CHRISTMAS EVE
Carols, Candles, and Scripture

Gathering Music ................................................. Nola S
Welcome and Prayer ........................................... Randy S
Call to Worship ................................................ HWB 212
    O Come, All Ye Faithful

Candle Lighting
    Isaiah 40:1-5 .................................................. Debbie D
    Isaiah 35:1-2, 5-8a ............................................ Gene K
    Isaiah 9:2-5 .................................................... Bette R
    Isaiah 9:6-7 .................................................... Jody H

The Christmas Story ........................................... Luke 2: 1-20
    (Told with the assistance of the children.)
    Away In A Manger (traditional tune) (v.1,2) .......... HWB 194
    O Little Town Of Bethlehem (v.1,2) ...................... HWB 191

Carolng
    What Child Is This? ......................................... HWB 215
    Hark The Herald Angels Sing ............................. HWB 201
    It Came Upon A Midnight Clear ......................... HWB 195

Offering and Offertory ........................................ Kyla J, Kristin J
    Mary, Did You Know?

Lighting the Christ Candle ................................... John 1:1-9

Passing the Light from the Christ Candle
    Silent Night ................................................... On the Back
    Joy to the World ............................................ On the Back

Blessing and Dismissal

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WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Preacher......................................................... Randy S
Song Leader.................................................... Tom G
Accompanist.................................................... Nola S
    “Grandma”.................................................. Arlys S
Special Music.................................................. Kyla J,
Sound ........................................................... Kristin J
Ushers ......................................................... Howard A, Byron E,
Chuck S, Merrill U

The offering this evening will be divided between two local agencies: SafeHope, shelter for victims of domestic violence; and EmberHope, foster care services.

The children’s participation is organized by Board for Christian Education and Pastor Marshall.
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 hosts 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.

Joy To The World
1. Joy to the world, the Lord is come!
   Let earth received her king;
   let ev'ry heart prepare him room,
   and heav'n and nature sing, and heav'n and nature sing,
   and heav'n, and heav'n and nature sing.
2. Joy to the earth, the Savior reigns!
   Let all their songs employ
   while fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains
   repeat the sounding joy, repeat the sounding joy,
   repeat, repeat the sounding joy,
3. No more let sin and sorrows grow,
   nor thorns infest the ground.
   He comes to make his blessings flow
   far as the curse is found, far as the curse is found,
   far as, far as the curse is found.
4. 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,