Hymn: (Stand) RS 502 Hark the Herald Angels Sing

Ninth Lesson Matthew 28: 16-20

Homily

Hymn: (Stand) Joy to The World

- 1. Joy to the world, the Lord is come; Let earth receive her king; Let ev-'ry heart prepare him room, And heav'n and nature sing, and heavn' and nature sing, and heav'n and nature, and nature sing.
- 2. Di-cho-sa tierra, el Sal-va-dor triun-fan-te ha de rei-nar! Re-sue-nen co -ros, cor-ros de lo-or, En cie-lo, tie-rra y mar, en cie-lo, tierra y mar, En cie-lo, tie-rra y vas-to mar.
- 3. He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove The glories of his righteousness, and wonders of his love, and wonders of his love, and wonders, won-ders of his love.

## Prayer, Blessing and Dismissal

Postlude: In Dulci Jubilo (BWV 729) Johann Sebastian Bach

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## A FESTIVAL OF LESSONS AND CAROLS



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### Prelude Music

How Brightly Shines the Morning Star Dietrich Buxtehude

May You Be Praised J.S.. Bach

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring J.S. Bach

The Sussex Mummers Carol Percy Grainger

## Procession: Angelus et Virginum

When the angel came secretly to the Virgin in her room, soothing the maiden's fear, he said: "Hail!

Hail, Queen of virgins.

While yet untouched by man you shall conceive and bear the Lord of heaven and earth, salvation for mankind.

You have become the gate of heaven, a remedy for sins."

"How can I conceive,

since I have not known a man?

How can I break the vow
I made with firm intent?"
"The grace of the Holy Spirit
shall bring all this to pass.

Fear not,

but rejoice, secure in the knowledge that pure chastity

shall remain yours

 $through \ \textit{God's mighty power."}$ 

Hymn: (Stand) Ritual Song 526 Once in Royal David's City

**Prayer** 

**First Lesson**: Genesis 3: 8–15; 17–19

Hymn: (Stand) RS 480 Savior of the Nations Come

Second Lesson Jer. 23:5-8

Zion Hears Her Watchman Calling

J.S.Bach

Third Lesson Isaiah 11: 1-10

Hymn: (Stand) RS 493 O Come, O Come Emmanuel vs.1-3

Fourth Lesson Isaiah 9: 1-6

In Splendoribus

Gregorian Chant

In holy splendor, from the womb before the daystar, I have begotten thee. 1. The Lord said to my Lord: sit at my right hand. 2. Until I make thy enemies thy footstool. The Lord will send the scepter of power out of Zion, rule thou in the midst of thine enemies.

Fifth Lesson Gospel of Luke 1: 26–35; 38

Lo How a Rose

Michael Praetorius

Sixth Lesson Luke 2: 1-18

Hymn: (stand) RS 504 Angels We Have Heard on High

Seventh Lesson Matt. 2: 1-12

The Coventry Carol

Arr. Ralph Vaughn Williams

Eighth Lesson John 1: 1-14