



**Worship Sunday December 8, 2024**  
 Second Sunday of Advent

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**Welcome, Guests!** Connection Cards are located in the chair racks or on the credenza in the Fellowship Room. Guests are invited to fill these out and place them in the offering plate if they would like more information about the ministry at Trinity or would like the pastor to contact them.

Worship content is found on the screen in front of the sanctuary or in the red ELW hymnal or The Other Songbook located under the seat in front of you. The larger numbers toward the back of the hymnal are the songs numbers referenced in this outline

PRELUDE Sarah Soderberg

Thanks to Sarah Soderberg for providing musical accompaniment today.

Gathering  
 Confession and Forgiveness  
 Gathering Hymn *All Earth is Hopeful* ELW #266  
 Lighting of The Advent Wreath Week Two - "Peace"  
 Advent Dialogue *Prayer of St. Francis*  
 Advent Wreath Hymn *He Came Down*— vs. 1, 3 ELW #253  
 Greeting  
 Prayer of the Day

Word  
 Bible Reading Malachi 3: 1-4  
 Psalmody Luke 1: 66-80  
 Children's Message "The Real St. Nick" Judy Larson  
 Gospel Acclamation *Awake! Awake and Greet the New Morn*—vs. 1 ELW #242  
 Gospel Luke 3: 1-6

Sermon "Being Open to God's Word" Pastor Julie Brenden  
 Hymn of the Day *Blessed Be the God of Israel* ELW # 250  
 Nicene Creed  
 Prayers of Intercession  
 Peace  
 Offering and Song *Accept, O Lord the Gifts We Bring* ELW #691  
 Offering Prayer  
 Lord's Prayer

Sending  
 Announcements  
 Blessing  
 Sending Song *Guide My Feet*—vs. 1, 4, 5 ELW #987  
 Dismissal

Thank you for joining us for worship today!  
 Don't forget you can always watch our worship services online at:  
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