



LEESBURG

United Methodist Church



Worship Program for December 13, 2020, 10 am Third Sunday of Advent

To have a prayer request shared during worship, let us know before "Prayers in the Stillness" begins by using the livestream chat feature or [this link](#) .

We Gather

Prelude	“People Look East” (arr. Lau)	Michelle Pinkney
Welcome		Rev. Jim Wishmyer
Entering the Sacred	<i>Sacred time, sacred space, sacred presence</i>	
Candle Lighting and Prayer	“I Believe” (Mark Miller)	Katrina Broglio, Michelle Pinkney, and Rev. Heather Wray
Hymn	“Hail to the Lord’s Anointed” (vs. 1, 2, & 4)	

Verse 1

Hail to the Lord's Anointed,
great David's greater Son!
Hail in the time appointed,
his reign on earth begun!
He comes to break oppression,
to set the captive free;
to take away transgression,
and rule in equity.

Verse 2

He comes with succor speedy
to those who suffer wrong;
to help the poor and needy,
and bid the weak be strong;

to give them songs for sighing,
their darkness turn to light,
whose souls, condemned and dying,
are precious in his sight.

Verse 4

To him shall prayer unceasing
and daily vows ascend;
his kingdom still increasing,
a kingdom without end.
The tide of time shall never
his covenant remove;
his name shall stand forever;
that name to us is love.

We Proclaim

Our Time to Shine	“This Little Light of Mine”	Rev. Jim Wishmyer
The Prophet Isaiah	Isaiah 57:14-19	Ruggles Family
Instrumental Interlude	“I Believe” (Mark Miller)	Michelle Pinkney

The Evangelist [Luke 1:1-4; 26-56](#) Heather Klein
Message "I Believe in God... Because of Joy!" Rev. Jim Wishmyer

We Respond

Ode to Joy Rev. Jim Wishmyer, Michelle Pinkney

Litany of Belief

Prayers in the Stillness "In the Stillness" (Mark Miller) K. Broglio and M. Pinkney
Prayers of the People

Offering to Fill the Night with Love
(You can give online at leesburgumc.org/online-giving/)

Doxology "O Come, All Ye Faithful"

We Go Forth

Carol of Joy "Light of the Stable" Raising Praise

Verse 1

Hail, hail to the newborn King
Let our voices sing Him our praises
Hail, hail to the guiding light
That brought us tonight to our Savior

Chorus

Halle, Hallelujah! Halle, Hallelujah!
Halle, Hallelujah! Halle, Hallelujah!

Verse 2

Come now, let it shine so bright
To the knowing light of the stable
Feel close to the Child so dear
Cast aside your fear and be thankful

Repeat: Verse 1, Chorus, Verse 1

Final Chorus

Halle, Hallelujah! Halle, Hallelujah!
Halle, Hallelujah! Halle, Hallelujah!
Lelujah

Benediction

Handbell Benediction "I Believe" (arr. Rhoades) Hardman Family

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