



Heritage
Baptist Church

Our Worship Today

December 1, 2024

*A guide to the shape and focus of
today's worship service*

*The mission of
Heritage Baptist Church is to
make followers of Jesus Christ by
living the gospel life
among the nations.*

Order of Service

In our worship today, let's enter into this Christmas season with joy as we remember how God has been faithful to fulfill His promises throughout history. The prophesied Savior was revealed when Jesus first came to us as a baby, and we long for the day when He will return in glory as our reigning King!

Prelude	<i>Angels We Have Heard On High</i>
Call to Worship	<i>The Lion And The Lamb</i> <i>Come Thou Long Expected Jesus</i>
Scripture Reading	<i>Isaiah 7:14; Luke 1:30-33</i>
Song of Adoration	<i>All Hail King Jesus</i>
Welcome & Announcements	
Global Worker Commissioning	<i>Josh & Kristina M.</i>
Song of Adoration	<i>Behold Him</i>
Sermonic Prayer	
Sermon	
Benediction	

Exhortation for worship today: **Singing**

Do you sing out during our time of worship? Singing is a unique privilege for the people of God, and the Bible is full of commands and invitations to sing praise to the Lord. But did you know that God himself also sings? Zephaniah 3:17 says that God rejoices over us and exults over us with "loud singing!" In response to such a display, let us also loudly sing together as we praise our God!

Today's Readings

Isaiah 7:14

Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.

Luke 1:30-33

And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end."

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Come Thou long expected Jesus
Born to set Thy people free
From our fears and sins release us
Let us find our rest in Thee

Israel's strength and consolation
Hope of all the earth Thou art
Dear desire of every nation
Joy of every longing heart

Born Thy people to deliver
Born a child and yet a King
Born to reign in us forever
Now Thy gracious kingdom bring

By Thine own eternal Spirit
Rule in all our hearts alone
By Thine all sufficient merit
Raise us to Thy glorious throne

You draw the hearts of shepherds
You draw the hearts of kings
Even as a baby You were changing everything
You called me to Your kingdom
Before Your lips could speak
Even as a baby You were reaching out for me

And now we are awaiting
The day of your return
When every eye will see you, as Heaven comes to Earth
Until the sky is opened
Until the trumpet sounds
The bride is getting ready, the church is singing out

Come Thou long expected Jesus
Born to set Thy people free
From our fears and sins and release us
Let us find our rest in Thee
Come Thou long expected King