

Christmas Eve
Tuesday, December 24, 2019

Prelude Lynna Harbison

Opening Prayer

Advent Candle Elder David Schlimme & Family

Hymn 221 Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming vv. 1-5

Reading: Luke 2:1-7

Hymn 213 What Child Is This? vv. 1-3

Reading: Luke 2:8-14

Hymn 214 Angels We Have Heard on High vv. 1-3

Reading: Luke 2:15-21

Hymn 193 Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence vv. 1-4

"Angels Were Watching" Rev. David Rogers

– 1 Timothy 3:16 –

¹⁶ Great indeed, we confess, is the mystery of godliness:

He was manifested in the flesh,
vindicated by the Spirit,
seen by angels,
proclaimed among the nations,
believed on in the world,
taken up in glory.

Special Music

Becky & Amaya Aguilar

O Holy Night
–by Adolphe Adam–

Candle Lighting

Hymn Silent Night! Holy Night!
(Words printed on back page)

Benediction

Postlude Hana Do



“Here is a treasure we cannot prize too much. How so? Attend to the content of the gospel. God humbled himself in order to take our flesh that we might now be brothers of the Lord of glory who, though ruler of the angels, made himself as nothing, becoming one with us and assuming the form and likeness of a servant so as to suffer the curse that we deserved.”

–John Calvin, John Calvin’s Sermons on 1 Timothy, Banner of Truth Trust, 2018, p. 404.

“[Christ] was born of a virgin, that we might be born of God. He took our flesh, that He might give us His Spirit. He lay in the manger that we might lie in paradise. He came down from heaven, that He might bring us to heaven. And what was all this but love? If our hearts be not rocks, this love of Christ should affect us. Behold love that surpasses knowledge (Eph. 3:19)!”

–Thomas Watson, A Body of Divinity, Banner of Truth Trust, p. 196.



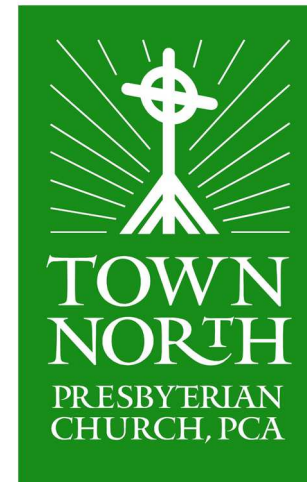
Silent Night! Holy Night!

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 host 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.
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.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

*After tonight's service please remember to take
your poinsettias with you to enjoy at home!*

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Tonight's Order of
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for
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December 24, 2019 6:00 P.M.