

Prayer Concerns

Praying for each other is an integral part of our life together as a church, especially in times like these. If you have prayer concerns, you can email Rev. John D'Elia at pray@fpcslo.org.

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THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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WORSHIP AT FIRST PRES

Thank you for joining us!

PRELUDE

“Lento” Sarah Jane Scott
*Please use this time for quiet reflection. J. Rinck

WELCOME AND INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Rev. John D'Elia

HYMN OF PRAISE

“Infant Holy, Infant Lowly” (#37)

LIGHTING THE ADVENT CANDLE

Pam Rodewald, Kay Emmons,
and Charlotte Roberts

THE CONFESSION AND PARDON

Margo Smith

WORSHIP IN SONG

“Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming” (#48)

NEWS OF THE CHURCH

A TIME OF PRAYER

TIME WITH CHILDREN

WE CONFESS OUR FAITH

“The Confession of Belhar”

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 119:41-48

ANTHEM

“In The Bleak Midwinter” Holst/Ellingboe

MESSAGE

Advent Series
“To Love (and Obey)” Rev. John D'Elia
John 14:15-21

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory Sarah Jane Scott
“Gabriel Message” J. Coppieters

SONG OF COMMITMENT

“It Came Upon The Midnight Clear” (#38)

DECLARATION OF MISSION AND BLESSING

Friends, what is our mission?

Our mission is to glorify Jesus Christ and to be instruments of God's healing, reconciling, life-giving presence in the world.

POSTLUDE

“Vom Himmel hoch, da komm ich her” Sarah Jane Scott
F.W. Zachau

Participants:

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