





## “Who Is He?”

A Children’s Christmas Service

Christmas Eve 2021

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church  
Jenera, Ohio

*Pre-Service Music*      *Bella Norway, Emma Norway, Lindsey Beach, Caitlynn Beach*

**Opening Hymn:** “O Come, All Ye Faithful” (verses 1-3)      *(Christian Worship 55)*

(Grades 3-8)    verse 1

(Grades 1-8)    verse 2

(Grades Pre-8)    verse 3

*Congregation, please stand.*

### INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Congregation: Amen.**

### RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 24:7-10

Pastor: Lift up your heads, you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors,

**Congregation: that the King of glory may come in.**

Minister: Who is this King of glory?

Pastor: **The LORD strong and mighty, the LORD mighty in battle.**

Pastor: Lift up your heads, you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors,

**Congregation: that the King of glory may come in.**

Pastor: Who is he, this King of glory?

**Congregation: The LORD Almighty—he is the King of glory.**

*Congregation, please be seated.*

## INTRODUCTION

**Ayden Kretz – Narration**

### 1. WHO IS HE? THE PROMISED ONE

**Ayden Kretz – Narration**

**Preschool – Kindergarten Recitation**

**Ayden Kretz – Narration**

**1-2 Recitation**

**Ayden Kretz – Narration**

**3-5 Recitation**

**6-8 Recitation**

**Kendyll Gurney – Narration**

**1-2 Recitation**

**Kendyll Gurney – Narration**

**Hymn by Congregation:**

*“On Christmas Night All Christians Sing”*

*(Christian Worship 52)*

**1. On Christmas night all Christians sing  
To hear the news the angels bring;  
On Christmas night all Christians sing  
To hear the news the angels bring,  
News of great joy, news of great mirth,  
News of our merciful King's birth.**

**2. When sin departs before your grace,  
Then life and health come in its place.  
When sin departs before your grace,  
Then life and health come in its place.  
Angels and saints with joy may sing  
All for to see the newborn King.**

**3. From out of darkness we have light  
Which made the angels sing this night.  
From out of darkness we have light  
Which made the angels sing this night:  
"Glory to God and peace to men  
Now and forevermore, Amen."**

## **2. WHO IS HE? THE PROPHESED ONE**

**Jacob Miles – Narration**

**3-5 Recitation**

**Jacob Miles – Narration**

**6-8 Recitation**

**3-5 Recitation**

**Jacob Miles – Narration**

**6-8 Recitation**

**Jacob Miles – Narration**

**Preschool-Grade 2 Song**

**"A Child is Born, Immanuel" by Mary Ann Leahy**

## **3. WHO IS HE? THE NEWBORN ONE**

**Mikayla Norway – Narration**

**3-5 Recitation**

**Mikayla Norway – Narration**

**6-8 Recitation**

**Mikayla Norway – Narration**

**3-5 Recitation**

**All School Recitation**

**1-2 Recitation**

*Congregation, please stand.*

**Congregation and Grades Pre-8 Song:**

*“Silent Night”*

*(Christian Worship 60)*

**(Grades 1-8) *Stille nacht! Heilige Nacht!***

***Alles schlaft, einsam wacht***

***Nur das traute hoch heilige Paar***

***Holder Knabe im lокkigen Haar;***

***Schlaf in Himmlischer Ruh!***

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**(Grades Pre-8) *Silent night! Holy night!***

***Shepherds quake at the sight.***

***Glories stream from heaven afar;***

***Heav’nly hosts sing, Alleluia;***

***Christ, the Savior, is born!***

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**(Grades Pre-8) *Silent night! Holy night!***

***Son of God, love’s pure light***

***Radiant beams from thy holy face***

***With the dawn of redeeming grace,***

***Jesus, Lord, at thy birth,***

***Jesus, Lord, at thy birth.***

*Congregation, please be seated.*

## 4. WHO IS HE? THE ONE TO BE SHARED

**Evan Kretz – Narration**

**6-8 Recitation**

**Evan Kretz – Narration**

**Preschool-Kindergarten Recitation**

**Grades 3-8 Song:**

“Love Has Come”

**Offering**

*Congregation, please stand.*

**Prayer:**

Almighty God, you made this holy night shine with the brightness of the true light. Grant that as we have known on earth the wonder of that light, we may also behold him in all his glory in the life to come; through your only Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

*Congregation, please be seated.*

**All School Song: (Grades 1-8 sing all parts, Pre-K sings refrain)**

“Who Is He?” (by Matthew Manthe)

## **Blessing**

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

**Congregation: Amen!**

## **Closing Hymn:**

“Joy to the World”

*(Christian Worship 62)*

(Grades Pre-8) verse 1

(Grades 1-8) verse 2

(Grades 3-8) verse 3

## **(Congregation) verse 4**

**He rules the world with truth and grace  
and makes the nations prove  
the glories of his righteousness  
and wonders of his love,  
and wonders of his love,  
and wonders, wonders of his love.**

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## *Pianists for the Christmas Eve Service*

*Emma Norway – We Three Kings*

*Bella Norway – Joy to the World*

*Lindsey Beach – Away in a Manger*

*Caitlynn Beach – Silent Night*



*Join us Christmas morning for our Christmas Communion Service at 9:30 AM.*

*Start the New Year right - in praise of our Lord! Join us for a New Year's Eve communion service at 7:00 PM on December 31<sup>st</sup>.*