



**St Mark's
United Methodist Church
Christmas Eve Family Service
4pm**

LIGHTING OF OUR CANDLES

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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.

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!

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.

Silent night, holy night, wondrous star, lend thy light;
with the angels let us sing, Alleluia to our King;
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born.

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▲ BENEDICTION

Go in joy! For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given.
**And his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty
God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.**

POSTLUDE.....*Dr. Wharton*
“Hark! The Herald Angels Sing”.....*Rawsthorne*

*In 1880 E. W. Benson, then Anglican Bishop of Truro, England, composed a
Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols, based on ancient sources, for Christmas Eve.
In 1918 it was adapted for the chapel of King's College, Cambridge, by its Dean,
Eric Milner-White, who also wrote The Bidding Prayer.*

*Tonight, in honor of its centennial, we pay tribute to this expressive way we
connect to our whole Christmas Story.*

We thank this evening’s musicians as they share their gifts and talents with us;

We would also like to thank our Readers, Communion servers,
Ushers, and Greeters.



Poinsettias and other Gifts to the Glory of God

In honor of our family & in memory of our
loved ones, by Linda & Pastor Ed Kuhling.

In memory of Polly Ann Yowell by Calvin Yowell.

In memory of Charles Weaver, Madeline Messick &
James Messick, by Lana Weaver.

In memory of Joan Ferrero, by Dick & Donna Anderson.

In honor of all my family, by Patricia Visgaitis.

In memory of Philip White, by Kim, Tyler, Nick & Alex.

In honor of our children, grandchildren & great grandsons, by Bob &
Eenie Burris.

In honor of Pat & Pat Higgins, by George, Ruth, Tim, Jennifer, Garrit,
Madison & Rylie.

In memory of Hope Marie Jackson, by Tim & Ruth.

In memory of Sallie Yater, by The Higgins Family.

In memory of Chuck Moon, by Pat Moon.

In memory of Bill & Eleanor Tull, by Diane Nave.

In honor of Captain Jacob Shores & in memory of my mother,
Marian Miller, my father Herbert Bradley & stepfather
Raymond Miller, by Cindy Doupnik.

In memory of loved ones, by Haines & Nancy Holt.

In memory of Sonny Granger, Thomas & Jeanette Davis, Carroll &
Myrtle Newcomb, by Mary Granger.

In honor of our children, Karla, Heather, Elizabeth & their families,
by Sandy & Chivy Wieland.

In memory of our parents, Ethel & Edward Warner, by Pat Covey &
Lee Royer.

In memory of her parents, Nathan H. & Eva N. Hubbard & his
parents, Alonzo & Edith VanSlambrook, by Dianne & Richard
VanSlambrook.

In memory of our parents, by Wade & Janice Dudrow.

In memory of Ebe H. Pope & Margaret M. Pope, by Sharon Schutz.

In memory of Elizabeth Porter & Marie Jackson, by Cal & Marion
Jackson.

In honor of Libby Dawkins, & in memory of Hilly Dawkins, Bill &
Jean Kilroy by Hugh & Kathy Dawkins.

In honor of our children & grandchildren, in memory of our parents,
by Bob & Judy Lawrence.

In memory of Mary Bell Callahan, by Claudette & Dave Ross.
In memory of loved ones, Ron & Mary McCarty.
In honor of Barbara Friedman, my prayer partner & in memory of
Carl & Betsy Pusey, by Susan Divilio.
In memory of Mr & Mrs. Sherwood Hubbard, by Dick Hubbard, Peter
& Joyce Bailey.
In honor of our children & grandchildren, by Don & Ann Yingling.
In honor of Dr. Bill Wharton, & in loving memory of Mike, by
Marcia Kirby.
In honor of our children, grandchildren & great-grandchildren, by
Polly & Brad Watts.
In memory of Mr & Mrs William Allen, Sr., by Mr and Mrs William
Allen, Jr. & Family.
In memory of our parents, by Carolyn & Claude Edwards.
In honor of Kitty Allen, & in memory of Malcom Allen II, Richard &
Norma Schumacher, by Rick & Susan Schumacher.
In memory of my parents Bill & Dot Lyons, my brother Jeffery & my
husband Alan, by Kaye Ramsey.
In honor of Brad & Polly Watts by Tom, Paula, Samantha, Austin &
Carolyn.
In memory of our son & grandson Derek F. Covey, by Tim, Margy,
Krystal & Pat Covey.
In memory of Katherine & Edward Knox & Gene Butler, by Claudia
& Wally Knox.
In memory of loved ones, by Bob & Fran Gosser.
In memory of Dan Pritchett by Helen Pritchett.
In memory of my parents Carl & Elizabeth Perkinson, by Gigi
Hershey.
In memory of my husband, by Edith O'Donnell.

Join us December 30th for ONE Worship Service at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary! NO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

*Wishing you the blessings
of HIS peace this Christmas.*

*From the staff of
St. Mark's United Methodist Church*

After the 10:00 pm Christmas Eve service, please take your poinsettia if you purchased one.

Dec. 25th – Merry Christmas! Church Office Closed!

Dec. 26 & 27th – Office will be open but with limited hours

Dec. 30th – 1 service at 10:00 am NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Dec. 31st & Jan. 1st Church Office Closed