

Meeting Christ Again



Women arriving at the tomb by He Qi

We praise you God for the light of a small candle,
We praise you for an unknown baby lying in a manger,
We praise you for a trickle of water
as a sign and seal of your covenant,
We praise you for seeds of expectation
scattered among impoverished communities.



He is risen by He Qi

A voice cries in the wilderness, Prepare ye a way for the Lord.
And so during this season we will prepare a way for you,
A place where hope can flourish,
A place where we live the present with God's end in mind,
Where all will be reconciled, where the streets are full of jubilation,
Where all will live with dignity and well-being, where all will be well.

We praise you for this Advent season
Open our eyes that we might see your ever-moving spirit,
Loosen our hands that we may join together across all barriers,
That we usher in Christ's reign on earth as it is in heaven.

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