

Welcome Families!



Infant to preschool.
Opens 10 min before service



K—5th
Dismissed during service



6th—8th
Dismissed during service



COOKIES NEEDED!

LOTS of cookies needed for
Tree Lighting (Dec. 7) and
Living Nativity (Dec. 14)

Bring to TPC kitchen TODAY 4-5pm
or Mon-Thur 9am-3pm

Angel Tree gifts due
NEXT SUNDAY,
DECEMBER 14

ANGEL TREE

TONIGHT

**Templeton
Tree Lighting
Ceremony**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7

SANTA AT 5 PM
TREE LIGHTING & BLESSING AT 6 PM

HOT COCOA & COOKIES

Templeton Park
550 Crocker St. Templeton, CA 93465

NEXT SUNDAY

WHEN
Hope WAS BORN

Living Nativity

- + Retelling of the Christmas Story
- + Christmas Carols
- + Cookies & Hot Chocolate
- + Costume Characters
- + Outdoor seating- bring your own chair or blanket!

14 December 2025

TEMPLETON
PARK
550 Crocker St,
Templeton, CA

Start At
6:00 PM

Join us for this FREE community Christmas event!

THANK YOU! Your tithes and offerings support TPC's ministries and day-to-day operations. Contributions can be made online: templetonpres.org/giving or by cash or check to TPC.



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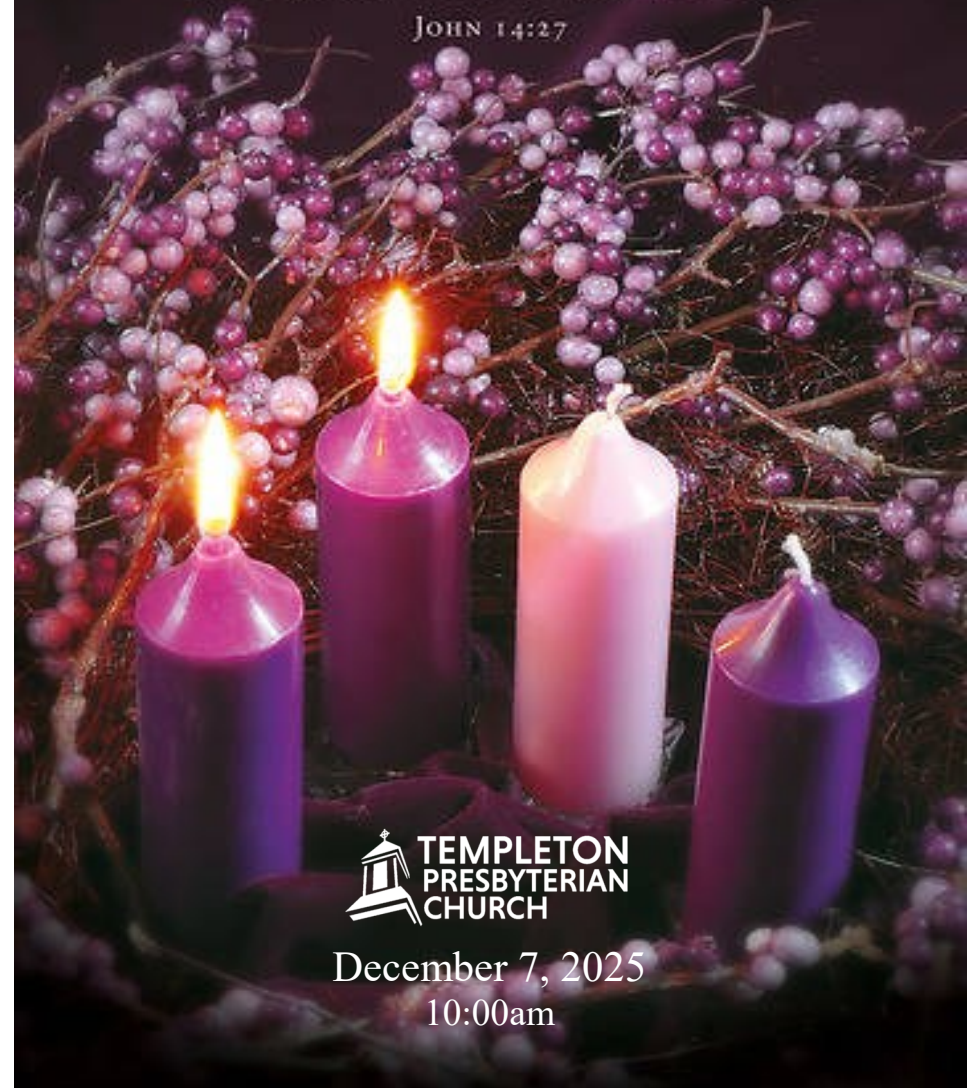
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PEACE

PEACE I LEAVE WITH YOU,
MY PEACE I GIVE UNTO YOU.

JOHN 14:27



 **TEMPLETON
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**

December 7, 2025
10:00am

Order of Worship

Ringling of the Bell

Opening Song *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

Lighting of the Advent Candle and Building of the Creche

Welcome and Announcements

Time for Young Disciples

*Songs of Praise

House of the Lord

Take My Life

Call to Confession of Sin

Prayer of Confession

Holy God, You are Emmanuel, God with us. We confess we are drawn and influenced by that which we ought not be, and are enticed to sin by our own desires and prideful nature. Father, You have given us Jesus to be the Light of the world and the Prince of Peace. We admit too often peace does not exist in our hearts and so notably does not exist in our world. Help to mend us, loving God, and give us strength to overcome all our temptations.

