

4. Silent night, holy night! Wondrous star,
lend thy light; with the angels let us sing
Alleluia to our King: Christ the Savior is
born; Christ the Savior is born.

The Christmas Prayer

John Porter

Benediction

John Porter

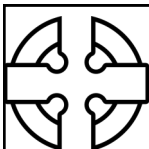
***Hymn No. 134 "Joy to the World" vs. 1,4**

1. Joy to the world, the Lord is come!
Let earth receive her king;
let every heart prepare him room,
and heaven and nature sing,
and heaven and nature sing,
and heaven, and heaven and nature sing.
4. He rules the world with truth and grace,
and makes the nations prove
the glories of his righteousness
and wonders of his love,
and wonders of his love,
and wonders, wonders of his love.

Postlude "Joy to the World" Kristina Langlois

Christmas Day Worship
Sunday, December 25 at 10:00 am
Come and Worship the New Born King!

Come as you are (Pajamas are welcome) for carols, coffee and cinnamon rolls - or live stream the service!



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Christmas Eve

4:30

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Celebrating the Birth of our Savior
4:30 pm

Prelude	“English Carol Medley”	Hayes/Wagner
Welcome & Call to Worship		Laura Essinger-Hileman
Scripture Reading	Isaiah 9:2-7	Chrysalis
Music	“Prophets Knew” LOGOS	Lloyd Larson
Scripture Reading	Luke 2:2-7	Chrysalis
Music	“Alepun” Setting by Joel Martinson LOGOS	
Litany for Christmas	Deannine Shipman, Kate Gilmore, Camden Behrer	

Leader: Listen! I am standing at the door, knocking; if you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in and eat with you, and you with me.

Mary & Joseph: Our names are Mary and Joseph. We are weary from our travels. Will you give us lodging?

Congregation: We don't care what your name is. We will not let you enter. You are strangers. Let us sleep!

Leader: He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him. He came to his own people, but they did not accept him. But to all who received him and believed in his name he gave power to become children of God.

Congregation: Who are the children of God?

Mary & Joseph: All who are led by the Spirit are children of God.

Congregation: What does the Spirit guide us to do?

Mary: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

Joseph: The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control

Congregation: How do we know that we love the Lord and have faith?

Leader: If someone is naked and lacks daily food, and you do not supply their needs, what good is that? Faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

Congregation: Enter, Mary and Joseph! Enter, holy pilgrims! We will gladly give you lodging: There is room in our home and room in our hearts.

Scripture Reading Luke 2:8-19 Chrysalis

Call to Offering & Prayer of Dedication Chrysalis

***Offertory** “Hodie Christus Natus Est”
LOGOS Michael Bedford

Meditation John Porter

Lighting of Christ Candle
Deannine Shipman and John Porter

Passing of Light

***Hymn No. 122** “Silent Night”

1. Silent night, holy night! All is calm, all is bright. 'Round yon virgin mother and child! Holy infant, so tender and mild, sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.
2. Silent night, holy night! Shepherds quake at the sight; glories stream from heaven afar, heavenly hosts sing “Alleluia; Christ the Savior is born; Christ the Savior is born!”
3. Silent night, holy night! Son of God, love's pure light. Radiant beams from thy holy face, with the dawn of redeeming grace, Jesus, Lord, at thy birth, Jesus Lord, at thy birth.