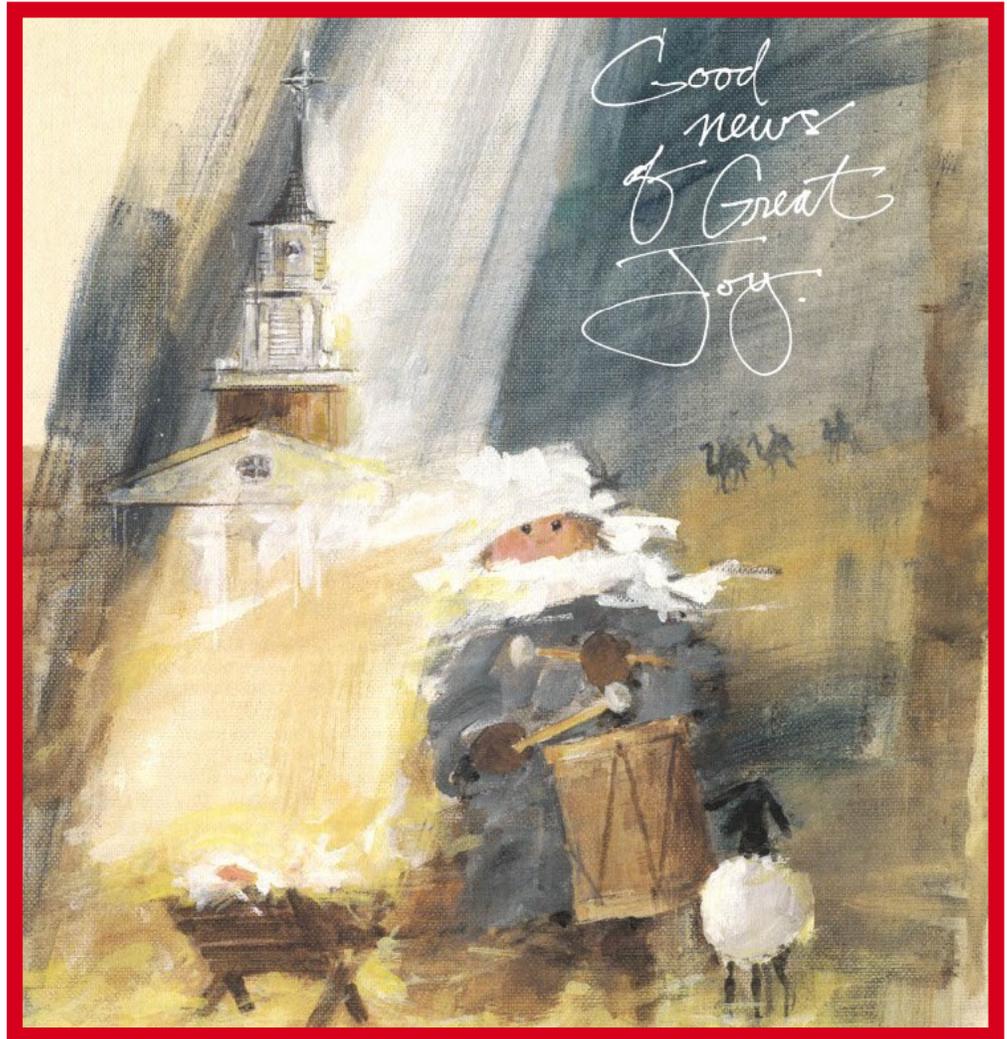


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# O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

## CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP 2020



**WORTHINGTON**  
**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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## O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

It is a pleasure and honor to welcome you to our Christmas Eve Worship this year – a year like no other in memory, and one full of hardship, difficulty and uncertainty. But through all of this, it's been a year in which we learned there is certainly more than one way to be together worshipping God. And so, we bring here opportunities for you to worship meaningfully and richly this Christmas. No matter your age, no matter your connection to church, no matter whether a life-long Christian or a seeker: you are indeed welcome here.

To our members of Worthington Presbyterian Church, we hope that today in worship each of you finds some connection to those things that have made WPC an important part of your life. And while you are likely going to miss some of our traditions because of the barriers we all currently share, may you find that Christmas Eve worship at Worthington is alive and well, that God and Christ are honored, and your soul is nourished.

