



Christmas Eve

Friday | December 24, 2021 | 7:00, 9:00 & 11:00 p.m.

Christmas Eve Candlelight

LEADING IN WORSHIP

Rev. Dr. Daniel Meyer.....Lead Pastor
Noelle Combs....Senior Director of Worship & Music/Conductor
Marianne KimOrganist
Margo Misiaszek.....Pianist
Mary Grittani.....Bells
Chamber Orchestra.....All
Chancel Choir.....7:00 & 9:00
Chamber Choir.....11:00

7:00 Rev. Dr. Dave Bianchin.....Visitation Pastor

9:00 Aaron Foster.....Creative Arts Director

11:00 Suanne Camfield.....Women's Ministry & Engagement Director

We GATHER to Worship

PRELUDE

String Quintet

Julia Tsien, Pianist

WELCOME & INVOCATION

Rev. Dr. Daniel Meyer

HYMNS OF ADORATION

Choir & Congregation

Please wear your mask to stand and sing.

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing & Joy to the World

THE BIBLE PROCLAIMS CHRIST'S COMING

Please remain standing and masked to join in a responsive Scripture reading from Isaiah 9 & Luke 2.

Angels We Have Heard on High (McChesney)

Mary Grittani, Bells

Margo Misiaszek, Piano

We RECEIVE God's Word

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

I Wonder as I Wander (J. Niles)

Brad Jungwirth, Soloist

I wonder as I wander out under the sky, how Jesus the Savior did come for to die for poor on'ry people like you and like I. I wonder as I wander out under the sky. When Mary birthed Jesus 'twas in a cow's stall, with wise men and farmers and shepherds and all; but high from God's heaven a star's light did fall, and the promise of ages it then did recall. If Jesus had wanted for any wee thing: a star in the sky or a bird on the wing, or all of God's angels in heav'n for to sing, He surely could have it 'cause he was the King.

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

The First Noel (arr. Forrest)

Choir & Orchestra

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

Mary, Did You Know? (arr. Lowry & Greene)

Dana Campbell, Soloist

Mary, did you know that your baby boy would one day walk on water, would save our sons and daughters, has come to make you new? This Child that you delivered will soon deliver you. Mary, did you know that your baby boy will give sight to the blind man, would calm a storm with His hand, has walked where angels trod? And when you kiss your little baby you have kissed the face of God. The blind will see, the deaf will hear, the dead will live again! The lame will leap, the dumb will speak the praises of the Lamb! Mary, did you know that your baby boy is Lord of all creation, will one day rule the nations, was heaven's perfect Lamb? And the sleeping Child you're holding is the Great I Am!

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

O Come, All Ye Faithful (arr. Forrest)

Choir & Orchestra

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

Joseph's Lullaby (Millard & Bannister)

William Combs, Soloist

Go to sleep, my Son, this manger for your bed. You have a long road before you; rest your little head. Can you feel the weight of your glory? Do you understand the price? Or does the Father guard your heart for now so you can sleep tonight? Go and chase your dreams. This world can wait for one more moment; go and sleep in peace. I believe the glory of heaven is lying in my arms tonight. Lord, I ask that He, for just this moment, simply be my child.

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

Away in a Manger (arr. Nelson)

Choir & Bells; Erika Morrison, Soloist

We OFFER Ourselves to God

THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

O Holy Night (A. Adam)

Olga Bojovic, Soloist

O Holy Night! The stars are brightly shining; it is the night of the dear Savior's birth. Long lay the world in sin and error pining till He appeared and the soul felt its worth. A thrill of hope, the weary world rejoices; for yonder breaks a new and glorious morn. Fall on your knees! Oh, hear the angel voices! O night divine, the night when Christ was born. Truly He taught us to love one another. His law is love, and His gospel is peace. Chains shall He break, for the slave is our brother. And in His name all oppression shall cease. Sweet hymns of joy in grateful chorus raise we. Let all within us praise His holy name. Christ is the Lord! Then ever praise we! His power and glory ever more proclaim!

We RESPOND to God's Word

A PRAYER AT CHRISTMAS

HYMN OF RESPONSE

Choir & Congregation

Please wear your mask to stand and sing.

Silent Night, Holy Night

BENEDICTION *(Please remain standing)*

Pastor and Liturgist will be available in the Garden Chapel for prayer following the service.

POSTLUDE

Marianne Kim, Organist

Joy To The World! (arr. Hustad)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Service Time Note | On Sundays, December 26 and January 2 there will be only one hour of each expression of Worship: Classic at 9:00 a.m. & Contemporary at 10:45 a.m. Two services resume Communion Sunday, January 9, 2022.

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