

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP

GATHERING TOGETHER

Come be with us Blessed God in our advent wait.

Restore us, Oh Lord of Host, that we might be saved.

Come be with us Blessed Spirit as we move through creation.

Restore us, Oh Lord of Host, that we might be saved.

Come be with us Blessed Christ and transform our aching hearts.

Restore us, Oh Lord of Host, that we might be saved.

PRAYER / LORD'S PRAYER

HEARING TOGETHER

Luke 1:39-55

And Mary said,

"My soul magnifies the Lord,

and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant.

Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;

for the Mighty One has done great things for me,

and holy is his name.

His mercy is for those who fear him

from generation to generation.

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He has shown strength with his arm;

he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.

He has brought down the powerful from their thrones,

and lifted up the lowly;

he has filled the hungry with good things,

and sent the rich away empty.

He has helped his servant Israel,

in remembrance of his mercy,

according to the promise he made to our ancestors,

to Abraham and to his descendants forever."

RECEIVING TOGETHER:

"The Candle of Peace"

- Rev. Ian Macdonald

*"Here I am, the servant of the Lord;
let it be with me according to your word."*

~ Mary, the Mother of Christ Jesus

Benediction

"Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury,

pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair,

hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy."

~ St. Francis of Assisi

Forth Sunday of Advent **December 23, 2018**

Thank you for being a part of today's service.

It is always our intention to make you feel welcomed and at home. We hope we were able to achieve this and that you will continue to participate in our mission and vision:

- Love God.
- Love Others.
- Serve Both

Your financial support is imperative to the success of this ministry. Please visit our website and make a generous donation today. www.newchurchshermanoaks.org

Sunday Worship: 11:00 - 11:30 am
Streaming Live on Facebook

New Church Sherman Oaks is a unique internet/home church hybrid. As fancy as that might sound we are simply a gathering of ordinary people trying to build up our faith in God and live it out in a way that is relevant and purposeful for the building up of God's Kingdom. We invite you embrace this Spirit and make our home your New Church home.

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