# Welcome Families!



Infant to preschool.

Opens 10 min before service





6th-8th

Dismissed during service







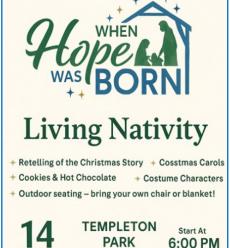


SANTA AT 5 PM TREE LIGHTING & BLESSING AT 6 PM

HOT COCOA & COOKIES

**Templeton Park** 

550 Crocker St. Templeton, CA 93465



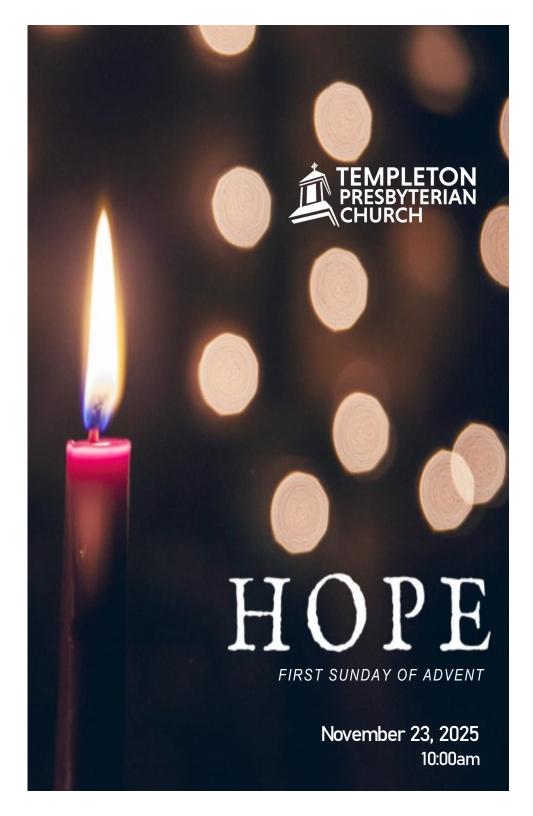
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# Order of Worship

Ringing of the Bell

**Opening Song** Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus

Lighting of the Advent Candle and Building of the Creche

**Welcome and Announcements** 

**Time for Young Disciples** 

\*Songs of Praise

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)
O Come to the Altar

Call to Confession of Sin

# **Prayer of Confession**

Gracious God, we know that You have forgiven us in Jesus Christ, but we often remain slow to forgive one other. You have sent Your Spirit to reconcile us to each other, but we resist Your work to bind us together. Fill us with gratitude for the grace of being in forgiven-fellowship with You. Change our hearts, making us ever more ready to extend peace. All this we pray through Jesus, the One who came from heaven to earth to reconcile us back to God.

(Please take this time to offer your own silent prayers and petitions)

Leader: Let the People of God say together.

People: In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon** 

Offertory Instrumental \*Doxology

**Prayers of the People** 

**Scripture Reading** *Matthew 6:5-12, 14-15 (p. 811)* 

Message "Forgive Us Our Debts, as We Forgive Our Debtors" Pastor Joy Scarpuzzi

**Invitation to Discipleship** 

\*Closing Song Create in Me a Clean Heart

\*Benediction

\*Indicates congregation standing

"Forgive Us Our Debts, as We Forgive Our Debtors" Matthew 6:5-12, 14-15

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II.	Forgiveness is how we	the poison within us
III.	people become	people.

Confession is how we the gospel.

Our prayer partners today are Lois Ecklund and Laura Fletcher. You're invited to share your prayer needs with them after the service. Written prayer requests can be placed in the Offering box on back wall.

The mission of Templeton Presbyterian Church is "to cultivate a community of people who know they **Belong** to Jesus Christ to help them **Believe** in who He is and **Become** who He is calling them to be!"

#### **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

## 10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning It's time to sing Your song again Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me Let me be singing when the evening comes

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your name is great and Your heart is kind For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul Worship His holy name Sing like never before O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

And on that day when my strength is failing The end draws near and my time has come Still my soul will sing Your praise unending Ten thousand years and then forevermore

## O COME TO THE ALTAR

Are you hurting and broken within Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin Jesus is calling Have you come to the end of yourself Do you thirst for a drink from the well Jesus is calling

O come to the altar The Father's arms are open wide Forgiveness was bought with The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes Come today there's no reason to wait Jesus is calling Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy From the ashes a new life is born Jesus is calling

Oh what a Savior Isn't he wonderful Sing alleluia Christ is risen Bow down before him For he is Lord of all Sing alleluia Christ is risen

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown Tell the world of the treasure you've found

#### **CREATE IN ME A CLEAN HEART**

Create in me a clean heart And renew a steadfast spirit in me Create in me a clean heart And renew a steadfast spirit in me

Cast me not from Your presence Or take Your Holy Spirit from me Restore to me the joy of salvation And give me a willing spirit Give me a willing spirit Give me a willing spirit O God