
WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Pastors | Rev. Matt Paul and Rev. Kyle Otterbein

Musicians | Willem Paul (trombone), Youth Handbells, Erin Moore (director, organ/piano), Agape Singers, Laura Kastens (director), LuAnn Robinson (piano), Melissa McCoy (soloist), Anna Egeland + Stephanie Englehardt (duet), Mary Hausler and Tessa Walz (duet), Megan Hill + Erika Law (flute duet), Jon Swearingen (soloist)

Ushers | David + Marsha Grady, Cindy + Emily Kasper, Ian + Laura Law

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Children in Worship | All are welcome!

Children's bulletins and worship bags are available in the Narthex as you enter the Sanctuary.

Interested in the ministry opportunities of St. Andrew? | Our weekly *Mini-Messenger* and monthly *Messenger* newsletters are available online at: www.saintandrew-ic.org or in paper version in the Narthex.

CHRISTMAS AT ST. ANDREW

Christmas Day worship

10:00 Worship | message by Pastor Kyle

CHRISTMAS EVE

December 24, 2011 11:00 pm

In the bleak midwinter, frosty wind made moan,
Earth stood hard as iron, water like a stone;
Snow had fallen, snow on snow, snow on snow,
In the bleak midwinter, long ago.

Our God, heaven cannot hold him nor earth sustain;
Heaven and earth shall flee away when he comes to reign:
In the bleak midwinter a stable-place sufficed
The Lord God incarnate, Jesus Christ.
-Christina Rossetti (1830-1894)



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WE GATHER TO ADORE THE CHRIST CHILD

Prelude | Carols for Trombone + Piano *settings by Bruce Pearson + Chuck Elledge* Willem Paul, trombone

Welcome

Introit | Gloria Fanfare *setting by Michael Akers* Youth Handbells

***Call to Worship + Lighting of the Advent Candle** | *based on Psalm 96*

Tonight is the night for a new song to be sung!

O sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.

Tonight is the night to crowd around a manger, to behold the divine, born in human flesh.

Ascribe to the Lord all glory due his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts.

Tonight is the night to proclaim the good news, to praise God with the multitude of angels!

Shout it to the nations, "The incarnate Lord is king!

The world is firmly established; it shall never be moved. God will judge the peoples with equity."

Tonight is a night for joy to the world!

Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; let the sea roar, and all that fills it;

let the field exult, and everything in it. Let the trees of the forest sing for joy!

***Processional Carol** | O Come, All Ye Faithful *St. Andrew Songbook, #42*

*Prayer of Approach

GOD SPEAKS THROUGH HIS WORD

Reading | Isaiah 9:2-7

Carol | Joy! *By David Dickau*

OT Bible, pg. 638

Agape Singers

Reading | Titus 2:11-14

Carol | O Little Town of Bethlehem *blue hymnal, #44*

NT Bible, page 215

Melissa McCoy (soloist)

1: solo

2: congregation

3: solo

4: congregation

Reading | Luke 2:1-7

Carol | Breath of Heaven *by Chris Eaton + Amy Grant*

NT Bible, page 58

Anna Egeland + Stephanie Englehardt (duet)

Reading | Luke 2:8-14

***Carol** | It Came Upon the Midnight Clear *blue hymnal, #38*

Reading | Luke 2:15-20

Carol | Lullaby for Jesus *by Michael Card + Phil Naish*

Mary Hausler and Tessa Walz (duet)

Message | What Shall We Name Him? *Pastor Matt Paul*

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Prayer requests may be written on a prayer card from the pew rack and placed in the offering plate.

Offertory | In the Bleak Midwinter *setting by Sandra Eithun*

Youth Handbells

Prayer of Dedication

THE WORD MADE FLESH | THE EUCHARIST

The Invitation to the Lord's Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Distribution of the Elements

We Three Kings *setting by Carol Matz* Megan Hill, piano

Carols for Two Flutes *Megan Hill + Erika Law, flute duet*

What Child Is This *St. Andrew Songbook, #43*

THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Candle Lighting Service

Candle lighters will light candles from the Christ Candle, symbolic of Jesus Christ, the Light of the World, and begin to send the light around the congregation. To avoid dripping wax, only tilt the unlit candle when lighting your candle from the person sitting next to you.

Carol | Silent Night, Holy Night *blue hymnal, #60*

Please raise your candles on the final stanza.

You may extinguish your candles following the Benediction.

WE GO OUT TO SERVE THE LORD

*Benediction

Postlude | O Holy Night *by Adolphe Adam*

You are invited to be seated for the postlude. Soli Deo Gloria! Glory to God Alone!

Jon Swearingen (soloist)