

Chancel Choir - Advent/Christmas 2017 -- "Angels Among Us"

(Click on [Links](#) for YouTube Anthems)

December 3rd, 10am – Advent 1 – Make Ready a People #morehope

Luke 1:5-25, 57-80

- Angel appears to Zechariah –Elizabeth will bear a son
- Zechariah struck dumb; John the Baptist is born; "Song of Zechariah"

[Lift Up Your Heads, O Ye Gates](#) / Mathias - or – [Advent Psalm](#) / Fettke

December 10th, 10am – Advent 2 – Nothing is impossible #morepeace

Luke 1:26-56

- Angel visits Mary – "nothing is impossible"
- Mary visits Elizabeth; Mary's Magnificat

[Mary, How Could You Have Known?](#) / Albrecht

December 17th, 10am – Advent 3 – Do Not Be Afraid #morejoy

Matthew 1:18-25

- Angel visits Joseph – "do not be afraid"
- Joseph takes Mary as his wife – Jesus is born

African Choir sings in morning worship

**** CHRISTMAS CONCERT at 3:30 IN THE AFTERNOON (Call 2:00pm)**

- [Glory to God in the Highest](#) / Pergolesi
 - [Shepherds' Farewell](#) / Berlioz
 - [See Amid the Winter's Snow](#) / Forrest
 - [Celebrate the Child](#) / Rouse
 - [A Song in the Air](#) / Raney
 - [Rudolph, Frosty & Suzy](#) / Hayes
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December 24th, 10am – Advent 4 – This Will Be a Sign #morelove

Luke 2:1-20

- Great census... travel to Bethlehem to register
- Shepherds living in the fields... keeping watch
- Angels – "Glory to God in the highest heaven"

[Glory to God in the Highest](#) / Pergolesi – OR – [A Song in the Air](#) / Raney

December 24th – Christmas Eve – Lessons & Carols Service at 9pm (Call 8:15pm)

[See, Amid the Winter's Snow](#) / Forrest

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December 31st, 10am – Christmastide 1 – Get up and Go #morelife

Matthew 2: 1-23

- Magi visit – encounter with Herod
- Escape to Egypt / Return to Nazareth after death of Herod

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