To our friends and visitors, please know how blessed we feel by your presence. Worship at Worthington Presbyterian Church is often “attended” by persons from coast to coast! So, wherever you are, know that this can be a church home for you, for however long you wish. We are a vibrant congregation, guided by the tagline, “*Brought to you by Jesus...to make a difference*” trying to show the world a glimpse of the Kingdom of God by providing community dinners, working in Honduras with an orphanage, paying off medical debt throughout Ohio, creating a learning center for local children, building Habitat houses, and on and on. This is how we proclaim the Gospel.

Again, let me welcome you, and, on behalf of the pastors and entire staff of this wonderful church, wish each of you a blessed Christmas.

Julia Wharff Piermont  
Senior Pastor

## CHRISTMAS EVE 2020

ALL SERVICES FEATURE A BEAUTIFUL VARIETY OF FESTIVE MUSIC

- **Family Worship** (online) – pages 1-3. Children's Pageant. Posts at 12:00 noon.
- **Candlelight Festival of Adoration** (online) – pages 4-8. Livestreams at 5:00 p.m. Dr. Julia Wharff Piermont, preaching
- **Candlelight Carol Sing** (at church, outdoors) – page 9. At 7:30 p.m., with masks and candle (or other light), a very brief gathering around the church portico for prayer, carols, and candlelight.
- **Candlelight Communion** (online) – pages 10-12. Posts at 11:00 p.m. Dr. Tom Rice, preaching.
- **How to connect online** – Enter **YouTube Worthington Presbyterian Church** in your search-engine's browser and click on "Videos." Or, go to [www.wpcnow.org](http://www.wpcnow.org) and click on the "WORSHIP" tab and then "DECEMBER 2020 SERVICES."
- **Ways to enhance worshipping in your home** – For candle-lighting at the end of the worship services, please feel free to stop by church to borrow candles with drip-catchers or to obtain more copies of this bulletin.

# O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

## CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP, DECEMBER 24, 2020



### CHRISTMAS EVE FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE

PRE-RECORDED VIDEO POSTED AT 12:00 NOON

#### GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Julia Wharff Piermont

CALL TO WORSHIP IN MUSIC

*"O Come, Little Children"*

arr. David Lasky

Dr. Stephen Jacoby, organist

*The music is a call to open one's spirit to God's presence in our midst*

ADVENT WREATH CEREMONY

The Schlader Family

UNISON PRAYER

God of promises fulfilled, we thank you for this night, and for the light and love that have entered into this world. In every corner of the world may your loving light shine through your peace. In every heart may your loving light shine your grace. In every community may your loving light shine your hope. Amen.

#### PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD: CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

INTRODUCTION

*"Light in the Darkness"*

A Lego Stop Motion Video by Griffin Payne

FIRST WORDS

Stella and Violet Wornly

INTROIT

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

Lara Frederick, pianist

#### PROPHECY OF THE COMING OF CHRIST THE KING

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 9:2, 6-7

CAST

Narrator: Katie Ann Timcho

Isaiah: Elizabeth Timcho

MUSIC "O Come, All Ye Faithful"  
Youth Worship Band

### **THE ANNUNCIATION TO MARY**

SCRIPTURE Luke 1:26-38

CAST Narrator: Mae Smith  
Angel Gabriel: Addie Tate  
Mary: Avery Tate

MUSIC "Angels We Have Heard on High"  
Katie & Jill Roddy, vocalists

### **THE BIRTH OF CHRIST IN BETHLEHEM**

SCRIPTURE Luke 2:1-7

CAST Narrator: Isabel Lewis  
Joseph: Joshua Lewis  
Mary: Ellison Payne  
Baby Jesus: Mary Kate Savage  
Innkeeper: Kevin Fancher  
Innkeeper's Wife: Katy Patterson

