

SUNDAY | DECEMBER 24, 2023



# CRADLE TO CROWN

PSALM 72



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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 1:67-80

SONG OF HOPE

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 2:1-21

SONG OF PEACE

Hark the Herald Angels Sing

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 2:22-35

SONG OF LOVE

O Holy Night (Hear the Gospel Story)

SCRIPTURE READING

John 1:9-16

SONG OF JOY/OFFERING

Jesus Shall Reign

MESSAGE

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ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING

SONG OF RESPONSE

Silent Night

ANNOUNCEMENTS & BENEDICTION

# JESUS SHALL REIGN

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun  
Does its successive journeys run.  
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore  
Till sun shall rise and set no more.

Blessings abound where'er He reigns.  
The pris'ner leaps to lose his chains,  
The weary find eternal rest,  
And all the sons of want are blessed.

To our King be highest praise  
Rising through eternal days.  
Just and faithful, He shall reign, Jesus shall reign.

People and realms of ev'ry tongue  
Dwell on His love with sweetest song,  
And infant voices shall proclaim  
Their early blessings on His name.

To our King be highest praise  
Rising through eternal days.  
Just and faithful, He shall reign, Jesus shall reign.

Let ev'ry creature rise and bring  
Blessing and honor to our King,  
Angels descend with songs again,  
And earth repeat the loud "Amen!"

To our King be highest praise  
Rising through eternal days.  
Just and faithful, He shall reign, Jesus shall reign.

## THROUGH THE BIBLE WEEKLY READING

SUNDAY	DECEMBER 24	PSALM 22
MONDAY	DECEMBER 25	REVELATION 5-8
TUESDAY	DECEMBER 26	REVELATION 9-12
WEDNESDAY	DECEMBER 27	REVELATION 13-16
THURSDAY	DECEMBER 28	REVELATION 17-19
FRIDAY	DECEMBER 29	REVELATION 20-22
SATURDAY	DECEMBER 30	PROVERBS 31



## HOW CAN I HAVE THIS GIFT?

**A**t Christmas we celebrate the birth of Christ. God sent his son, Christ, who lived a perfect life, to suffer and die in our place for our brokenness and sin. Our sin is offensive to God and destructive to us, but if we will give up on fixing ourselves and give into Christ being in control of our lives, we can receive God's gift, Jesus, and be forgiven and brought into a right relationship with God now and forever. If you are placing your faith in Christ as your Lord and Savior this season, or have done so in the past, but never shared it with anyone, please let Pastor Ron know after the service or via email: [Ron@fbcspringfield.org](mailto:Ron@fbcspringfield.org)

### **BELIEVING IN RESURRECTION IS MORE REASONABLE...**



Scan this QR code to link to the Growth Institute, one of the classes we offer at FBCSpringfield. Pastor Jason teaches on why it takes less faith to believe that Jesus rose from the dead than that anything else occurred at Easter. **If you are checking out Christianity, start here.**



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