

*Closing Hymn 136

Go Tell It On The Mountain

*Charge and Benediction

*Benediction Response 136

Refrain from Go Tell It On The Mountain

*Go, tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere;
Go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born!*

*Postlude

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Please join us downstairs following worship for refreshments and fellowship.*

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Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church

Northglenn, Colorado

A Service of The Lord's Day

January 6, 2019 10:00 a.m.

Gathering Music

Welcome and Prayer Sharing

We are glad you are worshiping with us today! If you are visiting, we would appreciate you filling out the information card found in the pew rack. Please place it in the offering plate. Parts in **bold** are for everyone to speak in unison.

Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

Lighting of the Christ Candle

***Call to Worship**

We have seen a star in the East!

God is with us. Light has come!

We have heard the songs of the angels.

God is with us. Love has come!

Now we follow the light into the world.

God is with us. Christ has come!

***Opening Hymn 151**

We Three Kings

***Opening Prayer**

***Sung Response**

I Will Do a New Thing

"I will do a new thing in you; I will do a

new thing in you; What-ev - er you ask for, what-

ev - er you pray for, noth - ing shall be de -

nied," sa-ith the Lord; sa-ith the Lord! Lord!

***Passing of the Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

Hearing the Word

Prayer of Illumination

A Reading from the Hebrew Scriptures

Micah 5:2-5

For the Word of God in scripture,
For the Word of God among us,
For the Word of God within us,
Thanks be to God.

Anthem Come, Thou Fount (Jupiter) (Music by Wyeth and Holst arr. Garrett Breeze)

Time With the Children

*Children in grades K thru 5 are invited to go downstairs for
Sunday School following the Time with the Children.*

A Reading from the Gospels

Matthew 2:1-12

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“Ah-Ha”

Rev. Dana Hughes

Responding to the Word

***Hymn 152**

What Star Is This, with Beams So Bright

***Affirmation of Faith** from the Confession of 1967

**In Jesus of Nazareth,
true humanity was realized once for all.
Jesus, a Palestinian Jew,
lived among his own people
and shared their needs, temptations,
joys, and sorrows.
He expressed the love of God
in word and deed
and became a brother
to all kinds of sinful men and women.
But his complete obedience
led him into conflict with his people.**

**His life and teaching judged their goodness,
religious aspirations, and national hopes.
Many rejected him and demanded his death.
In giving himself freely for them,
he took upon himself the judgment
under which everyone stands convicted.
God raised him from the dead,
vindicating him as Messiah and Lord.
The victim of sin became the victor,
and won the victory
over sin and death for all.**

Offering

Our Shared Life in the Community and the World

Call for the Offering

Offertory Variations on Kingsfold (Traditional English arr. Garrett Breeze)

***Sung Response**

What Child Is This (vs. 3)

So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh; come, one and all, to own him.

The King of kings salvation brings; let loving hearts enthrone him.

Raise, raise the song on high. The virgin sings her lullaby.

Joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of Mary!

***Prayer of Dedication**

Communion

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

... we sing of the gladness of your mercy:

We praise your Son, our Morning Star.

Christ is our diamond bright,

our treasure dear.

He is our living Savior who has ransomed us in love.

He keeps us yours and fails us never –

today, tomorrow, and every day.

... With joy we tell our story: Alleluia!

Alleluia!

... And so we pray and praise:

Amen, amen, amen, amen.

Amen, amen, amen, amen.

Distribution of the Elements

Prayer After the Meal

God is so good; God is so good;

God is so good; God's so good to me.

CALENDAR

TODAY	Epiphany – Communion – Guest Preacher: Rev. Dana Hughes Sanctuary Rental (Emmanuel LLC)	5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	CE Planning Bible Study Choir	10:30 a.m. 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY	Scrapbookers (FH)	Noon – 11 p.m.
SATURDAY	Scrapbookers (FH)	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
NEXT SUNDAY	Communion – Annual Congregational Meeting after Worship Adult Sunday School Sanctuary Rental (Emmanuel LLC)	8:30 a.m. 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Adult Sunday School resumes on January 13th
- Annual Congregational Meeting – Sun., Jan. 13 – After Worship
- Pub Theology – 5:30 p.m. – Mon., Jan. 14 – Old Chicago (102nd & Grant)
- Session – Tues., Jan 15 – 6:30 p.m.
- Sometime Circle – Thurs., Jan. 17 – 12:30 p.m.
- Office Closed – Mon., Jan. 21 – Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday

Visit us on on-line at thegoodshepherd.org for more information on upcoming events.

Pastor Bill can be reached on the church office phone at 303-452-5478 or on his cell phone at 720-378-2025. His e-mail is bill@thegoodshepherd.org.

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THE WEEKLY NEWS

January 6, 2019



WELCOME friends, new and old! May God’s presence bring warmth, enlightenment and joy as we worship together. Please join us downstairs following worship for refreshments and fellowship.

A nursery is provided for children ages birth to 5 years.

We welcome to the pulpit this morning the Rev. Dana Hughes. Dana is the Transitional Presbytery Pastor for Denver Presbytery. She moved here from Atlanta, GA in October and started work on November 1. Dana is a professional transitional/interim minister, a graduate of Columbia Theological Seminary, a wife to Bill Hughes (who still lives and works in Atlanta), suspender-snapping mother of three scrumptious adult children (do NOT get her started!), a serial hobbyist who knits, gardens, writes, bakes, quilts and works with clay, and a long-time friend, fan and supporter of Bill Davis.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS are available in the Narthex.

THE FLOWER CHART FOR 2019 is now up in the Narthex. Please sign up for a specific date to honor a special person or event in your life. Arrangements are \$20 each and need to be paid for one week in advance for them to be ordered.

JUST A REMINDER: If you use a key to open any of the church doors, you need to use the key to lock it when you leave. This is especially important on Sunday mornings. The upper north door has been found unlocked several times on Monday mornings.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE FOOD BANK FOR JANUARY: Soups or chili and bar soap. Please place items in the bench in the Narthex or bring to the Food Bank. During December the Food Bank gave out 80 orders to 65 households, serving 196 clients.

RACIAL ETHNIC DIVERSITY WORK GROUP (RED) invites all the brothers and sisters in Denver Presbytery to observe Martin Luther King, Jr's Day together with a thoughtful conversation on issues of race, diversity, and inclusion, and worship service to celebrate our diversity. **Fearless Dialogue: MLK Day Edition will be on Monday, January 21 at Central Presbyterian Church.** We will first gather together at the City Park at 9:30 a.m. to join the MLK Day Parade, then head over to Central Presbyterian Church for a lunch, conversation, and worship. Come, join us as we continue to seek to inspire mutual affirmation of diversity in our Presbytery. Please RSVP @denpres.org/event.

THANKS TO EVERYONE who contributed to or bought Guatemalan goods for the Guatemala Mission Partnership. Thanks to you, we raised \$380 in merchandise sales and \$2,760 in donations.
--Marsha Morton and Fred Finke

Flock Notes

Birthdays: Jan. 8 Taya Mendez

Here's What's Happening----Please keep in your thoughts and prayers----**Angellé Myers**, continuing her recovery at home----All those fighting cancer: **Colleen Eastman, Conerd F., Christopher Utterback**----Continue to pray for our **military men & women and our first responders**----As a member of Denver Presbytery, let us pray for: **United Church of Montbello; Zhombe Presbyterian Church in Zimbabwe; and Presbytery Nominating Committee**----Let us know what's happening....drop off your news in the Church Office or call/e-mail it to us at office.barb@thegoodshepherd.org

GINGERSNAP: Feed your faith and doubt will starve to death.