

“Magnify the Lord”

December 4, 2022

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Oh, **magnify** the Lord with me,
And let us exalt His name together.

(Psalm 34:3)

I will praise the name of God with a song,
And will **magnify** Him with thanksgiving.

(Psalm 69:30)

And Mary said:
My soul **magnifies** the Lord,
And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior.
For He has regarded the lowly state of His maidservant;
For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed.
For He who is mighty has done great things for me,
And holy *is* His name.
And His mercy *is* on those who fear Him
From generation to generation.
He has shown strength with His arm;
He has scattered *the* proud in the imagination of their hearts.
He has put down the mighty from *their* thrones,
And exalted *the* lowly.
He has filled *the* hungry with good things,
And *the* rich He has sent away empty...

(Luke 1:46-53)

He must increase,
But I must decrease.

(John 3:30)

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(Children Light Candles)

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(Children put out the Candles)

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Please join us on Zoom at 11:00 am Sunday for a discussion.

(Help is always appreciated: putting away the altar, taking down the quilt and rolling up the rug, stacking the chairs on the carts)

Please note: This service is live-streamed and recorded.

You and your family may be on camera, and your comments will be part of the livestream and recording.

Musicians: Jennica Nobre

Lisa & Kent Cooper, Charity Smith, Peter Mergen, Graham Bier

Altar: Kaye & Jay Lermite

Livestreaming: Frank Stanley

Sound: Keith Genzlinger

It should be recognized that all evil flows in from hell and all good from the Lord by way of heaven. The reason evil becomes our own is because we believe and convince ourselves that we think and practice it all by ourselves. In this way we make it our own. **But if we believed what is really the case, it would not be evil but good from the Lord that became our own.** For if we believed what is really the case we would think, the instant evil flowed in, that it came from the evil spirits present with us; and since that was what we thought, the angels could ward that evil off and repel it. For influx from angels takes place into what we know and believe, not into what we do not know or believe.

(Secrets of Heaven 6206)