welcome

We hope and fully expect that you'll encounter God this morning and even meet a few warm-hearted people as well.

You can expect the service to last around an hour and a half.

reservoir families

We're excited about your kids! We have designed special programs and services just for them that happen concurrently with the 9:30am service. Kids are also always welcome in the main services.

today's service

OPENING SONG

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SERMON Steve Watson Senior Pastor

WORSHIP

An opportunity to take Communion, receive prayer in the Chapel, and participate in musical worship.



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December 25, 2016

10:30am

Isaiah 9:2, 6-7 (NRSV)

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness—on them light has shined.

⁶ For a child has been born for us, a son given to us; authority rests upon his shoulders; and he is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. ⁷ His authority shall grow continually, and there shall be endless peace for the throne of David and his kingdom.

He will establish and uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time onward and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.

Isaiah 11:1-9 (NRSV)

of the LORD.

- ¹¹ A shoot shall come out from the stump of Jesse, and a branch shall grow out of his roots.
- ² The spirit of the LORD shall rest on him.
 - the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear
- ³ His delight shall be in the fear of the LORD.

He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide by what his ears hear;

- ⁴ but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked.
- ⁵ Righteousness shall be the belt around his waist, and faithfulness the belt around his loins.
- ⁶ The wolf shall live with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, the calf and the lion and the fatling together, and a little child shall lead them.
- ⁷The cow and the bear shall graze, their young shall lie down together; and the lion shall eat straw like the ox. ⁸ The nursing child shall play over the hole of the asp, and the weaned child shall put its hand on the adder's den. ⁹ They will not hurt or destroy on all my holy mountain; for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.

Malachi 4:2 (NRSV)

But for you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall.

"The Day After Christmas" Fourth in the Series, "Light in the Darkness" STEVE WATSON How Can Christmas Empower Post-Christmas Joy? 1. Regularly welcome Jesus for wisdom, counsel, and connection to God. 2. Leap like a calf for every bit of healing. 3. Do all the Christmas work that is in your power, every day.