



# The Lord

IS NOT SLACK CONCERNING HIS  
PROMISE...BUT IS LONGSUFFERING  
TO US-WARD, NOT WILLING THAT  
ANY SHOULD PERISH, BUT THAT ALL  
SHOULD COME TO REPENTANCE.

2 PETER 3:9

*Kershaw Evangelical Presbyterian Church*

*Preach the Word, Teach the Word, Live the Word, Spread the Word*

*December 26, 2021*

Kershaw Evangelical Presbyterian Church  
Sunday, December 26, 2021

Prelude: In Excelsis Deo

Call to Worship:

We welcome Bryant Fersner to bring God's Word today

Welcome and Announcements

\*Hymn: "We Three Kings" vs.1,3,5 No.166

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Special Music: Beau Beaumont

Scripture: Joshua 1:1-9;5

Sermon: "Christmas: Leave It But Don't Lose It"

\*Hymn: "What Child Is This?" vs.1,3 No.137

Benediction:

Postlude:

\* All who are able are invited to stand and sing

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

† **Sunday School on January 2 at 9:30 in the Educational Building with Matt West.** This week's lesson is "Justice, Vengeance, and Mercy" with scripture from Genesis 4:1-15.

† **Bryant Fersner** will preach next Sunday, January 2, 2022.

† **Choir Practice on Wednesday, December 29 this week.**

† **Kershaw EPC meals-on Wheels week** is December 27-31. We can still use some additional volunteers to help our delivery weeks.

† **January Birthdays:** Charles Jones-1; Jane Holliday-2; Donna Steele-2; Mike Kreis-9; Dale Williams-26.

† **The Church Family** received Christmas Cards/Letters from Harris Adams, Ken Hicks, and Joel Harlow. They are on the stand in the foyer for your viewing.

† **The Church Family** would like to express their thanks to The Baker Family for hosting the sing-a-long featuring Frank Cannon on Thursday night.

The Arrival of the Redeemer by Laurin Greco

It was His plan. From heavenly crown to earthly cradle... From throne to womb... and then to a stumbling toddler... to a curious child... to a young adult... to a grown man... to die on a cross. All to rescue us. Our God didn't just say, "I love you," He lived "I love you." And He lived His "I love you" all the way from the womb to the cross. God, The King of the Universe, loves you.

**Don't forget the greatest thing we can do for God or for man is to pray. Let's spend time with the Lord in prayer, in repentance, in thanksgiving, and presenting our petitions before Him.** Our Session; Scott/Amanda Mosley; Dr. W.L. & Sue McDow; Joan Clyburn; Charles/Billy/Jerry Jones; military-(Brandon Primm/Tyler Granata/Tanner McIsaac); Janet Smith; Virginia McDowell; Lynn Lee; Jesse/Beth McDonald; Curtis Crenshaw; Thomas Woods; Ruth Lucas; Matthew/Makayla Gunn; Bella Stroud; Justin Peavy; Matthew Green; Raleigh Rainey; Ken Faulkenberry; Bob/Randy Beaumont; Clay Brewer; Faye Bennett; Phil Hydrick; Drake Starns; Julie Usher; Vera Phillips; those who have lost love ones in the community; Lisa Kirkley; Archie & Dayna Singleton; Mark Cook; Anita Lawrence; Floyd Rollins; Robert McManus; Mike Gandy; tornado victims; Opioid epidemic; new cases of Omicron variant of COVID; OCC shoe boxes; rain; schools; prisons; President Biden; our Nation; leaders; military; police; doctors; nurses; EMS; missionaries; enemies; Israel (Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem); Canadian pastors; North Korea; China; Iran; Turkey; Russia; Afghanistan; Myanmar, those in nursing homes; remember that God's Word is the plumb line for knowing what is right from wrong; break the chains of fear, hate, and greed; persecuted church; a great awakening.  
**\*\* If there are names that can be taken off the prayer list or names that need to be added, please let Scott or Patricia Croxton know.**