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Fourth Wednesday in Advent

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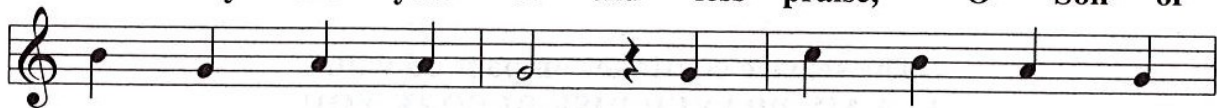
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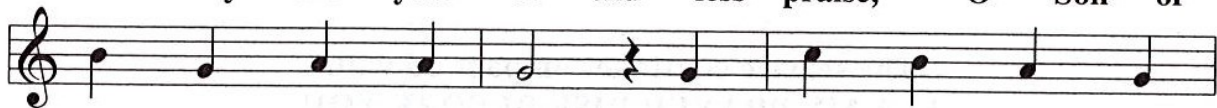
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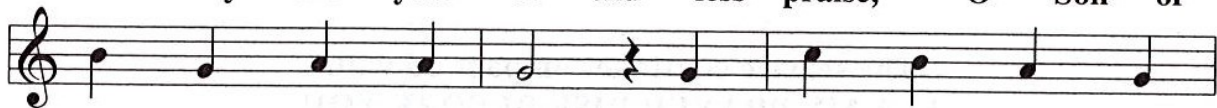
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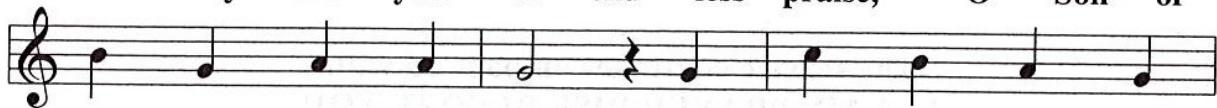
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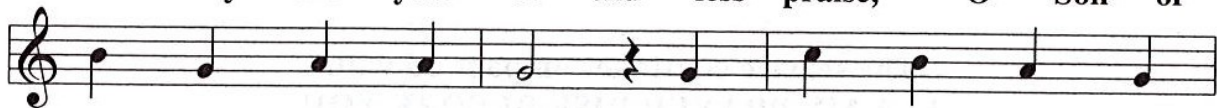
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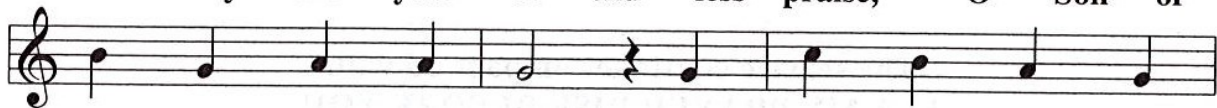
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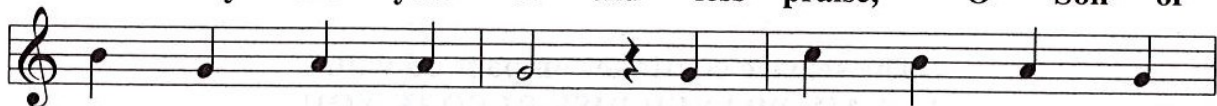
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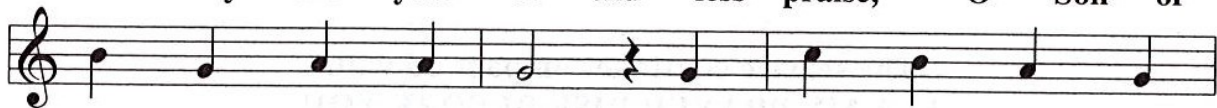
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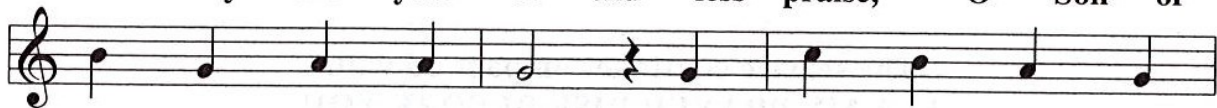
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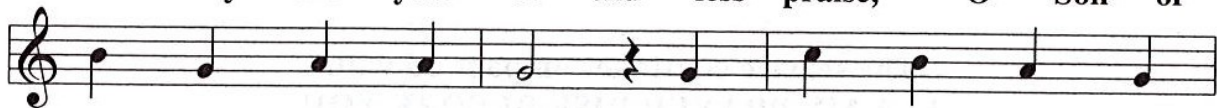
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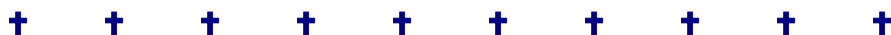
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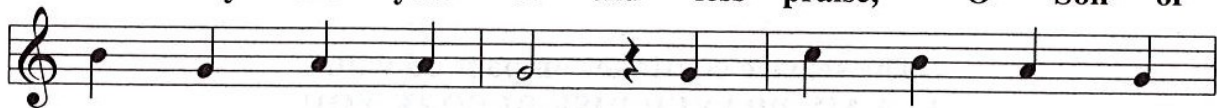
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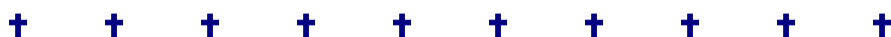
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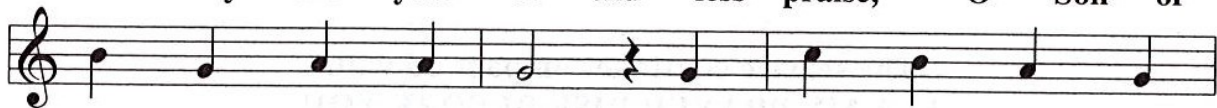
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blest is he, And blest are you, his on - ly Son.
Spir - it: God Who dwells in the e - ter - nal light.
all the earth And in the high - est heav'n a - dored.