MUSIC "Away in a Manger"  
Choir Plus Children

### **THE WORSHIP OF THE SHEPHERDS**

SCRIPTURE Luke 9:9-16

CAST Narrator: Jay Calkins  
Angel: Teagan Calkins  
Shepherds: Hugh Weiss, Hans Weiss,  
& Declan Calkins  
Angels: Gwen Purvis & Caroline Lewis

HYMN "Go Tell It on the Mountain"  
Hunter McMahan, flute  
Joni Kory, soloist

### **THE WORSHIP OF THE MAGI**

SCRIPTURE Matthew 2:1-12

CAST Narrator: Josie Smith  
Magi: Britt Mehl, Connor, Logan & Elliot Page  
King Herod: Wes Mehl  
The Wild Star: Rhys Fancher-Patterson

MUSIC "Silent Night"  
Choir Plus Children

THE CONCLUSION

Stella and Violet Worny

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Away in a Manger"  
Lara Frederick, piano

CHRISTMAS PRAYER

Pastor Tom Rice

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Sean, Kate, Mallory, SJ,  
and Amy Lane

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.

CLOSING HYMN

*"Joy to the World"*  
Jenn, Claudia & Wesley Wilkinson

GOING IN GOD'S NAME

BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Tom Rice & Jenni Whitford

POSTLUDE

*"Oh Come, Little Children"*  
with "*Abendsegen*" (Evening Prayer) from  
*"Hansel & Gretel"*

arr. Emily Tufenkjian

Melissa Robol, piano

*A special "thank you" to WPC member Jordan Quickel,  
whose technical expertise and assistance made possible this video Christmas Pageant*

## **CHRISTMAS EVE FESTIVAL OF ADORATION**

LIVESTREAM BEGINS AT 4:45 P.M. WITH THE PRELUDE  
WORSHIP COMMENCES AT 5:00 P.M.

*Please have a candle available so you may participate in the candle lighting.*

### **PRELUDE**

<i>“Angels We Have Heard on High”</i>	Jason D. Payne
<i>“O Come, O Emmanuel”</i>	May Hogan Cambern
<i>“Ding Dong Merrily on High”</i>	Ray Pool
<i>“Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isabella”</i>	David Cherwien
<i>“A Christmas Medley”</i>	Susan Strick
<i>“O Holy Child of Bethlehem”</i>	Douglas E. Wagner

Dr. Stephen Jacoby, organ  
Janet Thompson, harp

*The music is a call to open one’s spirit to God’s presence in our midst*

### **INVITATION TO A FESTIVAL OF ADORATION**

Rev. Wayne Morrison

### **HYMN**

#### *“O Come, All Ye Faithful”*

ADESTE FIDELES

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant;  
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem!  
Come and behold him, born the King of angels!  
O come let us adore him; O come let us adore him;  
O come let us adore him, Christ the Lord!

Sing, choirs of angels; sing in exultation;  
sing, all ye citizens of heaven above!  
Glory to God, all glory in the highest!  
O come let us adore him; O come let us adore him;  
O come let us adore him, Christ the Lord!

(John Francis Wade, 1743, trans. Frederick Oakley, 1841 alt.)

### **SCRIPTURE ISAIAH 9:2, 6-7**

Rev. Dr. Tom Rice

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness – on them light has shined. For a child has been born for us, a son given to us; authority rests upon his shoulders; and he is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. His authority shall grow continually, and there shall be endless peace for the throne of David and his kingdom. He will establish and uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time onward and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.

**CHRISTMAS PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Dr. Rice

**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.**

**SOLO**

***"Mary Had a Baby"***

African-American Spiritual  
arr. Joan Boytim

Robert Fischer, baritone

Mary had a baby, my Lord.  
Where was he born, my Lord? Born in a manger, my Lord.  
What did she name him, my Lord?  
She named him King Jesus, my Lord.

**THE GOSPEL OF THE INCARNATION**

**SCRIPTURE LUKE 2:1-7**

***Our Savior is Born***

Rev. Morrison

In those days a decree went out from Emperor Augustus that all the world should be registered. This was the first registration and was taken while Quirinius was governor of Syria. All went to their own towns to be registered. Joseph also went from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to the city of David called Bethlehem, because he was descended from the house and family of David. He went to be registered with Mary, to whom he was engaged and who was expecting a child. While they were there, the time came for her to deliver her child. And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in bands of cloth, and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.

