

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Saturday December 24, 2022 7:00 p.m. LSB (maroon) HYMNAL

"A SERVICE of EIGHT LESSONS and CAROLS"

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH Norman, OK. (LCMS)

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PRE-SERVICE CAROL SINGING 6:55 p.m.

"Go Tell It on the Mountain" LSB 388 * = all stand

PRELUDE- BELL CHOIR

"Angels from the Realms of Glory" by Timothy Schmidt

OPENING CHANT "Of the Father's Love Begotten" LSB 384 vv. 1,5 - Pastor

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN 376**

"Once in Royal David's City" (Choir vv. 1,2; Cong. vv. 3-5)

***TRINITARIAN INVOCATION** – Pastor Congregation: Amen.

*** PSALM 110:1-4 and "Glory be..."**

(Front of Hymnal - chanted responsively by whole verses)

CHOIR "Down from His Glory" by John W. Peterson

EIGHT LESSONS AND CAROLS

I.) **SCRIPTURE** "The First Christmas Promise" Genesis 3:1-15
HYMN 379 "Oh Come, All Ye Faithful"

II.) **SCRIPTURE** "The Virgin Will Conceive-Immanuel" Isaiah 7:10-17
HYMN 368 "Angels We Have Heard on High"

III.) **SCRIPTURE** "Bethlehem - City of David" Micah 5:2-5a
HYMN 361 "O Little Town of Bethlehem"

IV.) **SCRIPTURE** "The Prince of Peace" Isaiah 9:1-7
CHOIR "For Unto Us a Child Is Born" by John W. Peterson

V.) **SCRIPTURE** "A Baby in a Manger" Luke 2:1-7
HYMN 364 "Away in a Manger"

VI.) **SCRIPTURE** "Shepherds and Angels" Luke 2:8-14
HYMN 380 "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

VII.) **SCRIPTURE** "Mary, Joseph, The Baby, Shepherds" Luke 2:15-20
CHOIR "O What Wonder" by John W. Peterson

VIII.) **SCRIPTURE** "Jesus is the Son of God" 1 John 4:7-16
HYMN 387 "Joy to the World"

SERMON "The Incarnation"

*** APOSTLES CREED**

(spoken in unison – found inside back cover of Hymnal)

OFFERINGS *(Ritual of Friendship - Fill out the sheet, tear off, hand the pad down the pew and place sheet in baskets in narthex as you leave)*

VOLUNTARY "O Holy Night" by Adolphe Charles Adam

*** PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

*** LORD'S PRAYER** *(spoken in unison – found inside back cover of Hymnal)*

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

HYMN 370 "What Child is This"

(as we sing, the candles are lit and will remain lit, for the remainder of the service)

CHRISTMAS PRAYER

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL HYMN 363 "Silent Night"

(you may extinguish your candles after the Hymn)

POSTLUDE "Silent Night" by Harry Simeone

***** CHRISTMAS & EPIPHANY SERVICE SCHEDULE *****

Christmas Eve Candlelight and Communion Service

Tonight – Saturday Dec. 24 11:00 p.m.

Christmas Day – Carols and Holy Communion Services:

Sunday December 25 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.

New Year's Eve – Circumcision and Name of Our Lord

Holy Communion Service:

Saturday December 31 7:00 p.m.

New Years Day -First Sunday after Christmas Communion Services:

Sunday January 1 at 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

The Epiphany of Our Lord

Holy Communion Service:

Friday January 6 at 7:30 p.m.

The Baptism of Our Lord Communion Services:

Sunday January 8 at 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

OFFICIANTS:

Pastor David Nehrenz, Vicar Jonathan Anderson
Organist, Choir and Bell Choir Director – Timothy Schmidt
Elders: Darin Davis, Kurt Schweiger, Eldon Jupe, Greg Burge,
Nils Gransberg, Steve Lemke, Brian Lundmark
ACOLYTE, CHOIR AND BELL CHOIR – THANK YOU!