## Praise

***Call to Worship** – *from Revelation 22:17 and the Lord's Prayer*

*Leader:* The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come." And let the one who hears say, "Come." And let the one who is thirsty come; let the one who desires take the water of life without price.

*People:* **Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name!**

***O Come All Ye Faithful**

***Prayer of Adoration** – *from Rev 22:20 and the Lord's Prayer*

*Leader:* Surely I am coming soon.

*People:* **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus! Your Kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Prayer of adoration**

***O Come O Come Emmanuel (v. 1-3)**

**Advent Reading –** *Luke 2:25-35; Matthew 2:1-18* Furieri family

**Prayers of the People** – *Romans 8:31-32* – Kent Saugier

*Leader:* If God is for us, who can be against us? [32] He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?

*People:* **Give us this day our daily bread.**

**Prayers of the people**

## Renewal

**Confession of Sin** — *adapted Rev 22:12-13 and the Lord's Prayer*

*Leader:* "Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay each one for what he has done. [13] I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

*All:* **Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.**

***Silent confession***

***Manger Throne**

***Assurance of Pardon** — *from Rev 22:14-15*

*Leader:* Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they may have the right to the tree of life and that they may enter the city by the gates. [15] Outside are the dogs and sorcerers and the sexually immoral and murderers and idolaters, and everyone who loves and practices falsehood.

*People:* **Praise be to God!**

***What Child is This? (Hymn 213)**

## Commitment

**Children's Worship Training** – *Children are dismissed with children's ministry leaders for a time of worship training, which is designed for but not limited to children 5 and under. Please remember to pick up your child in the Ed building after worship.*

**Offertory –** *Christ Child Lullaby*

**Prayer of Preparation**

*Leader:* Lord, as we look to your Word

*People:* **Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

***Scripture Reading** – *Ephesians 2:1-10*

**Sermon** – *Good Works and Your Salvation* – Rev. Tim McKeown[1]

***O Come O Come Emmanuel (v. 4-5)**

**Community Life**

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***Benediction** – *from Galatians 1:3-5*

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, [4] who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, [5] to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

***Dismissal — adapted from Isaiah 6:8**

*Leader:* I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?"

*People:* **Here I am! Send me.**

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# Let Earth Receive Her King

## 4th Sunday of Advent
## December 20, 2015

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