

Communion Reflection

“What a Beautiful Name”

You were the Word at the beginning
One with God the Lord Most High
Your hidden glory in creation
Now revealed in You our Christ

What a beautiful Name it is
Nothing compares to this
What a beautiful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

You didn't want heaven without us
So Jesus You brought heaven down
My sin was great Your love was greater
What could separate us now

What a wonderful Name it is **x2**
The Name of Jesus Christ my King
What a wonderful Name it is
Nothing compares to this
What a wonderful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

What a powerful Name it is **x2**
The Name of Jesus Christ my King
What a powerful Name it is
Nothing can stand against
What a powerful Name it is
The Name of Jesus

CONCLUDING RITES

Blessing and Dismissal

Recessional/ Postlude **“What Star is This”**

1. What star is this, with beams so bright, More love - ly
 2. 'Tis now ful - filled what God de - creed, "From Ja - cob
 3. O Je - sus, while the star of grace Im - pels us
 4. To God the Fa - ther, heav'n - ly Light, To Christ, re -

1. than the noon - day light? 'Tis sent to an - nounce a
 2. shall a star pro - ceed"; And lo! the — east - ern
 3. on to seek thy face, Let not our — sloth - ful
 4. vealed in earth - ly night, To God the — Ho - ly

1. new - born king, Glad tid - ings of our God to bring.
 2. sag - es stand To read in heav'n the Lord's com - mand.
 3. hearts re - fuse The guid - ance of thy light to use.
 4. Spir - it raise An end - less song of thank - ful praise!

Text: LM; Charles Coffin, 1676–1749; tr. by John Chandler, 1806–1876, alt.
Music: adapt. by Michael Praetorius, 1571–1621.

**Thank you for worshipping
with us today**



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EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



INTRODUCTORY RITE

Opening Hymn: **“Angels from the Realm of Glory”**

1. An - gels, from the realms of glo - ry, Wing your flight o'er
 2. Shep - herds, in the fields a - bid - ing, Watch - ing o'er your
 3. Sag - es, leave your con - tem - pla - tions, Bright - er vi - sions
 4. Though an in - fant now we view him, He shall fill his
 5. All cre - a - tion, join in prais - ing God, the Fa - ther,

1. all the earth; Ye who sang cre - a - tion's sto - ry,
 2. flocks by night, God on earth is now re - sid - ing;
 3. beam a - far; Seek the great De - sire of Na - tions,
 4. Fa - ther's throne, Gath - er all the na - tions to him;
 5. Spir - it, Son, Ev - er - more your voic - es rais - ing,

1. Now pro - claim Mes - si - ah's birth:
 2. Yon - der shines the in - fant light:
 3. Ye have seen his na - tal star: } Come and wor - ship,
 4. Ev - 'ry knee shall then bow down:
 5. To the e - ter - nal Three - in - One: }

1-5. come and wor - ship, Wor - ship Christ, the new - born King.

Text: 87 87 87; verses 1–3, James Montgomery, 1771–1854; verse 4, *Christmas Box*, 1825; verse 5, *Salisbury Hymn Book*, 1857. Music: Henry T. Smart, 1813–1879.

Gloria

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Reading I: *Isaiah 60: 1-6*

Responsorial: **Psalm 72**

Ev - 'ry na - tion on earth will a - dore you, Lord;
 ev - 'ry na - tion on earth will a - dore you, Lord.

Reading II: *Ephesians 3: 2-3, 5-6*

Gospel Acclamation

I
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - i - a!

II
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - i - a!

III
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - i - a!

Gospel: *Matthew 2: 1-12*

Homily

Profession of Faith

Prayer of the Faithful *“Be Born In Us. Be Born in Our World”*

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Presentation of Gifts *“We Three Kings”*

Verses

1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are; Bear - ing gifts we
2. Born a King on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold I bring to
3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I; In - cense owns a
4. Myrrh is mine; its bit - ter per - fume Breathes a life of
5. Glo - rious now be - hold him a - rise, King and God and

1. tra - verse a - far Field and foun - tain, Moor and moun - tain,
2. crown him a - gain, King for - ev - er, Ceas - ing nev - er
3. De - i - ty nigh; Prayer and prais - ing Glad - ly rais - ing,
4. gath - er - ing gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing, Bleed - ing, dy - ing,
5. Sac - ri - fice; “Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ial”

Refrain

1. Fol - low - ing yon - der star. O star of won - der,
2. O - ver us all to reign.
3. Wor - ship him, God on high.
4. Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.
5. Sounds through the earth and skies.

star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright; West - ward
lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light.

Text: 88 44 6 with refrain; based on Matthew 2:1-11.
Text and music: *Carols, Hymns and Songs*, 1863; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891, alt.

Holy

4
Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of
hosts. Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Please remain standing during the Eucharistic Prayer.

Mystery of Faith & Great Amen

RITE OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Lord's Prayer & Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

Holy Communion *After you receive Communion, you may be seated.*

“We Adore”

Verses

1. We a - dore these ti - ny hands come down to reach us,
2. We a - dore these lit - tle feet that have not walked yet,
3. We a - dore these lips that cry for earth - ly slak - ing;
4. As he chose this world, a moth - er, and a man - ger,

1. come to make the lame to walk, the blind to see.
2. for one day they'll lead the na - tions in - to love.
3. they will breathe the words of ev - er - last - ing life.
4. to be born a - midst our cru - el - ty and strife;

1. We a - dore these hands for one day they will free us
2. They will break be - neath the weight of all our bur - dens,
3. Though in ag - o - ny will on - ly speak for - give - ness;
4. so will he choose peace and mer - cy o - ver an - ger;

1: to Verse 2
2-4: to Refrain

1. as they hold the sin - forged nails of Cal - va - ry.
2. bleed - ing on the tear - stained road to Gol - go - tha.
3. in their thirst for love, will drink our bit - ter wine.
4. so will he die to bring us in - to life. (Continued)

(“We Adore” Continued)

Refrain
We a - dore him: ba - by, Sav - ior, King; heav - en's pure and per - fect
of - fer - ing. Sweet sal - va - tion, mer - cy, Lamb, and Lord;
1, Final to Verse 3 (Fine)
we a - dore, we a - dore.
2 to Verse 4
we a - dore.

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“The First Nowell”

Verses

1. The first No - well, the an - gel did say,
2. They look - ed up and saw a star
3. And by the light of that same star
4. This star drew nigh to the north - west,

1. Was to cer - tain poor shep - herds in fields as they lay;
2. Shin - ing in the east, be - yond them far;
3. Three wise men came from coun - try far;
4. O'er Beth - le - hem it took its rest.

1. In fields where they lay keep - ing their sheep,
2. And to the earth it gave great light,
3. To seek for a king was their in - tent,
4. And there it did both stop and stay,

1. On a cold win - ter's night that was so deep.
2. And so it con - tin - ued both day and night.
3. And to fol - low the star wher - ev - er it went.
4. Right o - ver the place where Je - sus lay.

Refrain
No - well, No - well, No - well, No - well,
Born is the King of Is - ra - el.

Text: Irregular with refrain; trad. English Carol, 17th cent.; verse 6, alt. Music: Trad. English Carol, 17th cent.