



MIDWEEK OF ADVENT 3
Wednesday, 18 December A+D 2024 • 7:00 P.M.

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SERVICE OF LIGHT

OPENING HYMN

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" LSB 380

Stand

OPENING VERSICLES

LSB 243

PHOS HILARON

LSB 244

THANKSGIVING FOR LIGHT

LSB 245

Sit

PSALMODY

PSALM 141

LSB 245

PSALM

Psalm 85



¹LORD, you were favorable | to your land;*
you restored the fortunes of | Jacob.

²**You forgave the iniquity of your | people;*
you covered | all their sin.**

³You withdrew | all your wrath;*
you turned from your hot | anger.

⁴**Restore us again, O God of our sal- | vation,*
and put away your indignation | toward us!**

⁵Will you be angry with us for- | ever?*

Will you prolong your anger to all gener- | ations?

⁶**Will you not revive | us again,*
that your people may re- | joice in you?**

⁷Show us your steadfast love, | O LORD,*
and grant us your sal- | vation.

⁸**Let me hear what God the | LORD will speak,*
for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints;
but let them not turn back to | folly.**

⁹Surely his salvation is near to those who | fear him,*
that glory may dwell | in our land.

¹⁰Steadfast love and faith- | fulness meet;*
righteousness and peace kiss each | other.

¹¹Faithfulness springs up | from the ground,*
and righteousness looks down | from the sky.

¹²Yes, the LORD will give | what is good,*
and our land will yield its | increase.

¹³Righteousness will go be- | fore him*
and make his foot- | steps a way.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

OFFICE HYMN

“Let the Earth Now Praise the Lord” LSB 352

READINGS

READING

Jeremiah 33:14-18

¹⁴“Behold, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will fulfill the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ¹⁵In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David, and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. ¹⁶In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will dwell securely. And this is the name by which it will be called: ‘The LORD is our righteousness.’

¹⁷“For thus says the LORD: David shall never lack a man to sit on the throne of the house of Israel, ¹⁸and the Levitical priests shall never lack a man in my presence to offer burnt offerings, to burn grain offerings, and to make sacrifices forever.”

SERMON

“The Righteous Branch Revealed: From Exile to Restoration”

Jeremiah 33:14-18

CANTICLE

Stand

MAGNIFICAT

LSB 248

Sit

OFFERING

PRAYER

Stand

LITANY

LSB 249

COLLECT FOR PEACE

LSB 251

LORD’S PRAYER

LSB 251

BENEDICAMUS

LSB 252

BENEDICTION

LSB 252

CLOSING HYMN

“Jesus Came, the Heavens Adoring” LSB 353

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