**MEDLEY OF THE NATIVITY**

CAROL

***"Once in Royal David's City"***

IRBY

**Once in royal David's city stood a lowly cattle shed,  
where a mother laid her baby in a manger for a bed.  
Mary was that mother mild; Jesus Christ her little child.**

**He came down to earth from heaven who is God and Lord of all,  
and his shelter was a stable, and his cradle was a stall;  
with the poor and meek and lowly, lived on earth our Savior holy.**

(Cecil Frances Alexander, 1848 alt.)

CAROL

*“Infant Holy, Infant Lowly”*

W ZLOBIE LEZY

Infant holy, infant lowly, for his bed a cattle stall;  
oxen lowing, little knowing Christ the babe is Lord of all.  
Swift are winging angels singing, noels ringing, tidings bringing:  
Christ the babe is Lord of All! Christ the babe is Lord of All!

Flocks were sleeping; shepherds keeping vigil till the morning new  
Say the glory, heard the story, tidings the gospel true.  
Thus rejoicing, free from sorrow, praises voicing greet the morrow:  
Christ the babe was born for you! Christ the babe was born for you!

(Polish carol; trans. Edith M. Reed, 1920, rev. 1921)

CAROL

*“What Child is This?”*

GREENSLEEVES

What child is this, who, laid to rest on Mary’s lap is sleeping?  
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet while shepherds watch are keeping?  
This, this is Christ the King, who shepherds guard and angels sing;  
haste, haste to bring him laud, the babe, the son of Mary!

So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh; come one and all, to own him.  
The King of kings salvation brings; let loving hearts enthrone him.  
Raise, raise the song on high. The virgin sings her lullaby.  
Joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe the son of Mary!

William Chatterton Dix, 1871

SCRIPTURE LUKE 2:8-20

*Angels Guide the Shepherds*

Rev. Betsy Rice

In that region there were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, “Do not be afraid; for see—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. This will be a sign for you: you will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger.” And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying,

“Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favors!”

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, “Let us go now to Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us.” So they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the manger. When they saw this, they made known what had been told them about this child; and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them. But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

**CHRISTMAS OFFERING**

Rev. Rice

OFFERING

*“What Child is This”*

William Dix

Janet Thompson, harp

**SCRIPTURE MATTHEW 1:18-25**

*Joseph’s Dream*

Rev. Dr. Julia Wharff Piermont

Now the birth of Jesus the Messiah took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been engaged to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit. Her husband Joseph, being a righteous man and unwilling to expose her to public disgrace, planned to dismiss her quietly.

But just when he had resolved to do this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, “Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife, for the child conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will bear a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.”

All this took place to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet: “Look, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel,” which means, “God is with us.”

When Joseph awoke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him; he took her as his wife, but had no marital relations with her until she had borne a son; and he named him Jesus.

**ANTHEM**

*“Jesus, Oh, What a Wonderful Child”*

Lloyd Larson

Choral Quartet

Jesus, my Jesus, oh, what a wonderful Child.  
Jesus, so lowly, meek and mild. New life, new hope, new joy he brings!  
Listen to the angels sing, “Glory to the newborn King!”  
He was herald by the angels, born in a lowly manger.  
The virgin Mary was his mother, and Joseph was his earthly father.  
Three wise men came from afar, they were guided by a shining star  
to see King Jesus where he lay in a manger filled with hay.

**CHRISTMAS MEDITATION**

Dr. Piermont

*“I’m Still Here”*

*“The Miracle Isn’t on 34<sup>th</sup> Street: Three Directions of Salvation”*  
(Third in a three-part series)

# THE GOSPEL OF THE EVERLASTING LIGHT

*Please light your candle during the scripture reading .*

SCRIPTURE VERSES FROM JOHN 1

Rev. Morrison

## *God's Word, the Light of All People*

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has come into being in him was life, and the life was the light of all people. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

CAROL

## *"Silent Night, Holy Night"*

STILLE NACHT

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.

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.

