

MEMBERS OF THE ORCHESTRA

Faith Hofma	Violin 1
Martha Reiss	Violin 2
Riane Reiss	Viola
Beth Almore	Cello
Randall Reiss	Oboe
Megan Madison	Flute
Lauren Slagle	Clarinet
Ben Strecker	French horn
Bentley Cobb	Percussion
Rachel Allyn	Piano

MEMBERS OF THE CHOIR

Susanne Brown	Helen Moran
Jane Costello	Shelley Smith
Krystal Cofer	Ruby Sawyer
Hannah Donithan	Herb Brynildsen
Pat Shrader	Tommy Herndon
Cindy Shelton	Aaron Miles
Ruth Allyn	Ted Soto
Carolyn Herndon	Dean Rasmussen
Betty Kennedy	George Sawyer
Karen Poole	Bill Poole
Mary Potter	Gary Potter
Jackie Sawyer	Harold Saunders

December 9, 2018

11 AM Worship Service

Chiming of the Hour/Lighting of the Candles

Prelude: Carol Prelude Hal Hopson
Welcome and Announcements Ed Cole

*O God Our Father, you have brought us again to the glad season when we celebrate the birth of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant that his Spirit may be born anew in our hearts this day and that we may joyfully welcome him to reign over us. Open our ears that we may hear again the angelic chorus of old. Open our lips that we, too, may sing with uplifted hearts. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace, goodwill toward all; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

*Hymn O Come, O Come Emmanuel UMH 211
VS. 1, 2, 6, 7

Pastoral Prayer Ed Cole
Lord's Prayer

Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Break Forth, O Beauteous Heavenly Light Bach
Doxology

ON THIS SHINING NIGHT

By: Lee and Susan Dengler

Narration Ed Cole

On This Shining Night

Soloist: Ruby Sawyer

O Holy Night

Narration Ed and Jane Cole

The Long Awaited

Soloist: Ted Soto

Narration Ed and Jane Cole

The Wondrous News

Narration Ed and Jane Cole
The Journey

Narration Ed and Jane Cole
On This Shining Night
The Light Has Come

Narration Ed and Jane Cole
High in the Heavens

Narration Ed and Jane Cole
Rise Up and Follow
Soloist: Jane Costello

Narration Ed and Jane Cole
Carols of Joy and Adoration

Please join in the singing of "O Come All Ye Faithful"

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,

O come ye, O come ye, to Bethlehem.

Come and behold Him, born the King of angels;

O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,

O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

*Blessing Ed and Jane Cole

Hymn Joy to the World UMH 246

*Benediction (Join hands as you are comfortable) Ed Cole

May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever.

Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor.

Lift up your eyes and see his face, and his grace forever.

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Postlude Carol Postlude Hal Hopson

* Please stand if you are able.

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Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *Apostle’s Creed*

Passing the Peace

Praise Songs *God with Us*
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Joys

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Prayer of Confession

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Prayer Song *He Has Shown Thee*

Silent/Pastoral Prayer

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