

STAUNTON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
Worshipping Christ with Joy, Living Together in Peace,
and Serving the World with Love
11:00 A.M. Online Worship December 27, 2020
The First Sunday after Christmas

CONTINUING THE WORK OF JESUS
PEACEFULLY. SIMPLY. TOGETHER.

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Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship:

Arise, shine, for your light has come,
and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.
For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the
peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory
will appear over you.
Nations shall come to your light,
and kings to the brightness of your dawn.
The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light;
those who lived in a land of deep darkness, on them
light has shined.
Let us celebrate the Light of the world,
for upon us has the Light shined.
(from Isaiah 9 and 60, NRSV)

Speaker – Bruce Bowman
Worship Leader – Marilyn Garber
Music Director - David MacMillan
Organist/Pianist - Gaylon Hevener

Invocation

Hymn: **“ The first Noel, the angel did say”** **#199**

Scripture Reading **Luke 2:22-40**

Message **“Promises, Promises”**

Special Music

Congregation at Prayer

Hymn: **“Good Christian friends, rejoice”** **#210**

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Postlude