

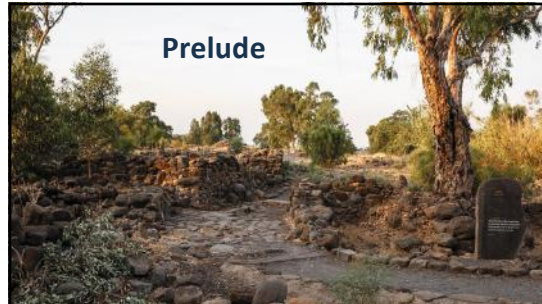


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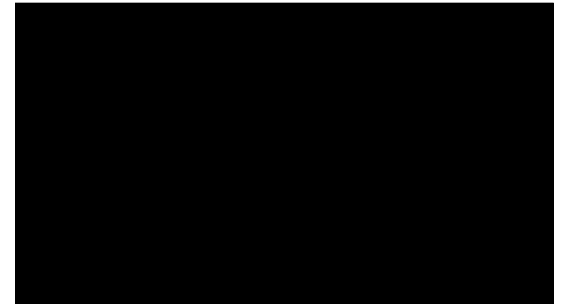
**November 29, 2020 WORSHIP**  
**11:00a PRAISE SERVICE**

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**Great Is Thy Faithfulness**  
UMC Red Hymnal, #140, Words: Thomas Chisholm, Music: William Runyan

*(v1) Great is thy faithfulness,  
O God my Father;  
There is no shadow of  
turning with thee;*

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*Thou changest not,  
Thy compassions,  
they fail not;  
As thou hast been,  
Thou forever wilt be.*

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*(r) Great is thy faithfulness!  
Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning  
New mercies I see;*

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*All I have needed  
Thy hand hath provided;  
Great is thy faithfulness,  
Lord, unto me!*

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*(v2) Summer and winter and  
Springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars  
In their courses above*

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*Join with all nature  
In manifold witness  
To thy great faithfulness,  
Mercy and love.*

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*(r) Great is thy faithfulness!  
Great is thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning  
New mercies I see;*

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*All I have needed  
Thy hand hath provided;  
Great is thy faithfulness,  
Lord, unto me!*

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*(v3) Pardon for sin and a  
peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence  
To cheer and to guide;*

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*Strength for today and  
Bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine,  
With ten thousand beside!*

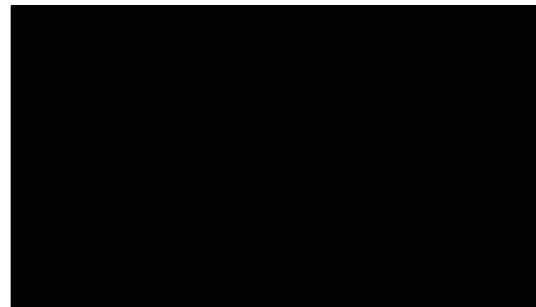
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*(r) Great is thy faithfulness!  
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Morning by morning  
New mercies I see;*

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*All I have needed  
Thy hand hath provided;  
Great is thy faithfulness,  
Lord, unto me!*  
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**All Earth is Waiting** v1-3  
UMC Red Hymnal, #210, Text & Music: Alberto Taule  
*(v1) All earth is waiting to see  
the Promised one,  
And the open furrows,  
The sowing of the Lord.*

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*All the world, bound and  
struggling,  
seeks true liberty;  
it cries out for justice and  
searches for the truth.*

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*(v2) Thus says the prophet  
to those of Israel,  
“A virgin mother will  
bear Emmanuel,”*

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*for his name is “God with us,”  
our brother shall be,  
With him hope will blossom  
once more with-in our hearts.*

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*(v3) Mountains and valleys will  
have to be made plain;  
Open new highways,  
new highways for the Lord.*

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*He is now coming closer,  
so come all and see,  
And open the doorways  
as wide as wide can be.  
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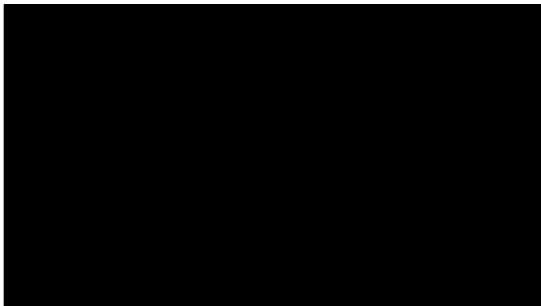
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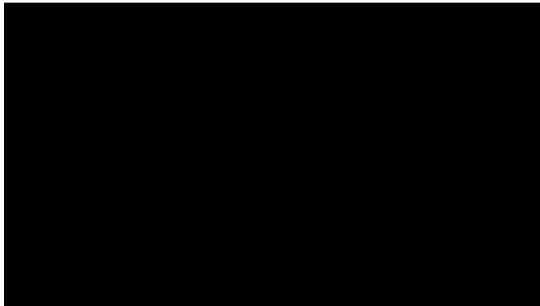
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Leader: If ever there was a year we needed Advent, this is the year. We hardly know how to describe the year we have lived through. We hesitate to reflect on all the mess around us in 2020.

