

# CHRISTMAS EVE

<b>GATHERING MUSIC</b>	<i>Christmas Gloria</i>	
<b>*SONG OF PRAISE</b>	<i>Joy to the World</i>	Faith+1
<b>WELCOME AND OPENING PRAYER</b>		Jonathan Swanson
<b>LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLES</b>		Jackson Harkness, Adam Thompson
<b>*OPENING CAROL</b>	<i>O Come, All Ye Faithful</i>	#133
<b>INSTRUMENTAL</b>	<i>Carol of the Bells</i>	Makayla Kline, Isaiah Newland, Violette Roberts
<b>TELLING THE CHRISTMAS STORY</b>		
<b>SCRIPTURE</b>	Luke 2:1-7	Austin Zalusky
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>O Little Town of Bethlehem</i> (vs 1)	#121
<b>SCRIPTURE READING</b>	Luke 2:8-14	Wezi Blunt
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>Hark! The Herald Angels Sing</i> (v. 1)	#119
<b>SCRIPTURE READING</b>	Luke 2:15-20	Chris Ramsey
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>Go, Tell It on the Mountain</i> (chorus, v.1, chorus)	#136

*\*All who are able may stand*

<b>MESSAGE</b>	What's Christmas All About?	
<b>MUSIC</b>	<i>Little Drummer Boy</i>	Youth & Faith+1

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 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.**

<b>*CAROL</b>	<i>It Came Upon a Midnight Clear</i> (vs. 1, 2, 4, 5)	#123
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<b>*CLOSING PRAYER</b>	Luke 2:10-11
<i>I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people: to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord. Amen.</i>	

<b>*CLOSING CAROL</b>	<i>Silent Night! Holy Night!</i> Candle Lighting	#122
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## \*PARTING MUSIC

### Use of Candles

CHILDREN up to the age of 8 years old will be given a glow stick. Please do not break the stick (which makes it glow) until the candles are being lit during "Silent Night." Everyone should hold their candle in such a manner as to ensure safety for themselves and the people around them, as well as for the furnishings and building.

## Welcome Guests

We welcome all who are worshipping with us this evening. If you are our guest, we pray that your experience will nurture your faith and that you feel welcome in this community of faith. Please join us every Sunday morning at 10:00 am for worship for all ages. Nursery available.

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**Faith+1:** Jordan Kennison, Leader, Ryan Gulick, Elijah Newland,  
Susan Ripple, Rob "Rip" Ripple



*this night, we are*  
**THOSE WHO**  
**DREAM**  
*christmas eve*

*December 24, 2022*

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