

**CANDLELIGHT CHORAL CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE**  
**A CELEBRATION OF CHRIST'S BIRTH**  
**December 24, 2020**

Christmas Greeting  
HYMN ~ O, Come, All Ye Faithful  
(LSB #379 vs. 1, 3 & 4)

Words of Welcome  
Blessing & Confession  
Prayer

1st Reading – ISAIAH 9:2-7  
2nd Reading -- MICAH 5:2-4  
Hymn ~ O Little Town of Bethlehem  
(LSB #361 vs. 1, 3 & 4)

3<sup>rd</sup> Reading – LUKE 1:26-35, 38  
Solo by Michael Prashad ~ *“What Her Heart Remembered”*

4<sup>th</sup> Reading -- LUKE 2:1-7  
Solo by Lori Jantzi ~ *“The Star Carol”*

5<sup>th</sup> Reading -- LUKE 2:8-14  
HYMN ~ Hark! The Herald Angels Sing  
(LSB #380 — vs. 1 - 3)

6<sup>th</sup> Reading -- LUKE 2:15-20  
Hymn ~ There's a Song in the Air!  
(GHF #97)

Christmas Message ~ “THE ONE TRUE LIGHT” (John 1:1-9)  
by Rev. Richard Orlowski

Christmas Creed  
Hymn ~ Joy to the World  
(LSB #387 — vs. 1, 3 & 4)

Christmas Offering  
Prayer & Lord's Prayer

**Carols in the Candlelight**

Hymn ~ Away in a Manger  
(LSB #365)

Hymn ~ It Came upon the Midnight Clear  
(LSB #366 vs. 1 & 4)

Hymn ~ Infant Holy, Infant Lowly  
(LSB #393)

Hymn ~ What Child Is This  
(LSB #370 — vs. 1 & 3)

Closing Hymn ~ Silent Night, Holy Night  
(LSB 363 — vs. 1,2)

*The Christmas Blessing*  
Silent Night, Holy Night (vs. 3)



***THANK YOU*** all for joining us this evening online and celebrating the birth of Christ Jesus.

***A REMINDER*** that there will ***NOT*** be a Christmas Day Service this year. Also, our Regular Sunday Services will be pre-recorded, once again, while our region is in “lockdown” (no in person worship). The Sunday service recordings will be ready for viewing, on our website, each Sunday morning.

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***WE BELIEVE*** it is very important for people to know that Jesus is their Saviour. And the way life is in our world these days, we need something that will give us real hope and real comfort. We need something real—a promise that means something. Our newborn King has given us that! That's why Christmas is an important time for us. It is a reminder that God kept His promise and sent us His Son as our Saviour. It is our hope that your relationship with Christ is strengthened in the coming year. We hope you have a Blessed Christmas!