



# EveryDay Worship

Create a space where you can relax, and breathe and enjoy EveryDay Worship.



## Monday

### Call to Worship\*

The time is surely coming when our love for one another and all of God's children will increase.

We will live into that time with hope and joy.

The day is surely coming when God will strengthen our hearts with humility and holiness.

We will anticipate that day as we reach out to serve all of those in need.

The days are surely coming when we will walk the paths of faithfulness and steadfast love.

We begin this journey, knowing that all of God's promises will be fulfilled.

### Music

#### Contemporary

[New Today](#) Micah Tyler

#### Traditional

[Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming](#) Hugo Distler

### Scripture Reading

[Jeremiah 33:14-16](#)

[1 Thessalonians 3:9-13](#)

### Personal Reflection

#### Prayer\*\*

The days are surely coming.....we hear that every year at Advent and we want that to be true this year more than ever, O God. In 2020 we've been waiting for signs that the pandemic is under control, for election results to be certified, for the voices of the oppressed to be heard. Every year we wait, God. We're tired of waiting, tired of the anxiety, tired of the mistrust, tired of needing to work so hard to determine truth from fiction, tired of power and money ruling the day. Maybe we're looking in the wrong places, or maybe we choose not to see. Break into our complacency and tiredness with your hope. Give us eyes to see your presence and love all around us. Give us the courage to be hope for others. Help raise our heads, to look up, and be alert. Help us believe and live in full expectation that something is happening in our world, that you are breaking into our world and into our lives. The days are surely coming....help us trust in your promises. Amen.

#### Benediction\*\*

This Advent we will dedicate ourselves to the One who fulfills promises and holds us in steadfast love. We will wait for the Promised one to come into our lives.

\*-adapted from a Call to Worship written by Thom Shuman, and posted on his excellent **Lectionary Liturgies** blog. <http://lectionaryliturgies.blogspot.ca/>

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