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All we know is that nothing seems right, nothing seems like it used to be, nothing. We need Advent!  
The prophet Isaiah cried out for us, "O that you would tear open

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the heavens and come down ... To make your name known ... so that nations might tremble at your presence." So tear through the mess, O Lord, and come down to us again. We long to be your

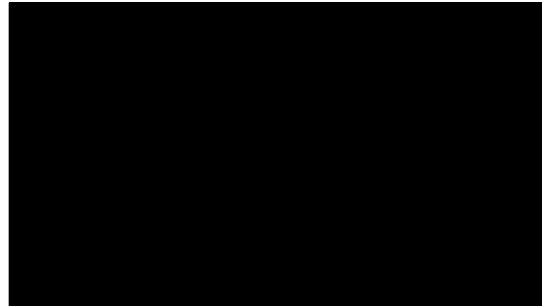
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people, a people of hope.  
We light this first candle as a sign of our hope. Hope that you can meet us, even in the mess of our world. Hope that you still see us, though we feel we are lost in the

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rubble. Let this light be the guide that brings us to Emmanuel once more.  
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**Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus v1**

UMC Hymnal #196, Words: Charles Wesley, Music: Rowland Prichard

*(v1) 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.*

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*Israel's strength and consolation,  
Hope of all the earth thou art;  
Dear desire of every nation,  
Joy of every longing heart.*

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Scripture  
Mark 13:24-37

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But in those days, after that suffering, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will be falling from heaven, and the powers in the heavens will be

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shaken. Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in clouds' with great power and glory. Then he will send out the angels, and gather his elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth

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to the ends of heaven. "From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts forth its leaves, you know that summer is near. So also, when you see these things taking

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place, you know that he is near, at the very gates. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass

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away. "But about that day or hour no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. Beware, keep alert; for you do not know when the time will come. It is like a

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man going on a journey, when he leaves home and puts his slaves in charge, each with his work, and commands the doorkeeper to be on the watch. Therefore, keep awake—for you do not know

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when the master of the house will come, in the evening, or at midnight, or at cockcrow, or at dawn, or else he may find you asleep when he comes suddenly. And what I say to you I say to all:

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Keep awake.”  
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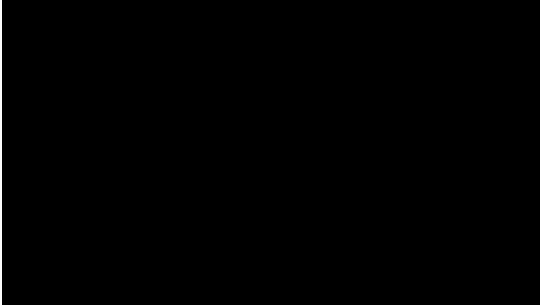
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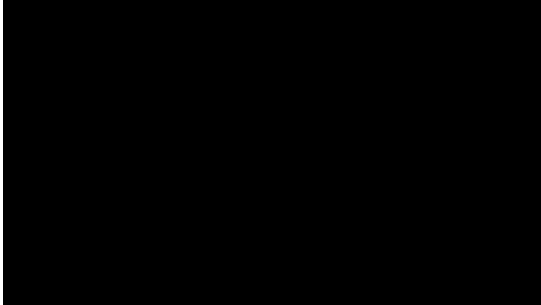
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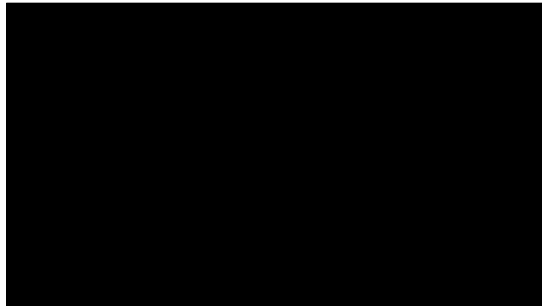
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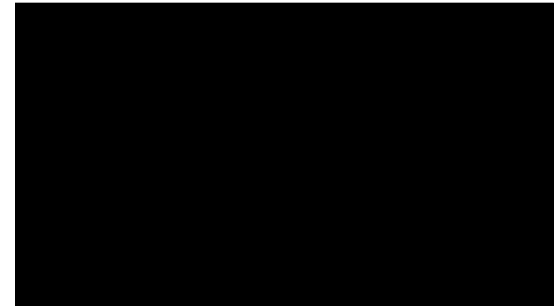
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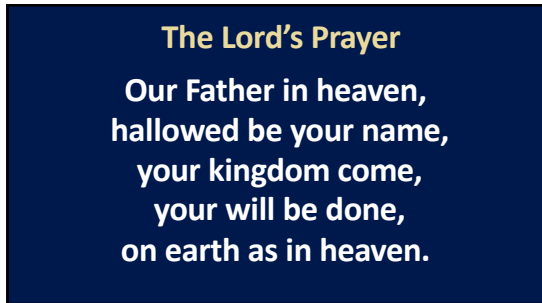
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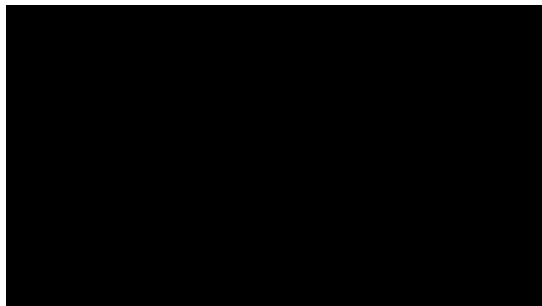
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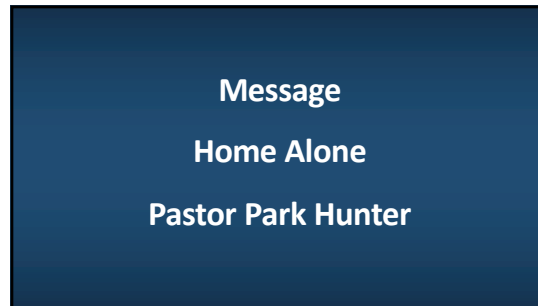
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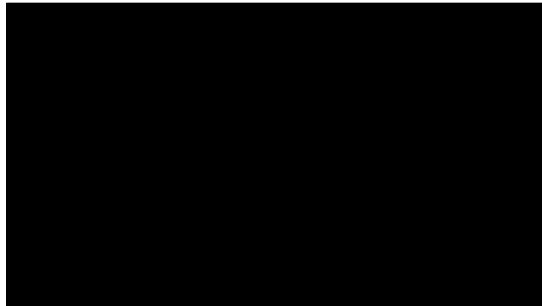


