

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.

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## 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.



# Welcome!

DECEMBER 17, 2017

9:30 & 11:30 A.M.

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Discovering the love of God, the joy of living, and the gift of community.

#### John 12:24 (NRSV)

Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit.

Philippians 2:5-8 (NRSV)

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

<sup>6</sup> who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, <sup>7</sup> but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human

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 <sup>8</sup> he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death even death on a cross.

### Matthew 2:16-18 (NRSV)

When Herod saw that he had been tricked by the wise men, he was infuriated, and he sent and killed all the children in and around Bethlehem who were two years old or under, according to the time that he had learned from the wise men. <sup>17</sup> Then was fulfilled what had been spoken through the prophet Jeremiah:

<sup>18</sup> "A voice was heard in Ramah, wailing and loud lamentation, Rachel weeping for her children; she refused to be consoled, because they are no more." God With Us, In Our Dying Bodies Third in the Series, Light in the Darkness STEVE WATSON **Three Practices for Finding God with Us** \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ 1. with Rachel when you see . Open up \_\_\_\_\_ of your 2. life for Jesus. Walk with Jesus into radical 3. that yields real \_\_\_\_\_.