Advent Reading | The Candle of Sacrifice

*Songs of Gathering

Joy to the World
Handel, Watts

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus
Story, Duren

God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen
18th Century Carol; Andrews, Ingram

Prayer | Rev. Andrew Siegenthaler

Announcements

*Profession of Faith (Apostles' Creed)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic [universal] church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Ministry Spotlight | Love Serves: First Priority Game Day - Brody Howell

*Scripture Reading

Luke 2:8-14

Sermon | Rev. Rob Pacienza, Senior Pastor | The Mission of the Kingdom, Part 10

*Benediction

*Closing Song

Go Tell It on the Mountain
Smith, Work, Williams

*Please stand if you are able

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SERMON NOTES
BIG IDEA: THE BIRTH THAT CHANGED THE WORLD

1. A Cosmic Light

2. A Supernatural Humility

3. A Hope of Coming Home

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Does the organ sound different today? We have begun an eight-month renovation of our Ruffatti organ. To learn more about the project and how you can be involved, visit crpc.org/ruffatti

As you consider your year-end gifts, please remember Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church. All donations, including cash, must be received in the offering boxes, online or postmarked by December 31 to qualify for a 2022 tax deduction. The Welcome Center will be open to receive your gifts from 9am-2pm on Tue–Fri, Dec 27-30 (closed Mon, Dec 26).
Each Sunday during the Advent season we light a candle in our morning services and read the corresponding Scripture so that we may focus our attention on Jesus and glorify him. We use three purple candles representing Hope, Love and Peace, and a pink candle representing the Joy that is ours because of Christ’s coming into the world and into our hearts and lives. The white candle in the center of the wreath is lit on Christmas Eve and represents the birth of Jesus. This tradition, dating back to A.D. 600, reminds us that the center of the Church and the center of our Christmas celebration is Jesus.

Let every heart prepare Him room!

Rob Pacienza, Senior Pastor
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The Bible says, “If you declare with your mouth, ‘Jesus is Lord,’ and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.”

Dear Jesus, please forgive me. I no longer want to live life without you. Come into my life as my Lord and Savior. Thank you for living the life I could never live and dying in my place on the cross. I want the hope of heaven both now and forever.

Jesus says, “...the one who believes has everlasting life.”
holiday lights CRUISE

December 16 | 7pm

Scan here to register! crpc.org/youngadults

GAME DAY Christmas Project

Help us provide all 876 First Priority Game Day students with a Christmas gift and a Bible!

$7 provides a Bible for a student or bring in a new BALL (volleyball, football, soccer ball, or basketball) to the Welcome Center before December 21!

Scan to donate! crpc.org/loveserves

*Designate gift to Love Serves Outreach Campaign and list “Game Day Bibles” in the memo line!