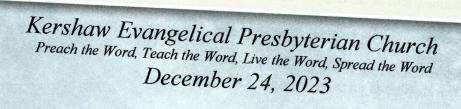
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YE ARE ALL THE children of light.



Kershaw Evangelical Presbyterian Church Sunday, December 24, 2023 Fourth Sunday of Advent Christmas Eve

Prelude: Excelsis Deo

Call to Worship: Elder Scott Croxton

Prayer: Pastor Kevin Hartley

*Hymn: "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

No.124

First Lesson: Tom Orred

God's promise of a prophet. Deuteronomy 18:15-19.

*Hymn: "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

No.133

Second Lesson: Elder Dale Williams

God promises to faithful Abraham that in his seed shall the nations of the

earth be blessed. Genesis 22:15-18.

Third Lesson: Elder Beau Beaumont

God's promise of a King. 2 Samuel 7:12-16.

*Hymn: Infant Holy, Infant Lowly

No.143

Fourth Lesson: Elder Thomas Bryant

Christ's birth and kingdom are foretold. Isaiah 9:2,6-7.

Musical Offering: Messiah with O Come Let Us Adore Him

Fifth Lesson: Elder Terry Clyburn

The angel Gabriel salutes the virgin Mary. Luke 1:26-38.

Sixth Lesson: Pastor Jesse McDonald

Matthew tells of the birth of Jesus. Matthew 1:18-25.

*Hymn: "It Came upon the Midnight Clear

No.128

Seventh Lesson: Elder Charles Ussery

The shepherds go to the manger. Luke 2:8-16.

Eighth Lesson: Elder Bob Davis

John unfolds the great mystery of the incarnation. John 1:1-14.

*Hymn: "Good Christian Men, Rejoice"

No.151

Sermon: The Gospel First Preached Genesis 3:15

*Hymn: "What Child Is This?"

No.137

The Lord's Supper

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

*Hymn: "Joy to the World"

No.125

Benediction