

**First Baptist Church Lincoln
December 21, 2025
Order of Worship**

Life Together and Welcome

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Acts 2:42

Call to Worship (TWC #153)

**Love Came Down at Christmas
(Read in Unison)**

Love Came Down at Christmas,
love all lovely, love divine;
love was born at Christmas -
star and angels gave the sign.

Worship we the Godhead,
love incarnate, love divine;
worship we our Jesus -
what shall be our sacred sign?

Love shall be our token,
love be yours and love be mine;
love to God and neighbor,
love for prayer and gift and sign.
Christina Rossetti, 1883

Congregational Reading Galatians 3:28

28 There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

Opening Song In Christ There Is No East or West (TWC #697)

Prayer Time

..... Needs of the People and Praises
..... Silent Reflection
..... Lord's Prayer

Congregational Reading Philippians 2:11

11 and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

Praise Song He Is Lord
..... (TWC #97) verses 2 & 3

Congregational Reading 1 John 4:19

19 We love because he first loved us.

Praise Song O, How I Love Jesus (TWC #509)

Congregational Reading Luke 2:11

11 Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord.

Praise Song Mary's Little Boy Child (TWC #178)

Message

Lighting of the Advent Candle (Love)

Alter Call

Offering Prayer

Response Song No Greater Love

Benediction