



On the Way to Bethlehem

Third Sunday in Advent - JOY

December 15, 2024

We Set Off

GREETING

LIGHT FOR THE JOURNEY – Advent Candle Lighting

Candle Lighting Liturgy

Theme Song: *Hope is a Candle (Joy)*

OPENING PRAYER

PASSING THE PEACE

WORD IN MUSIC by Praise Team: *Glory* – Mary Rice Hopkins

CHILD/PARENT DEDICATION

HYMN #318: *Joy to the World* (vs 1, 2 & 4)

Children & Chimes

The Place and Its Message

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 1: 26-38, Romans 15: 12-13

MEDITATION

CANTICLE BELL ANTHEM: *Gaudete* – arr. Carl Wiltse

MEDITATION

What We See Changes Us

GUIDED BY PRAYER

Sharing

Prayer Song #353: *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying*

Prayer

CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM: *Christmas Sanctus* – Dengler

GIFTS ALONG THE WAY: MOMENT FOR GIVING

Moving On

CLOSING HYMN #180: *The Angel Gabriel*

SENDING



We are seekers:

learning to trust in God's love,
desiring to live and serve in the way of Jesus,
celebrating diversity while pursuing unity,
nurturing gratitude and generosity,
welcoming all!

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