

Away in a manger,
No crib for His bed
The little Lord Jesus
Laid down His sweet head

The stars in the bright sky
Looked down where He lay
The little Lord Jesus
Asleep on the hay

The cattle are lowing
The poor Baby wakes
But little Lord Jesus
No crying He makes

I love Thee, Lord Jesus
Look down from the sky
And stay by my side,
'Til morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus,
I ask Thee to stay
Close by me forever
And love me I pray

Bless all the dear children
In Thy tender care
And take us to heaven
To live with Thee there

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Christmas Eve Service, 7:00 pm Monday
December 24th.

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Cottonwood Community Church

December 16, 2007

Sunday Devotion: 9:30 am
Worship: 10:00 am

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Opening Prayer

Old Testament Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1-13

Lighting The Advent Candle

Hymn # 61, O Little Town Of Bethlehem

Psalms 39:12-40:3

(12) Hear my prayer, O Jehovah, and give ear to my cry. Do not be silent at my tears; for I am a stranger with You, a pilgrim, as all my fathers were. (13) Look away from me, and I will smile before I go away and be no more.

(1) . I waited patiently for Jehovah; and He bowed down to me, and heard my cry. (2) He brought me up also out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay, *and* set my feet on a rock, and gave sureness to my steps.

(3) And He has put a new song in my mouth, praise to our God; many shall see *it* and fear, and shall trust in Jehovah.

Hymn, Away In A Manger (back of bulletin)

Mystery Box Message

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

New Testament Reading: Luke 2:1-7

Special Music

Congregational Prayer / Lord's Prayer

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 sins
as we forgive those who have sinned against us.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever.

Amen.

**Third Sunday In Advent: Bethlehem
Micah 5:2-5a**

Closing Prayer

Closing Hymn #58 Joy To The World!

Benediction: Jude verses 24-25

Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling,
And to present you faultless Before the presence of His
glory with exceeding joy, To God our Savior, Who alone
is wise, Be glory and majesty, Dominion and power, Both
now and forevermore. Amen.