



Welcome to Worship at FBC Elon

Sunday, January 4, 2026

Epiphany Sunday

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Jill Brinkley

David Durham

Song of Praise #118

What Child Is This

Scripture

Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14

David Durham

Invocation/Lord's Prayer

Song of Praise #117

As with Gladness Men of Old

Ministry Highlight

January Mission: Burlington Animal Services

Offertory Prayer

Susan Reinheimer

Special Music

We Three Kings

Worship Choir

Sermon

"Wise Guys and Starry Skies"
Matthew 2:1-12

David Durham

Closing Hymn #95 (vs.1,3)

Go, Tell It on the Mountain

Benediction

David Durham

Postlude

Ministry Opportunities

Today

Morning Worship – 11 am

Lunch & Undecorate Church – 12:30 pm

Tuesday – Golden Years Bingo/Birthday – 1:30 pm

Wednesday – Choir Rehearsal – 6:30 pm

Thursday – Winter Bible Study (Facebook) – 6:30 pm
"The Call: The Life and Message of the Apostle Paul"

Friday – Fellowship Hall reserved all day

Next Sunday – Church Council – 4 pm

CBF Global Missions - \$2,070

Nursery Workers: Kathy & Lisa

Next Sunday, January 11

"rooted" Prayer Time – 9:20 am

Sunday School – 9:45 am

Worship – 11 am

Church Council – 4 pm

Youth/Children – 5 pm

January Missions Ingathering - Burlington Animal Services - we'll be collecting items for the animal shelter. Especially needed: dry dog and cat food - specially Kibbles'N Bits, Iams, Meow Mix, Purina ProPlan (puppy and kitten). Also, leashes, collars, harnesses (all sizes), blankets, (specially fleece throws), bath towels, toys and treats (no rope toys/no rawhide please), peanut butter, and hand sanitizers. Collection bins located in the Communications Center & Fellowship Hall.

Welcome to all visitors worshipping with us today. If you would, please fill out a visitor card located in the pew and drop in the offering plate as you leave. We look forward to seeing you soon.

What Child is This

Verse 1

What Child is this, who, laid to rest
On Mary's lap, is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
While shepherds watch are keeping?

Chorus

This, this is Christ the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing.
Haste, haste to bring Him laud,
The Babe, the Son of Mary!

Verse 2

Why lies He in such mean estate,
Where ox and ass are feeding?
Good Christian, fear: for sinners here
The silent Word is pleading.

Chorus

Verse 3

So bring Him incense, gold, and myrrh,
Come, peasant, king, to own Him;
The King of kings salvation brings,
Let loving hearts enthrone Him.

Chorus

As with Gladness Men of Old

Verse 1

As with gladness men of old
Did the guiding star behold
As with joy they hailed its light
Leading onward, beaming bright
So most gracious Lord, may we
Evermore be led to Thee

Verse 2

As with joyful steps they sped
To that lowly manger bed
There to bend the knee before Him
whom heav'n and earth adore
So, may we with willing feet
Ever seek the mercy seat

Verse 3

As they offered gifts most rare
At the manger rude and bare
So may we with holy joy
Pure and free from sin's alloy
All our costliest treasures bring
Christ, to Thee our heav'nly King

Verse 4

Holy Jesus, ev'ry day
Keep us in the narrow way
And when earthly things are past
Bring our ransomed souls at last
Where they need no star to guide
Where no clouds Thy glory hide

Go, Tell It on the Mountain

Chorus

Go tell it on the mountain,
Over the hills and ev'rywhere;
Go tell it on the mountain,
That Jesus Christ is born!

Verse 1

While shepherds kept their watching,
O'er silent flocks by night;
Behold through-out the heavens
There shone a holy light.

Chorus

Verse 3

Down in a lowly manger,
The humble Christ was born;
And God sent us salvation
That blessed Christmas morn.

Chorus



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