

Come, thou long-expected Jesus, born to set thy people free



The holiday season keeps us busy and holds plenty of distractions. Morning and evening prayer can be a great way to tether yourself back to the Lord, a time to be still and listen for what he has for you this Advent.

7 A.M. Monday through Saturday
5:15 P.M. Sunday through Friday
At the ministry center chapel

Morning and Evening Prayer



*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 for ever,
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.*



CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

Let the Son of the Most High seek you out this Advent—
So be silent, listen, and actively await his glorious entrance.

King, come to bring salvation to the world. As we enter into a time of worship this Advent season, take this opportunity to reflect and wait in anticipation of Christ's arrival. As you prayerfully meditate on your relationship with him, listen for his guidance and direction. It's with the hope of his coming, that we can confront our brokenness.

Advent
He came to us



Advent Services:
9 & 10:45am
11/27, 12/4, 12/11, 12/18

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Christmas Festival Day

DECEMBER 18, 2011

'Tis the season for celebrating God's greatest gift to the world! Join the Resurrection family as we embrace the gift of Jesus through giving back to those in need, and joyfully worshipping him through the arts of music and drama. You won't want to miss these spiritually enriching events for the whole family.

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Christmas Village: 10am-8pm, 12/18

Christmas Pageant: 5pm 12/18

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Christmas Village

December 18, 10 A.M. – 8 P.M.
Glenbard West Cafeteria



Do you enjoy supporting our missionaries and wondering through a village full of Christmas trees and yuletide cheer? It sounds too good to be true, but on December 18 you have the great opportunity to serve our overseas missionaries by purchasing Christmas gifts for those they minister to daily at Christmas Village 2011.

Stop by one of the many local “shops” at Christmas Village to purchase medical supplies, school books, or a goat for someone in need. All proceeds go to supplies for our missionaries and the people they serve. And while you’re embracing the joy of giving, enjoy a cup of coffee, pet a sheep, listen to the jubilant musicians, and wander through our Christmas tree forest!



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Christmas Pageant: The Road to Bethlehem

December 18, 5 P.M.
Glenbard West High School



The perfect way to prepare for Christmas, this year’s Christmas Pageant combines music, story, and drama to communicate the good news of a newborn King. We’ll hear the Christmas story as we travel The Road to Bethlehem through beautiful choral and orchestral music and dramatic readings. An event for the whole family, your children will enjoy a special program during part of the service designed especially for them.

Bring your friends and family for this joyful celebration and special night of creativity, art, and worship!
Christmas Eve & Christmas Day Services

Join us as we celebrate Christ’s arrival together on Christmas Eve at 4 p.m. or 9 p.m. on December 24th. Then bring your family to come and adore him, as we worship our Savior on Christmas morning, Sunday, December 25th at 11 a.m.



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