighty Gates

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