



Christmas Eve



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Thoughts for Preparation

For a child has been born for us, a Son is given to us; authority rests upon his shoulders; and he is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. - Isaiah 9:2

Christmas reveals a God who has entered our world as it actually exists, and not as the world we often wish it would be.We've lost the plot if we use religion as the place where we escape from difficult realities instead of as the place where those difficult realities are given meaning. - Nadia Bolz-Webber

Prelude "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" arr. R. Willis
Bill Tate, Trumpet

Welcome

Introit "Silent Night, Holy Night!" Stille Nacht
Children's Choir

Call to Worship *Molly and MacKenzie MacDonald*

Emmanuel: God, you are with us.

We have heard the promise of the prophets.

We have caught the notes of an angel's song.

We have seen a star in the heavens, and we have believed.

Tonight we have come to be with you because
you have come to be with us.

We seek an innocent, helpless baby in a crude manger.

We see a Messiah who will reign with justice.

**And you, who are the most humble and
the most mighty, have found us.**

Now we may find ourselves.

Now we may truly worship you.

**Now we may sing with the angels: "Glory to God in the
highest! Peace on earth and goodwill among all people."
Amen.**

* Hymn #133 "O Come All Ye Faithful" Adeste Fideles

Candle Lighting Liturgy *Shelley Bennett and Donna Kenyon*

Tonight, we celebrate hope fulfilled in the birth of Christ.

Joy to the world! The Lord has come.

Tonight, we celebrate the promise of peace on earth.

Let earth receive her King.

Tonight, we celebrate the joy of knowing a Savior has come.

Let every heart prepare him room.

Tonight, we celebrate the love of God, through Jesus Christ.

Joy to the world, the Savior reigns

Lighting the Christ Candle

* Hymn #134 "Joy to the World"

God's Word to Us John 1:1-18

Anthem "Highland Carol" arr. Fettke and Grassi
Chancel Choir

Meditation "Christmas Meditation" *Pastor Joe Albright*

Special Music "What Child Is This?" Greensleeves
Cori Moore

Offering Our Gifts to God

Offertory "Sing We Now of Christmas" arr. J. Phillips
Handbell Choir
Julie Pearson, Tambourine

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

Call to Prayer #471 "O Lord, Hear My Prayer"

Shelley Bennett

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Receiving God's Gifts

Invitation to Bear the Light

* Hymn #122 "Silent Night, Holy Night!" Stille Nacht

Charge and Blessing

* Postlude "Joy to the World" arr. Che

** Denotes please stand if able.*



Welcome to Our Visitors

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***May the fullness of Christ's peace be yours
in this holy season!***

***If you don't have a church home,
we would love for you to make Trinity yours.
Merry Christmas!***



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