

## The First Noel

1) The First Noel, the Angels did say  
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay  
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep  
On a cold winter's night that was so deep.  
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel  
Born is the King of Israel!

2) They looked up and saw a star  
Shining in the East beyond them far  
And to the earth it gave great light  
And so it continued both day and night.  
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel  
Born is the King of Israel!

3) Then let us all with one accord  
Sing praises to our heavenly Lord  
That hath made Heaven and earth of nought  
And with his blood mankind has bought.  
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel  
Born is the King of Israel!

# Cottonwood Community Church

November 27 2011  
First Sunday In Advent

Sunday Devotion, 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday Worship, 10:00 a.m.

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Welcome

The Collect

Isaiah 62:10-11, Jeremiah 23:5-6, Malachi 4:2-3.

**Go through, Go through the gates! Prepare the way for the people; Build up, Build up the highway! Take out the stones, Lift up a banner for the peoples!**

Indeed the LORD has proclaimed To the end of the world:  
"Say to the daughter of Zion, 'Surely your salvation is coming; Behold, His reward *is* with Him, And His work before Him.' "

**"Behold, *the days are coming,*" says the LORD,  
"That I will raise to David a Branch of  
righteousness; A King shall reign and prosper, And  
execute judgment and righteousness in the earth.**

In His days Judah will be saved, And Israel will dwell safely;  
Now this *is* His name by which He will be called: THE LORD  
OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS.

**But to you who fear My name The Sun of  
Righteousness shall arise With healing in His wings;  
And you shall go out And grow fat like stall-fed  
calves.**

You shall trample the wicked, For they shall be ashes under  
the soles of your feet On the day that I do *this,*" Says the  
LORD of hosts.

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Lighting The Advent Candle

Hymn 108: O Come Emmanuel

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 9:6-7

Hymn : The First Noel (Back Of Bulletin)

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Hymn 58: Joy To The World

New Testament Reading: Luke 1:67-80

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### First Sunday In Advent: Prophecy

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Congregational 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 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.

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Hymn 39: Lord Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing

Now may the God of peace who brought up our Lord Jesus  
from the dead, that great Shepherd of the sheep, through the  
blood of the everlasting covenant, make you complete in  
every good work to do His will, working in you what is well  
pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom *be* glory  
forever and ever. Amen.