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Missouri Synod
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THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

December 11, A. D. 2022

Divine Service, Setting Three, LSB pp. 184–202

PRELUDE *Of the Father's Love Begotten* Wayne Barlow
Infant Holy, Infant Lowly Dale Wood
Hark! The Herald Angels Sing Thomas W. Jefferson and Mark Limburg

WORD OF WELCOME

HYMN OF INVOCATION *Of the Father's Love Begotten* Hymn 384
 Δ *Stand for the doxology* sts. 1, 4–5

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INTROIT

Psalm 71:14–18; antiphon: Philippians 4:4



Rejoice in the Lord | always;* **again I will say, | Rejoice.**

I will hope con- | tinually* **and will praise You yet | more and more.**

My mouth will tell of Your righteous acts, of Your deeds of salvation | all the day,* →
for their number is past my | knowledge.

With the mighty deeds of the Lord GOD | I will come;* →

I will remind them of Your righteousness, | Yours alone.

O God, from my youth You have | taught me,* **and I still proclaim Your | wondrous deeds.**

So even to old age and | gray hairs,* **O God, do not for- | sake me,**

until I proclaim Your might to another gener- | ation,* **Your power to all | those to come.**

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.

Rejoice in the Lord | always;* **again I will say, | Rejoice.**

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P Lord Jesus Christ, we implore You to hear our prayers and to lighten the darkness of our hearts by Your gracious visitation; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

HYMN *What Child Is This* Hymn 370

OLD TESTAMENT READING Isaiah 35:1–10

ANTHEM *A Thrilling Voice by Jordan Rings* Heinrich Schütz Choir

A thrilling voice by Jordan rings, rebuking guilt and darksome things:
vain dreams of sin and visions fly; Christ in His might shines forth on high.
Now let each torpid soul arise, that sunk in guilt and wounded lies;
see! the new Star's refulgent ray shall chase disease and sin away.

The Lamb descends from heav'n above to pardon sin with freest love:
 for such indulgent mercy shown with tearful joy our thanks we own.
 That when again He shines revealed, and trembling worlds to terror yield.
 He give not sin its just reward, but in His love protect and guard.
 To God the Father glory be, and to the Son be victory,
 and to the Spirit praise is owed from age to age eternally.

(*Vox clara ecce intonat*, 6th century; tr. John Mason Neale)

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<u>POSTLUDE</u>	<i>Infant Holy, Infant Lowly</i>	Alexandre Guilmant

SERVICE LEADERS

Preacher	Pastor Bob Leiste
Celebrant.....	Pastor Michael Penikis
Organist	Kim Schuler
Choir.....	Dr. Louis Schuler, Kantor
Acolyte	Sophia Felton (8:00); Brogan Fugett (10:30)
Video	Dominic LaBelle