

2021 Lessons & Carols



Recorded worship
for the season of
Christmas.



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Introduction

Bishop Tim Smith

Prelude **O Come All Ye Faithful**

Maestro the Vocalinist

Invocation & Confession

The Rev. CeCee Mills, Assistant to the Bishop

Opening Hymn **Once in Royal David's City** **ELW 269**

Andrew Pester, Morning Star, Matthews

Greeting & Prayer of the Day

The Rev. Phil Tonnesen, Assistant to the Bishop

The First Lesson **Genesis 3:8-13, 24** *God holds Adam and Eve accountable for their sin*

The Rev. Danielle K. DeNise, Director for Evangelical Mission

The Second Lesson **Isaiah 9:2b, 6-7** *Christ's birth and kingdom are foretold by Isaiah*

Deacon Tammy Jones West, Assistant to the Bishop

Carol **O Come, O Come, Emmanuel** **ELW 257**

Pastor Laura Wind

The Third Lesson **Luke 1:26-35, 38** *The angel Gabriel reveals God's plan to Mary*

The Rev. Sara Ilderton, Assistant to the Bishop

The Fourth Lesson **Luke 2:1-4** *The birth of Jesus*

The Rev. Danielle K. DeNise, Director for Evangelical Mission

Carol **Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light** **J.S. Bach**

Lenoir-Rhyne University A Capella Choir, Brass Ensemble & Instrumentalists

The Fifth Lesson **Luke 2:5-7** *The birth of Jesus*

Deacon Tammy Jones West, Assistant to the Bishop

The Sixth Lesson **Luke 2:8-14** *An angel tells local shepherds about the birth of Jesus*

The Rev. Sara Ilderton, Assistant to the Bishop

