



We extend a joyous Merry Christmas to you and your family
May the celebration of Christmas shine in your heart
and give light and peace to your life!

Merry Christmas!



Wednesday, December 24, 2025
Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship
5:00 p.m.



livestream links

The Boxcast TV Channel
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Pastor: Rev. John Mitchem
Worship Leader: Elizabeth Bushard
Accompanist: Jolene Kuhl
🚶 Please stand as you are able

PRELUDE
OPENING VIDEO
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING CAROLS
UMH #234 - *"O Come, All Ye Faithful"*
UMH #238 - *"Angels We Have Heard On High"*

CHRISTMAS PRAYER

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

CAROL
UMH #220 - *"Angels from the Realms of Glory"*

READING
A BLESSED EVENT
Luke 2:1-6

SPECIAL ORGAN MUSIC
"Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"
Jolene Kuhl

MEDITATION

SPECIAL MUSIC
"O Holy Night"
Elizabeth Bushard

COMMUNION

COMMUNION VIDEO
Mannheim Steamroller—Stille Nacht

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES (The person with the unlit candle will dip into the lit candle)

#239 *"Silent Night"*

CAROL
#246 *"Joy to the World"*

POSTLUDE

Feel Free to follow Pastor John on Social Media
<https://www.facebook.com/jdmitchem>

We invite you to join us for our
Sunday morning services at 10:30 am