

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2016

WELCOME • ANNOUNCEMENTS • GREETING

WORSHIP SONGS

Come, Now is the Time to Worship
In Christ Alone
Be Thou My Vision

PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME*

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 2:13-23 • Page 836

MESSAGE

New Beginnings • Pastor Byron Snyder

OFFERING

CLOSING SONG

Here I Am, Lord

BLESSING

THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPING WITH US!

Joy to the World (as children enter & leave)

After Children's Time, we invite children ages 4 years old—6th grade to join us in Fellowship Hall for Children's Church. Activities are available for children 3 years old and younger in our nursery.

- A handicap restroom, with a changing table, is located just off of the Cry Room.
- Available are Hearing Assistance Devices, Large Print Bulletins, Bibles, & Hymnals.
- Our Ushers would be happy to help you with any of these needs.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

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TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 2017

Prelude

Welcome, Announcements, & Greeting

*Call to Worship

Leader: This is a New day that the Lord has made.

People: We will be glad and rejoice in it.

Leader: This is a New year that the Lord has begun.

People: We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Leader: Because of the Lord's great love, his compassions never fail. They are New every morning.

People: Great is your faithfulness, O Lord of New beginnings. AMEN.

*Hymn of Praise

Go, Tell It on the Mountain

No. 251

Children's Time

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Baptism

Stella Jean Fox—Daughter of Adam & Ashley Fox

Joys & Concerns, Silent, Pastoral & The Lord's Prayer

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Hymn of Response

What Child Is This

No. 219

Offering

*Doxology

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing
(verse 1)

No. 240

*Unison Prayer

Gracious and generous God, you abound in faithfulness, mercy and love toward us. We count it a joy and a sacred gift to share with others what you have so freely given to us. Receive, we pray, the offerings of our hearts and lives that your name may be praised, your gospel proclaimed and your kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

*Closing Hymn

Here I Am, Lord

No. 593

*Blessing

*Postlude

Thank you for Worshiping With Us Today!

* The congregation is invited to stand if they are able

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For questions, contact
Sarah Caron 605-881-2348

Food and nursery will be provided.
Please sign up at the back of the sanctuary or RSVP with Sarah to the contact
info above.

NOTES

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