Prayer of the Day: Lord God, we thank you for this day of grace now drawing to a close. Stay with us and warm our hearts with your forgiving love in Christ. May your Word keep our faith burning brightly that we may walk in the light of your presence through the darkness of this world. Come and bless us as we worship you: Father, Son, and † Holy Spirit.

C: AMEN!

Psalm: # 78:1-7

L: O my people, hear my teaching; listen to the words of my mouth. ² I will open my mouth in parables, I will utter hidden things, things from of old ³ what we have heard and known, what our fathers have told us.

C: ⁴ We will not hide them from their children; we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the LORD, his power, and the wonders he has done.

L: ⁵ He decreed statutes for Jacob and established the law in Israel, which he commanded our forefathers to teach their children,

C: ⁶ so the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born, and they in turn would tell their children.

L: ⁷ Then they would put their trust in God and would not forget his deeds but would keep his commands. AMEN!

Hymn: Jesus, Your Church with Longing Eyes.....CW₉₃ 9 Stz 3 & 4



3 Come, gra - cious Lord, our hearts re - new, Our sins for -
4 Oh, come and reign o'er ev - 'ry land; Let Sa - tan



give, our foes sup - press, Our root - ed en - mi -
ty sub - due, And crown your gos - pel with suc - cess.
your com - mand; Let grace re - vive a dy - ing world.
to

Be On Your Guard!

³² “No one knows about that day or hour, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. ³³ Be on guard! Be alert! You do not know when that time will come. ³⁴ It’s like a man going away: He leaves his house and puts his servants in charge, each with his assigned task, and tells the one at the door to keep watch. ³⁵ “Therefore keep watch because you do not know when the owner of the house will come back—whether in the evening, or at midnight, or when the rooster crows, or at dawn. ³⁶ If he comes suddenly, do not let him find you sleeping. ³⁷ What I say to you, I say to everyone: ‘Watch!’”



Evening Prayer: *(We read together)*

All: Dearest Lord, too often, I put my own concerns and my own priorities above your work, your word, and will. Forgive me for Jesus sake, rid me of my selfishness, and fill me with the zeal to keep my mind, body, and spirit focused on you. **AMEN!**

L: We pray as Jesus taught us,

Lord’s Prayer: *(traditional)*

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven,
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever.
Amen!*

L: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look on you with favor and † give you peace.

C: Amen

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Teach us in watch - ful - ness and prayer to wait for
 Your a - poin - ted hour, and fit us by your
 Grace to share the tri - umphs of your con qu'ing powers

Christmas Worship Times

Saturday 7:00pm Christmas Eve: Lessons and Carols
Sunday 9:30am Christmas Day: Jesus is The Reason for the Season

Looking Ahead

Date	Time	Streaming	Music	Usher #1	Comm.
December					
Wed Adv 4	21 7:00 PM	Audrey/Jessica	Paul T.	Bob B.	
Sat Christ Eve	24 7:00 PM	Audrey/Jessica.	Sam M.	Scott S.	
Su Christ Day	25 9:30 AM	Megan K.	Jessica O.	Mark F	Dan M.

December Birthdays:

- 2 Elias Backes
- 7 Tiffany Williams
- 11 Jessica Orth
- 13 Pastor Newton Trimmer
- 20 John Wittmershaus
- 29 Nate Potter
- 31 Larry Galbreath