



On the Way to Bethlehem

Fourth Sunday in Advent - LOVE

December 22, 2024

We Set Off

GREETING

*LIGHT FOR THE JOURNEY – Advent Candle Lighting
Candle Lighting Liturgy
Theme Song: *Hope is a Candle (Love)*

*OPENING PRAYER

*PASSING THE PEACE

*OPENING HYMN #208 *Love Came Down at Christmas*
(stanzas 1 & 3)

The Place and Its Message

THE WORD IN MUSIC: *Little Donkey* – Children’s Ensemble

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

SCRIPTURE READING: Romans 13: 8-11, Luke 2: 1-14

MESSAGE: “Bethlehem: A Place of Humility”

What We See Changes Us

GUIDED BY PRAYER

Sharing

Prayer Song: Suppl. #7 *Spirit of Life (Spirit of Love)*

Prayer

GIFTS ALONG THE WAY: MOMENT FOR GIVING

Moving On

*CLOSING HYMN #197: *Angels We Have Heard on High*

*SENDING

*You are invited to stand in body or spirit.



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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