(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 6:5-13 (p. 811)*

Message "Lead Us Not into Temptation" Pastor Roger Patton

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Invitation to Discipleship

***Closing Song** *Nothing But the Blood*

*Benediction

**Indicates congregation standing*

"Lead Us Not into Temptation"

Matthew 6:5-13

Sin and temptation to sin are part of the human condition. This is something we deal with on a regular basis. Jesus teaches us that our Father is the One to whom we can turn to help us in our sin.

- I. Jesus teaches us that we are to _____ God.
- II. Jesus teaches us temptations are a _____ part of life.
- III. Jesus teaches us God will not let us be _____
beyond what we can be given _____ to bear.

Our prayer partners today are Mary Blanks and Susan Hayward.
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!"*

HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING

Hark the herald angels sing / Glory to the newborn King
Peace on earth and mercy mild / God and sinners reconciled
Joyful all ye nations rise / Join the triumph of the skies
With th'angelic hosts proclaim / Christ is born in Bethlehem
Hark the herald angels sing / Glory to the newborn King

Christ by highest heav'n adored / Christ the everlasting Lord
Late in time behold Him come / Offspring of the Virgin's womb
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see / Hail th'incarnate Deity
Pleased as man with men to dwell / Jesus our Emmanuel
Hark the herald angels sing / Glory to the newborn King

Hail the heav'n-born Prince of Peace / Hail the Sun of Righteousness
Light and life to all He brings / Ris'n with healing in His wings
Mild He lays His glory by / Born that man no more may die
Born to raise the sons of earth / Born to give them second birth
Hark the herald angels sing / Glory to the newborn King

Come Desire of nations come / Fix in us Thy humble home
Rise the woman's conqu'ring seed / Bruise in us the serpent's head
Adam's likeness now efface / Stamp Thine image in its place
Second Adam from above / Reinstate us in Thy love
Hark the herald angels sing / Glory to the newborn King

House of the Lord

We worship the God who was / We worship the God who is
We worship the God who evermore will be / He opened the prison doors
He parted the raging sea / My God He holds the victory yeah

There's joy in the house of the Lord
There's joy in the house of the Lord today
And we won't be quiet / We shout out Your praise
There's joy in the house of the Lord / Our God is surely in this place
And we won't be quiet / We shout out Your praise

We sing to the God who heals / We sing to the God who saves
We sing to the God who always makes a way / 'Cause He hung up on that cross
Then He rose up from that grave / My God's still rolling stones away

('Cause) We were the beggars / Now we're royalty
We were the prisoners / Now we're running free
We are forgiven accepted / Redeemed by His grace
Let the house of the Lord sing praise

There's joy in the house of the Lord / There's joy in the house of the Lord today
We're gonna shout out Your praise
There is joy / There is joy surely in this place
We won't be quiet / We shout Your praise

TAKE MY LIFE

Holiness holiness
Is what I long for
Holiness is what I need
Holiness holiness
Is what You want from me

Faithfulness faithfulness
Is what I long for
Faithfulness is what I need
Faithfulness faithfulness
Is what You want from me

So take my heart and form it
Take my mind transform it
Take my will conform it
To Yours to Yours oh Lord

Righteousness righteousness
Is what I long for
Righteousness is what I need
Righteousness righteousness
Is what You want from me

NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD

What can wash away my sin
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
What can make me whole again
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

O precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow
No other fount I know
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

For my pardon this I see
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
For my cleansing this my plea
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Nothing can for sin atone / Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Naught of good that I have done / Nothing but the blood of Jesus

This is all my hope and peace / Nothing but the blood of Jesus
This is all my righteousness / Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Celebrate the Season!



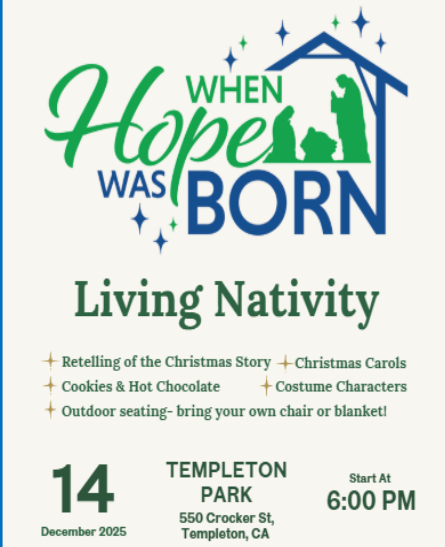
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What's Happening @TPC this month?

- Dec. 7:** Worship 10am TPC Sanctuary
Coats for Kids deadline
Tree Lighting (blessing & lighting @6pm) Templeton Park
- Dec. 8-11:** Drop off Living Nativity cookies to office 9am-3pm
- Dec. 14:** Worship 10am TPC Sanctuary
ANGEL TREE gifts DUE
Living Nativity 6pm Templeton Park
- Dec. 21:** Worship 10am TPC Sanctuary
- Dec. 24:** Christmas Eve service 5pm TPC sanctuary
- Dec. 25: MERRY CHRISTMAS!**
- Dec. 28:** Worship 10am TPC Sanctuary
Ground breaking for renovation project after service



Join us

Christmas Eve

Candlelight Communion Service

5:00PM TPC Sanctuary



Church office closed Dec. 25, Dec. 31, and Jan. 1