

## CALL TO WORSHIP

And an angel of the Lord suddenly stood before them,

**and the glory of the Lord shone around them;**

and they were terribly frightened.

**But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all the people;**

for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

**"This will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger."**

*—Luke 2:9-12 (NIV)*

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## Jesus is Lord!



Park & North Main Streets  
Newport, New Hampshire  
*by Nora Perry*

## Welcome

to

### First Baptist Church

Rev. Steve Hammond, Pastor

### Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 22, 2019

10:30 am

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
OF NEWPORT, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
SUNDAY WORSHIP  
Rev. Steve Hammond, Pastor

**Announcements**  
**December 22, 2019**  
Worship Service at 10:30 am

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Trumpet Call:..... Paul Craig  
Gathering Music  
Responsive Call to Worship:..... Luke 2:9-12  
Invocation Prayer

Testimonies of God's People  
Praise Songs  
Prayers of God's People  
Worship with Offering and Offertory  
Doxology / Prayer of Dedication  
Advent Candle Reading and Lighting:..... Isaiah 9:6

Scripture:..... Luke 2:1-21  
Sermon:..... by Rev Steve Hammond

**“The Christmas Cruc”**

Hymn:..... #120 Joy to the World  
Benediction

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Today— If you would like to know and follow Jesus Christ, please speak to pastor Hammond, or one of the deacons, “while it is still called today.”

Membership— If you are a believer and follower of Christ and are interested in joining this church, please speak to pastor Hammond.

*Today:*

Studio 13:13 is closed for the winter. It will reopen after Easter. There is a Sunday Devotional Study at 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm. All are welcome. For more information see <https://studio1313.weebly.com/>

*This Week:*

**Tuesday**, 6:30 pm, Christmas Eve Candlelight Service.

**Wednesday**, Merry Christmas!

**Thursday**, NO Praise Team rehearsal at the parsonage

**Friday**, NO Women's Bible Study in Claremont this week.

*Upcoming Events:*

Worship will be in the Vestry after Christmas. That is, unless Nicholas is able to play the organ once again this month.

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Ushers this week: Diane Davis and Donna Vassar  
Ushers next week: Melanie Possien and Sherry Sitkus