

Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of December 30, 2018

Praise

Call to Worship: *(everyone together)*

And the angel said to them, “Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a Baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger.” And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, “Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom He is pleased!”

Luke 2.10-14

“From the Squalor of a Borrowed Stable” *(read or sing these words together)*

Please see the hymn on page six.

Hearing and Learning God’s Word

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 8.9; 1 Timothy 6.17-19 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

Questions for Discussion: *(may be answered in one worship time or spread over several times)*

1. How was Jesus rich?
2. How are we poor?
3. How did Jesus become poor?
4. What does it mean to become rich in Christ?
5. How are riches in Christ different from riches in the world?
6. Why is generosity evidence that we know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ?
7. What are some specific ways we could be sacrificially generous in 2019?

Scripture Memory for December: *(memorize this passage of Scripture this month)*

Luke 2.11-14

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¹²And this will be a sign for you: you will find a Baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger.” ¹³And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, ¹⁴“Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom He is pleased!”

Prayer

Prayer: *(saying together)*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.