

Notes:

Sermon Text

Subject

Spiritual "To Do List"
(things God has shown me today)

Enter to Worship. Depart to Serve.

✦ ✦ ✦
 The advent of our God!
 Behold, the Lord is near!
 Greet His approach, ye saints, again,
 With hymns of love revere.

✦ ✦ ✦
 The everlasting Son
 Scorns not the Virgin's womb:
 That we from bondage may be freed
 He bears a bondsman's doom.

✦ ✦ ✦
 Daughter of Sion, rise,
 Behold thy lowly King!
 And haste to meet Him, nor reject
 The peace He deigns to bring.

✦ ✦ ✦
 As Judge He will return
 On clouds with lightning riven,
 And the One Body of His Saints
 In triumph bear to Heaven.

✦ ✦ ✦
 Before that day appears,
 Let sin's dark deeds be gone;
 The old man all be put away,
 The new man all put on.

✦ ✦ ✦
 Till He shall come again,
 With all the Heavenly host,
 Praise God the Father, God the Son,
 And God the Holy Ghost.

—The Sarum Hymnal, 1869

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O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

VENI EMMANUEL

From the Latin, 12th Century

Stanzas 1, 4 Tr. by John M. Neale, 1818-1866

Stanzas 2-3 Tr. by Henry S. Coffin, 1877-1934

Plainsong, 13th Century

1. O come, O come, Em-man - u - el, And ran - som cap-tive
 2. O come, Thou Wis - dom from — on high, And or - der all things
 3. O come, De - sire of Na - tions; bind All peo - ples in one
 4. O come, thou Day - spring, come and cheer Our spir - its by Thine

Is - ra - el, That mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here
 far — and nigh; To us the path of knowl - edge show,
 heart — and mind. Bid en - vy, strife, and quar - rels cease;
 ad - vent here; Dis - perse the gloom - y clouds of night,

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Un - til the Son of God — ap - pear.
 And cause us in her ways — to go. Re - joice! Re - joice! Em -
 Fill the whole world with heav - en's peace.
 And death's dark shadows put to flight.

man - u - el Shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el!

Lo! He Comes, with Clouds Descending

REGENT SQUARE

John Cennick, 1718-1755

Alt. by Charles Wesley, 1707-1788

Henry T. Smart, 1813-1879

1. Lo! He comes, with clouds de-scend-ing, Once for fa - vored sin - ners slain;
 2. Ev - 'ry eye shall now be-hold Him, Robed in dread-ful maj - es - ty!
 3. Now the Sav - iour, long ex - pect - ed, See in sol - emn pomp ap - pear.

Thou-sand thou-sand saints at - tend - ing Swell the tri - umph of His train.
 Those who set at naught and sold Him, Pierced, and nailed Him to the tree,
 All His saints, by man re - ject - ed, Now shall meet Him in the air.

Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! God ap - pears on earth to reign.
 Deep - ly wail - ing, deep - ly wail - ing, Shall the true Mes - si - ah see.
 Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! See the day of God ap - pear.

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When We See Christ

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1. Oft-times the day seems long, Our tri - als hard to bear; We're tempted to com-
2. Sometimes the sky looks dark, With not a ray of light; We're tossed and driven
3. Life's day will soon be o'er, All storms for-ev-er past. We'll cross the great di-

plain, To mur-mur and de- spair. But Christ will soon ap - pear To catch His
on, No hu-man help in sight. But there is One in heav'n Who knows our
vide To glo - ry, safe at last. We'll share the joys of heav'n, A harp, a

bride a - way, All tears for - ev - er o - ver In God's e - ter - nal day,
deep - est care. Let Je - sus solve your prob-lem; Just go to Him in pray'r.
home, a crown. The tempt-er will be ban-ish-ed; We'll lay our bur-dens down.

REFRAIN

It will be worth it all ——— When we see Je - sus. ——— Life's trials will

seem so small ——— When we see Christ! ——— One glimpse of His dear face. ——— All

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sor - row will e - rase. ——— So brave-ly run the race ——— Till we see Christ.