

Christmas Eve Service

6:30 PM

Rev. Dr. Charles A. Wiessner, Pastor
Dr. Lonieta Cornwall, Music Director

PRELUDE Advent Medley Hand Bell Choir

VOTUM

INTROIT “Lo How a Rose” Male Ensemble & Tuba

THE PROMISED ONE Isaiah 9:2-7 (Page 494 Old Testament)

***CAROL #170** “O Come, All Ye Faithful”

CHRISTMAS PRAYER (unison)

Great God of power, we praise you for Jesus Christ, who came to save us from our sin. We thank you for the prophets’ hope, the angels’ song, the wondrous birth in Bethlehem. We thank you that in Jesus you joined us, sharing human pain and joy, and granting us eternal life.

In these quiet moments, grant us your light and you peace. Illumine our lives with the wonderful tidings that a Savior has been born. Stand beside us. Strengthen our spirit of faith, grant us the power to see your truth, and challenge us to move onward knowing that you are indeed Emmanuel, God with us, forevermore. Amen.

MINISTRY OF MUSIC “Away In a Manger” Mandy Shafer, Flute

Mary and Joseph

SCRIPTURE Luke 1:46-55 Page 44 New Testament)

CAROL #167 “Gentle Mary Laid Her Child”

MEDITATION

MINISTRY OF MUSIC “Some Children See Him” Kevin Dillio

