

HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

January 3, 2021

The Church at Worship

Prelude

Go, Tell It on the Mountain

GO TELL IT

Go, tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere;
Go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born!
While shepherds kept their watching o'er silent flocks by night, behold
throughout the heavens there shone a holy light.
Go, tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere;
Go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born!
Down in a lowly manger the humble Christ was born, and God sent
us salvation that blessed Christmas morn.

Welcome

Chiming of the Trinity

Call to Worship

Psalm 139

O Lord, you have searched me and known me.
You know when I sit down and when I rise up;
you discern my thoughts from far away.
Even before a word is on my tongue,
O Lord, you know it completely.
I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.
O Lord, when I come to the end,
I am still with you. Amen.

Moment of Silence and Invocation

Gospel Reading

John 1:1-14

Children's Message

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.

Message

God is Still Speaking

Benediction

Postlude

Shine, Jesus, Shine

SHINE

Lord, the light of Your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness shine; Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us, set us free by the truth You now bring us; shine on me. Shine on me. Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory; blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Lord, I come to Your awesome presence, from the shadows into Your radiance; by the blood I may enter Your brightness; search me, try me, consume all my darkness; shine on me. Shine on me. Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy; send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light.