

Sermon Notes

Look around the Stable “From Chaos to Peace”

Flies, Dove, Lamb and Grain

- We see the **flies** and think of _____.
- The **dove** is a symbol of _____.
- Like John the Baptist, we point to the **lamb** who _____.
- **Grain** becomes the bread that we break _____.

The space below is available for additional sermon notes.

Assisted listening devices are available at the sound booth in the back of the church sanctuary. Please ask an usher if you need assistance.

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Order of Service for the
3rd Weekend in Advent
December 13-14, 2025



St. Michael Lutheran Church



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Saturday 5:30pm Worship

Prelude
Welcome & Greetings
Hymn "Prepare the Royal Highway" #343
Invocation
Confession & Absolution
Scripture Readings
Genesis 8:6-12, 20-22
John 1:29-34
Hymn "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"
Sermon Pastor Roy Peterson

Apostles' Creed
Offering
Ministry Moment
Prayers & The Lord's Prayer
Holy Communion
"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" #357
"The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns" #348
Blessing
Hymn "Christ Is Surely Coming"

Sunday 8:00am Worship

Prelude "Savior of the Nations, Come"
Welcome & Greetings
Hymn "Prepare the Royal Highway" #343
Invocation
Confession & Absolution
Kyrie *page 204 in hymnal*
Anthem "Creation Will Be at Peace"
Scripture Readings
Genesis 8:6-12, 20-22
John 1:29-34
Children's Message

Hymn "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"
Sermon Pastor Roy Peterson
Apostles' Creed
Offering
Ministry Moment
Prayers & The Lord's Prayer
Service of the Sacrament
pages 208-210 in hymnal
"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" #357
"The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns" #348
Blessing
Hymn "Christ Is Surely Coming"

Sunday 10:45am Worship

Welcome & Greetings
Song "Prepare the Royal Highway"
Invocation
Confession & Absolution
Scripture Readings
Genesis 8:6-12, 20-22
John 1:29-34
Children's Message
Song "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

Sermon Pastor Roy Peterson
Apostles' Creed
Offering
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Prayers & The Lord's Prayer
Holy Communion
"Christ Is Surely Coming"
"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"
Blessing
Song "Hymn of Joy"

Announcements

Join us for worship the **weekend before Christmas** on Saturday, December 20 at 5:30pm or Sunday, December 21 at 9:30am.

On **Christmas Eve**, all are invited to join us to celebrate the birth of Jesus at 5:30pm with a family worship service or for worship with candlelight and carols at 8:00pm and 10:00pm.

Then, join us for a special **Christmas** morning worship service on December 25 at 9:30am!

The **following weekend** (December 27 and 28), we will be holding a Saturday evening worship service at 5:30pm and a Sunday morning service at 9:30am. All services will be held in our church sanctuary.



Mark your calendars for our fourth annual **Sounds of the Season** Christmas concert on Sunday, December 14 at 3:00pm in the sanctuary. The concert is free and open to the public. We ask that you bring a donation for Lutheran Services of Florida. Learn more in *The Messenger*.

The Messenger is now weekly! Our **digital newsletter** is the best way to stay up-to-date with everything that is going on at St. Michael Lutheran Church. Scan the QR code to read our latest issue and subscribe so it's sent to your email inbox every Friday.