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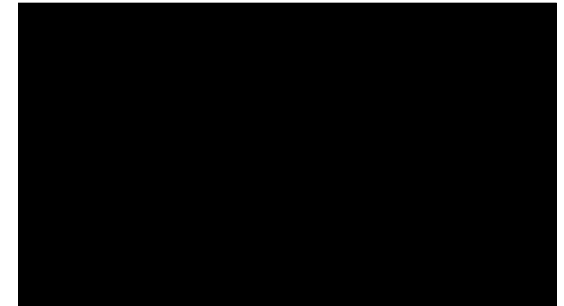




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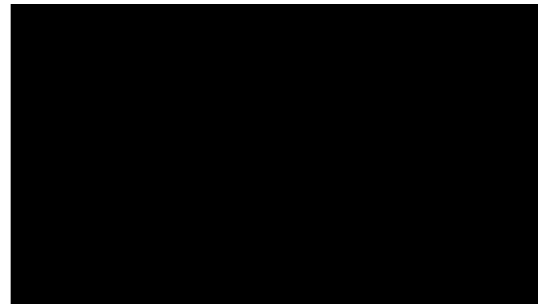
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**People, Look East v1-3**  
UMC Hymnal #202, Words: Eleanor Farjeon, Music: Martin Shaw

*(v1) People, look east.  
 The time is near  
 of the crowning of the year.*

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*Make your house fair  
 as you are able,  
 trim the hearth and set the table.  
 People, look east and sing today:  
 Love, the Guest, is on the way.*

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*(v2) Furrows, be glad.  
 Though earth is bare,  
 one more seed  
 is planted there.*

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*Give up your strength  
the seed to nourish,  
that in course  
the flower may flourish  
People, look east and sing today:  
Love, the Rose, is on the way.*

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*(v3) Stars, keep the watch.  
When night is dim,  
one more light  
the bowl shall brim,*

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*shining beyond the  
frosty weather,  
bright as sun and moon together.  
People, look east and sing today:  
Love, the Star, is on the way.*

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### Forever

By: Chris Tomlin, CCLI# 3148428

*(v1) Give thanks to the Lord,  
Our God and King.  
His love endures forever.  
For He is good,*

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*He is above all things,  
His love endures forever.  
Sing praise,  
Sing praise.*

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*(v2) With a mighty hand and  
outstretched arm,  
His love endures forever.  
For the life that's been reborn,  
His love endures forever.*

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*Sing praise,  
Sing praise.  
Sing praise,  
Sing praise.*

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*(c) Forever God is faithful.  
Forever God is strong.  
Forever God is with us,  
Forever.*

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*Forever God is faithful.  
Forever God is strong.  
Forever God is with us,  
Forever.  
Forever.*

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*(v3) From the rising to  
the setting sun  
His love endures forever.  
And by the grace of God  
We will carry on.  
His love endures forever.*

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*Sing praise,  
Sing praise.  
Sing praise,  
Sing praise.*

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*(c) Forever God is faithful.  
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Forever God is with us,  
Forever.*

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*Forever God is faithful.  
Forever God is strong.  
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