

CLOSING HYMN

1. TO us a child of royal birth,
Heir of the promises, is given;
The invisible appears on earth,
The Son of Man, the God of
heaven.
2. A Saviour born, in love
supreme
He comes our fallen souls to
raise;
He comes His people to redeem
With all His plenitude of grace.
3. The Christ, by raptured seers
foretold,
Filled with the eternal Spirit's
power,
Prophet, and Priest, and King
behold,
And Lord of all the worlds adore.
4. The Lord of hosts, the God
most high,
who quits His throne on earth to
live,
with joy we welcome from the
sky,
with faith into our hearts receive.

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I Believe in God the Father
Almighty, Maker of
heaven and earth: And in
Jesus Christ, His only Son
our Lord, Who was
conceived by the Holy
Ghost, Born of the Virgin
Mary, Suffered under
Pontius Pilate, Was
crucified, dead, and
buried, He descended into
hell; The third day he rose
again from the dead, he
ascended into heaven,
And sitteth on the right
hand of God the Father
Almighty; From thence He
shall come to judge the
quick and the dead. I
believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy Catholic Church;
The Communion of Saints;
The Forgiveness of sins;
The Resurrection of the
body; And The life
everlasting. Amen



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Sunday, December 21, 2025

1. Opening Hymn – **Angels from the realm of glory**
2. Opening prayers
3. Praise and Worship
4. Scripture Reading – **Matthew 1:18-25**
5. Intercession
6. Song/hymn - **Hark the glad sound!**
7. Message & Prayers – **JOSEPH, THE FOSTER OF THE LORD**
8. Giving & Information session
9. Closing Hymn – **To us a child of royal birth**
10. Closing Prayer
11. Benediction

Organist: - Praise

Ministering:

The Revd Barnidele Oni

OPENING HYMN

1. ANGELS from the realm of glory,
Wing your flight o'er all the earth;
Ye, who sang creation's story,
Now proclaim Messiah's birth:
Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

2. Shepherds in the field abiding,
Watching o'er your flocks by night,
God with man is now residing,
Yonder shines the infant Light;
Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

3. Sages, leave your contemplations,
Brighter visions beam afar;
Seek the great Desire of nations;
Ye have seen His natal star;
Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

4. Saints, before the altar bending,
Watching long in hope and fear,
Suddenly the Lord, descending,
In His temple shall appear;
Come and worship,
Worship Christ, the new-born King

HARK THE GLAD SOUND!

1. HARK the glad sound! the
Saviour comes,
The Saviour promised long:
Let every heart prepare a
throne,
And every voice a song.

2. He comes the prisoners to
release,
In Satan's bondage held;
The gates of brass before Him
burst,
The iron fetters yield.

3. He comes the broken heart
to bind,
The bleeding soul to cure,
And with the treasures of His
grace
To enrich the humble poor.

4. Our glad hosannas, Prince of
Peace,
Thy welcome shall proclaim;
And heaven's eternal arches ring
With Thy beloved name.