Christmas Eve Candlelight Bervice

Prelude

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Welcoming

Call to Worship...Isaiah 9:2, 6-7

"Joy to the World!"...Hymnal # 194

Scripture Reading...Luke 2:1-20

Doxology...Hymnal # 623

Offertory Prayer

Special Music 4 pm service "Mary Did You Know?"—Coti Schoedel "A Hallelujah Christmas"—Travis Frasier

6 pm service "Marv's Praver"—Lisa Abrams "O Holy Night"—Brenda Michel

Special Offering...Voice of the Martyrs

Christmas Prayer

"What Child Is This?"...Hymnal # 202

Scripture...Isaiah 9:6

{Lighting of the Candles}

"Silent Night! Holy Night!"...Hymnal # 189

Benediction and Recessional

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- Acolyte Isabella Alvarado 4:00 Emma Thompson 6:00 Denise Lander Liturgist 4:00 6:00 Denise Lander Neil Fabianich, Dustin Lander 4:00 Mike McDonald, Travis Frasier 6:00 Lenny Hyre, Bill Enders
 - Drew Vinisky, Russ Werme

Silent Night! Holy Night! Humnal #189

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 guake at the sight, Glories stream from heaven afar. Heav'nly 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.

A-men

Ushers



Poinsettia Trikutes



Today our sanctuary is adorned with Poinsettias, each lovingly placed to honor or to remember someone special.

> In Memory of Snooks, Helen and Donnie Tindell In Memory of Jim and Ann Bruce Sr. - by Jim and Shirley Bruce Jr.

In Memory of Pauline and William Stolkovich In Memory of Mildred and Albert Hughes We miss and love you, Merry Christmas! In Honor of Tracey and Ralph Heinlein & daughter In Honor of Tammy and Sean Sulkowski & family Rejoice in Our Savior's Birth and Merry Christmas! - by Tom and Marcy Hughes

In Memory of Sharon Slonaker In Memory of Russell and Carolyn Slonaker In Memory of Richard and Martha Lampe - by the Paul Lampe Family

> In Memory of all my Loved Ones Still missed - by Barb Petrovic

In Memory of Loved Ones - by Paul and Dolores Herron

In Memory of Mr. and Mrs. John Weil In Memory of Mr. Lee McCartney In Memory of Ann Whitesel In Memory of Bill Weil - by Jeff and Susan Weil

In Memory of Anna Margaret and Brooks Karcher In Memory of Anne and Fred Bologna -by the Bologna Family

> In Memory of Freda and Jim Ashcroft In Memory of Ellen and Duane Solter -by Barb and Rich Ashcroft

In Memory of all my loved ones Love you and miss you -Leona Daniels

In Memory of Michelle K. Infantozzi In Memory of Michael C. Infantozzi We love and miss you very much -by the Infantozzi Family

> In Honor of Micki Addison Thanks for everything -by Julia and Audrey Kaiser

In Memory of Ed Luther Sr. In Memory of Bob Guzensky -by Ed and Diane Luther

In Loving Memory of our Children Elijah Thomas and "Tiny Baby" - by the Herbster family

Poinsettia Tributes

In Memory of Victor Sr. and Teresa Bonnato In Memory of Victor Bonnato Jr. *Dearly loved and deeply missed* - by Carla and Denis Craig

In Memory of Stephen Phillips Dearly loved and greatly missed Our father and grandfather In Honor of the blessings of our children and grandchildren -by Mike and Deb McDonald and family

> In Memory of Elmer and Diana Johnson -by Jannel, Asia and Isaiah Martinez

In Memory of Howard Olson We love and miss you, God Bless -by Jerry and Carol Olson

In Memory of Emma Porter Pierce You are always in our hearts In Memory of Donald and Skip Pierce Always on our minds In Memory of Jay and Norma Porter We will always miss you - by the Pierce Family

> In memory of Randy Mallick Love and miss you, Daddy -by Katie and Richie Pierce

In Memory of Albert Miller and Oliver O. Buck In Honor of Phyllis Miller and Freda Buck - by Lennie and Sara Beth Miller

In Memory of William and Sarah Jones In Memory of Ruth Jones In Memory of David and Freda Schuck - by Darrell and Carol Jones

> In Memory of Loved Ones - by the Weatherby family

In Memory of Cathy Jane Frasier We love and miss you Mom, Merry Christmas! - by Curt, Jordan and Kayla Frasier

In Memory of George and Marjorie Thomas In Memory of George Thomas Jr. In Memory of George Thomas III In Memory of Thomas and June Hughes In Memory of Thomas Hughes Jr. -by Herman and Carol Thomas The Voice of the Martyrs is a non-profit, inter-denominational Christian organization dedicated to assisting the persecuted church worldwide.

Their main purposes:

Help

To help Christians who are or have been, persecuted for their involvement in spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ. To provide medical assistance, food, clothing, and other forms of aid.

Love

To support Christians who are willing to invite their fellow men, even their persecutors, to Jesus Christ through faithful deeds of love in a hostile environment. To supply Bibles, literature, radios, and other evangelistic tools.

Encourage

To encourage persecuted Christians by giving their testimony a voice, informing Christians in the USA to know how to help. VOM believes that the lives and the testimony of persecuted Christians is a vital part of the fellowship of all believers and will challenge and strengthen the faith of Christians everywhere.

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