(Joseph Mohr, 1816; trans, John Freeman Young)

BLESSING

HYMN

## *"Joy to the World"*

ANTIOCH

Joy to the world, the Lord has 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.

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.

(Isaac Watts, 1719, alt.)

POSTLUDE

*"Joy to the World"*  
Dr. Jacoby, organ

Robert Powell

## CANDLELIGHT CAROL SING

IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH PORTICO AT 7:30 P.M.

Wear warm clothing and a mask, bring a candle (or lantern or something that makes light) and join us outside around our beloved Church to sing a few carols. This will be a brief gathering, but please allow time to park and find a spot. To maintain social distance, we hope to spread out across our lawn and the Green.

Christmas Carillon music will be provided by Debb Wilson  
commencing at 7:15 pm and again at 7:45 pm.

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Julia Wharff Piermont

### O Little Town of Bethlehem

O little town of Bethlehem, how still we see thee lie!  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep the silent stars go by.  
Yet in thy dark streets shineth the everlasting light;  
the hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee tonight.

### Away in a Manger

Away in a manger, no crib for his bed, the little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head.  
The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay, the little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

### The First Nowell

The first Nowell the angel did say was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;  
in fields where they lay keeping their sheep, on a cold winter's night that was so deep.  
Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, born is the King of Israel.

### Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn king.  
Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"  
Joyful, all ye nations rise; join the triumph of the skies; with the angelic host proclaim,  
"Christ is born in Bethlehem!" Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn king!"

### We Three Kings

We three kings of Orient are; bearing gifts we traverse afar,  
field and fountain, moor and mountain, following yonder star.  
O star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright,  
westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light!

### Joy to the World

Joy to the world, the Lord has 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.

### Silent Night, Holy Night

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.  
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.

## **CHRISTMAS EVE COMMUNION**

PRE-RECORDED VIDEO POSTED AT 11:00 P.M.

*Please have Bread and Wine (or Grape Juice), the elements for Communion on hand so that you may partake in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Please have a candle available so you may participate in the candle lighting.*

**PRELUDE**

***"Gesù Bambino"***

Pietro Yon  
arr. Mark Hayes

Melissa Robol, piano

*The music is a call to open one's spirit to God's presence in our midst*

**WELCOME AND INVOCATION**

Rev. Dr. Julia Wharff Piermont

**HYMN**

***"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear"***

CAROL

**It came upon the midnight clear, that glorious song of old,  
from angels bending near the earth, to touch their harps of gold.  
"Peace on the earth, good will to all, from heaven's all-gracious King":  
the world in solemn stillness lay, to hear the angels sing.**

**For lo, the days are hastening on, by prophets seen of old,  
when with the ever-circling years shall come the time foretold  
when peace shall over all the earth its ancient splendors fling,  
and the whole world gives back the song which now the angels sing.**

(Edmund Hamilton Sears, 1849, alt.)

**SCRIPTURE ISAIAH 9:2, 6-7**

Rev. Betsy Rice

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness – on them light has shined. For a child has been born for us, a son given to us; authority rests upon his shoulders; and he is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. His authority shall grow continually, and there shall be endless peace for the throne of David and his kingdom. He will establish and uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time onward and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.

**SOLO**

***"Wexford Carol"***

Philip Maue

Martha Duersten-Pettit, soprano

Good people all, this Christmas time, consider well and bear in mind  
what our good God for us has done, in sending His beloved Son.  
O let us all both kneel and pray to God with love this Christmas day;  
In Bethlehem that Christmas morn there was a blessed Messiah born.

The night before that happy tide, the noble Virgin and her guide  
were long time seeking up and down to find a lodging in the town.  
But mark how all things came to pass: from every door repelled, alas!  
As long foretold, their refuge all was but a humble ox's stall.

With thankful heart and joyful mind, the shepherds went the Babe to find,  
and as God's angel had foretold, they did our Savior Christ behold.  
Within a manger He was laid, and by His side the Virgin Maid,  
attending on the Lord of Life, who came to earth to end all strife.

