Order of Service

DECEMBER 8, 2024 ~10:00 A.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TITHES & OFFERINGS

PRELUDE: "MIDNIGHT NOEL"

~ Judy Lam

CALL TO WORSHIP

ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING:

Praise: Celebration Hymnal #760

"WHILE WE ARE WAITING, COME"

PRAYER

Praise: Celebration Hymnal #278

"ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH"

CONFESSION

... Thanks be to God

*Celebration Hymnal #812 "Gloria Patri"

PASSING OF THE PEACE



SCRIPTURE READING: MALACHI 3:1-4

PHILIPPIANS 1:3-11

~ Sonal Patelia

MESSAGE: "THE STRAIGHT PATH"

~ Pastor Ed Choa

HYMN: CELEBRATION HYMNAL #290

"As WITH GLADNESS MEN OF OLD"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

... LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Closing Song: Celebrational Hymnal #685

"FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS"

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

.... ALL GOD'S PEOPLE SAY, ALLELUIA, AMEN!

Postlude: "I Have Decided To Follow Jesus"

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Pianist: Judy Lam

Vocalists: Virgie Reyes, Elder Peter Bade, Elder Brook Mantia,

SERMON NOTES: Second Sunday of Advent

The Straight Path

Luke 1:68-79; Malachi 3:1-4; Philippians 1:3-11; Luke 3:1-6

Luke 3:5"A voice of one calling in the wilderness, 'Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him.

1. Malachi 3:2-3 "2 But who can endure the day of his coming? Who can stand when he appears? For he will be like a refiner's fire or a launderer's soap. 3 He will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver; He will purify the Levites and refine them like gold and silver.

2. Philippians 1:5, 6, 9-11" 5 because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, 6 being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

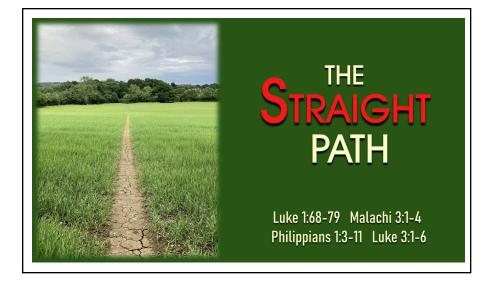
9 And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, 10 so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, 11 filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ—to the glory and praise of God.

3. _____Luke 3:6 And all people will see God's salvation

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