

# ***Bridgewater New Jerusalem Church***

## ***Welcome to our Service***

**May you feel the warmth of the Season today**

### **Musical Prelude**

***Welcome Song*** (remain seated)

### **Welcome and Announcements**

### **Opening Hymn**

### **Opening of the Word & Invocation**

### **Responsive Call to Worship**

*(Leader in italic, People in Bold)*

*The people walking in darkness  
have seen a great light;*

**For to us a child is born,  
to us a son is given,**

*and the government will be on his shoulders.*

*And he will be called*

**Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,  
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.**

**ALL: The greatness of His government  
and peace will have no end**

### **Advent Wreath Lighting**

### **Hymn**

***Prayer Meditation Song*** (remain seated)

**Pastoral Prayer & Prayers of the People**

**Silent Prayer & Lord's Prayer**

### **Musical Interlude**

### **Affirmation of Faith**

We worship the one God, the Lord, the savior Jesus Christ, the redeemer of the world; in whom is the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; whose humanity is divine; who for our salvation did come into the world and take our nature upon Him. He endured temptation, even to the passion of the cross. He overcame the hells, and so delivered man. He glorified his humanity, uniting it with the divinity of which it was begotten. Without this no mortal could have been saved; and they are saved who believe in Him and keep the commandments of His word. This is His commandment; that we love one another, as he has loved us. Amen.

### **Hymn**

### **Scripture Readings**

### **Musical Meditation**

### **Spiritual Message**

### **Offertory**

### **Offertory Response**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God who teaches all we know.

Praise God within, among, above.

Praise God in life with acts of love.

### **Offertory Dedication**

### **Hymn**

### **Benediction**

### **Closing of the Word**

### **Closing Song**

*Go now and Peace be with you*

*Remember our love as you walk through your day!*

### **Musical Postlude**

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**Pastor Kelly Milne**

**Pianist: Dan Pappas**