December 20, 2015 Fourth Sunday of Advent

Welcome!

Your presence here today has made our worship all the more special. We hope our worship will be a blessing to you. Our Lord's Supper is being celebrated today. Everyone is welcome to receive this Holy Sacrament.

Announcements

Song: Little Children, Can You Tell

Adults: Little children, can you tell,
Do you know the story well,
Every girl and every boy,
Why the angels sing for joy
On the Christmas morning?

Children: Yes, we know the story well;

Listen now, and hear us tell, Every girl and every boy, Why the angels sing for joy On the Christmas morning.

MARY AND JOSEPH RECEIVE SURPRISING NEWS

Narrator: Payton McLeod

THE STORY OF JESUS' BIRTH Narrator: Adam Kleinsmith

Hymn.....#269 Once in Royal David's City

THE SHEPHERDS' SURPRISE Narrator: Payton McLeod

Hymn#293 That Boy Child of Mary

PRAYER: Carole McLeod Sharing of the Peace

MEAL

Offering

Offertory Hymn#253 He Came Down

(during the receiving of the offering)

Offertory Prayer

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Communion Hymns#487, #294

Prayer after Communion

Blessing

Sending Song#267 Joy to the World

Many hands make work light... sincere thanks to the following people who shared their God-given talents and made our "work" light!

Musical Director: Lily Jasinskas

"Saarinen Seven" Coach: Nicole Quait

Teachers: Jenn Rusk-Medland, Lori Kleinsmith and

Ana Lorraine Stirling

Technical Support: Jordan Rusk

Extra Helping Hands: Parents and Grandparents

Angel Gowns: Lydia Jasinskas

A Christmas Surprise CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mary: Sammi Bulitz

Joseph: Mason Teather

Narrators: Payton McLeod and Adam Kleinsmith

Innkeeper Boxes: Pastor Jukka, Sinikka and Brian

Speck

Voice of Caesar: Jordan Rusk

Owner of an inn: Malcolm Allcorn

"Senior" Angel: Renée Jasinskas

Junior Angels: Lily Teather, Olivia Saarinen, Alexis

Quait, Jordyn Quait, Josephine Murdock

Shepherds: Lucas Murdock, Owen Murdock, Jacob

Saarinen, Isaac McLeod

Sheep: Royce Hutchinson and Pierce Hutchinson

Poets: Caleb Medland, Jenika Medland, Abby Teather,

Matthew Kleinsmith, Morgan Bulitz

"The Saarinen Seven:" Jordyn and Alexis Quait; Olivia and Jacob Saarinen; Owen, Lucas and Josephine Murdock

Finger Play 1: Royce and Pierce Hutchinson; Owen, Lucas and Josephine Murdock; Jacob Saarinen

Echo Pantomine: Lily Teather, Olivia Saarinen, Alexis

and Jordyn Quait; Isaac McLeod

Finger Play 2: both above groups