



# A Service of Lessons and Carols

Trinity CRC  
December 15, 2019



WELCOME

- \* OPENING SONG: *O Come, All Ye Faithful* PsH 340
- \* CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 96
- \* SONG: *Once in Royal David's City* PsH 346

## FIRST LESSON - Genesis 3:8-15

Adam and Eve disobey God's command and disrupt the order and goodness of creation

CAROL: *O Little Town of Bethlehem* LUYH 88

## SECOND LESSON - Genesis 22:15-18

God promises that, through Abraham, all the peoples of the world will be blessed

CAROL: *O Come, O Come Emmanuel* PsH 328

## THIRD LESSON - Isaiah 9:2, 6-7

The prophet foretells the coming of the Savior

CAROL: *It Came Upon the Midnight Clear*

## FOURTH LESSON - Isaiah 11:1-4a, 6-9

The Messiah will come from the root of Jesse to restore the peace of creation

CAROL: *Infant Holy, Infant Lowly* PsH 353

## FIFTH LESSON - Luke 1:26-38

An angel appears to Mary and announces that she will bear a holy child

- \* CAROL: *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing* PsH 345

## SIXTH LESSON - Luke 2:1; 3-7

Joseph and Mary travel to Bethlehem, where Mary gives birth to her child

CAROL: *Away in a Manger* PsH 348

## SEVENTH LESSON - Luke 2:8-16

Angels appear to shepherds in the fields and announce the birth of the Messiah

- \* CAROL: *Angels We Have Heard on High* PsH 347

## EIGHTH LESSON - Matthew 2:1-12

Magi from the East come seeking the Messiah and offer gifts to the baby Jesus

CAROL: *We Three Kings of Orient Are*

## NINTH LESSON - John 1:1-14

The Word of God becomes flesh and lives among us, full of grace and truth

- \* CAROL: *Silent Night, Holy Night* PsH 344

\* THE LORD'S PRAYER

\* GOD'S PARTING BLESSING

- \* SENDING SONG: *Joy to the World* PsH 337