

Zion Mennonite Church

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December 24, 2020
“Virtual” Christmas Eve Program

“The Promise”:

A service of lessons and carols

Preludes “God bless all” (trad.) Alyssa Klingenberg
“Little drummer boy” (arr. Davis) Drew Entz
“Pat-a-pan” (arr. Monnoye) Emma Entz
“We three kings” (arr. Hopkins) Caleb Klingenberg
“Go tell it on the mountain” (trad.) Anna Klingenberg
“O little town of Bethlehem” (arr. Redner) Makayla Klingenberg
“O come, all ye faithful” (arr. Wade) Abi Entz

Welcome, offering, lighting Advent wreath Ray Reimer

Our offerings associated with this service will be divided between Mennonite Central Committee and area food banks (Newton, Peabody and Whitewater); you may donate via mail, by delivering a check to church, or via the online PayPal account noted below. Please make checks payable to “Zion Mennonite Church”
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Carol (organ) “O come, all ye faithful” HWB #212

Lesson: Genesis 3.8-15 Brett & Cassie Klingenberg family
Carol (ensemble) “Come, thou long expected Jesus” HWB #178

Lesson: Isaiah 9.2-7 Derek & Kara Klingenberg family
Carol (ensemble) “To us a Child of hope is born” HWB #189

Lesson: Isaiah 11.1-9 Derek & Kara Klingenberg family
Carol (chimes+solo) “Lo, how a Rose e’er blooming” HWB #211
“Of the Father’s love begotten” HWB #104

Lesson: Micah 5.2-4 Matt & Lindsey Regier family
Carol (ensemble) “O little town of Bethlehem” HWB #191

Lesson: Luke 1.26-38 Russell & June Entz family
Solo (Kelsey H) “My soul proclaims with wonder” HWB #181

Lesson: Luke 2.1-7 Grant & Allie Klingenberg family
Carol (ensemble) “It came upon a midnight clear” HWB #195

“The inn that missed its chance” Ben & Halie Duerksen family
(from *Christ and the Fine Arts*, p. 72)
Carol (women’s ensemble) “What child is this” HWB #215
“Helpless and hungry” SS #26

Lesson: Luke 2.8-18 Jeremy & Steph Entz family
Carol (women’s ensemble) “Sussex carol”

“The shepherd speaks” Drew Entz
(from *Christ and the Fine Arts*, p. 71)
Carol (organ) “Hark! the herald angels sing” HWB #201

Lesson: Matthew 2.1-11 Wes & Bonnie Brewer family
Carol (ensemble) “Oh, beautiful star of Bethlehem” SS #32

Lesson: John 1.1-5, 9-10, 14 Josh & Kristy Andres family
Carol (organ) “Joy to the world” HWB #318

“Everywhere, everywhere, Christmas tonight” Kyle & Liz Rutschman family
(from *Christ and the Fine Arts*, p. 72)

Closing prayer Karen Andres

Sending song “Peace, peace” (Powell; arr. Bock) The Klingenberg Clan
please join in, singing “Silent night” on vs. 3 HWB #193

Participants

Program planners / organizers Margaret Brewer, Rosie Epp
Ensembles (adult choir / chimes) director and soloist Kelsey Huxman
Adult ensembles Zion adult choir members
Accompanist (organ / piano) Karen Andres
Sanctuary and foyer decorations/visuals Margaret Brewer, Peggy Regier
Video compiler Derek Klingenberg
Pastors Ray Reimer, Karen Andres

And Thank You... to everyone else who helped!