**SCRIPTURE JOHN 1:1-14**

Rev. Dr. Tom Rice

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has come into being in him was life, and the life was the light of all people. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came as a witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. He himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light. The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him. He came to what was his own, and his own people did not accept him. But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of God, who were born, not of blood or of the will of the flesh or of the will of man, but of God. And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth.

**CHRISTMAS MEDITATION**

*"In the Darkness"*

Dr. Rice

**HYMN**

*"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"*

MENDELSSHOHN

Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn king.  
Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"  
Joyful, all ye nations rise; join the triumph of the skies;  
with the angelic host proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"  
Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn king!"

Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace! Hail the Son of righteousness!  
Light and life to all he brings, risen with healing in his wings.  
Mild he lays his glory by, born that we no more may die,  
born to raise each child of earth, born to give us second birth.  
Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn king!"

(Charles Wesley, 1739, alt.)

**CHRISTMAS OFFERING**

Rev. Rice

**MUSICAL OFFERING**

*"Sweet Little Jesus Boy"*

Robert MacGimsey  
arr. Marilyn Hamm

Melissa Robol, piano

**THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

Dr. Piermont & Rev. Rice

INVITATION (*All are welcome who humbly worship Jesus as Savior.*)

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.**

PREPARATORY HYMN

**"O Little Town of Bethlehem"**

ST. LOUIS

O little town of Bethlehem, how still we see thee lie!  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep the silent stars go by.  
Yet in thy dark streets shineth the everlasting light;  
the hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee tonight.

O holy child of Bethlehem, descend to us we pray;  
cast out our sin and enter in; be born in us today.  
We hear the Christmas angels the great glad tidings tell;  
O come to us; abide with us, our Lord Emmanuel!

(Phillips Brooks, 1868)

BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER

LIGHTING OUR CANDLES

CAROL

***"Silent Night, Holy Night"***

STILLE NACHT

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.

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.

(Joseph Mohr, 1816; trans. John Freeman Young, 1863)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

***"Joy to the World"***  
Dr. Jacoby, organ

Robert Powell

**AUDIO/VIDEO TEAM**

Colby Beck, Andrew DeWeese, Emerson Greuling, Russ Nagy,  
Nick Robison, Michael Tyler, Bill Yost

# CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS AND GREENS

ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD AS FOLLOWS:

## GIVEN BY

Bill & Mary Ann Abey  
Jeff & Linda Barber  
Richard & Debbie Birnie  
Bob  
Vera Coniglio  
Debbie & Steve Dieringer  
  
Rex, Brenda & Don Lynne  
Mike & Debbie Murphy  
Julia & Dennis Piermont  
  
Mara Stark  
Diane & Jeff White

## IN HONOR OF

*The Pastors and Staff*  
*Our Children and Grandchildren*  
*Our Children and Grandchildren*  
*All Veterans; WPC Congregation*  
*My Children, Gina and Matthew & Danielle; My Grandchildren*  
*Our Children and Grandchildren, Erin Dieringer; Sara, Jac, Maddie, Emma*  
*& Lilah Currie; Our Mothers, Jean Korfhage and Shirley Dieringer*  
*Judy Mayday*  
*Lori Murphy; Amy Murphy & Ethan Seidel*  
*In honor of the wonderful WPC church staff;*  
*In honor of families bereaved during the Pandemic*  
*Andrew Stark; Cheryl Mercurio*  
*Our Mothers, Joan Humphrey and Wilma White*

## GIVEN BY

Peggy & Jim Albright  
Carol & David Balsler  
Jeff & Linda Barber  
Don & Jean Beckett  
  
Bob  
Charlotte Briggs & Family  
Edwin M. & Kay F. Brown  
  
Nancy & Larry Case  
Jennifer, Eric, Ashley &  
Jack Feucht  
Joan, Debbie, Bob & Abby  
Freeman  
Judy & Walt Furnas  
Doug, Amy & Brooks  
Gilmore  
Deborah & Tony Guarnera  
Jerry & Judy Haas  
The Harrison Family  
Judy Hazelton & Family  
Her Care Givers  
Marvin, Duane, & Cheryl  
Hilty  
Carol Hofer  
Stanton Ickes  
Dick Jones & Family  
Jerry Kneubel & Family  
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