



First Baptist Church
December 24, 2016
6:30 p.m.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

Please enter in silence and take a candle.



We Light the Christ Candle

Isaiah 9:2, 6-7 - Braden & Tasha Hudson Family

We Worship the Christ Child*

285 – O Holy Night (all verses)

We Remember the Story

Luke 2:1-7 – Mike Stoner

251 It came upon the Midnight Clear (v.1 only)

262 Away in a Manger (v.1 only)

Luke 2:8-20 – Mike Stoner

272 While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks (all verses)

We Receive the Word

“Prince of Peace,” Isaiah 11:3-9 – Nathan

We Prepare for the Table

“All Is Well” – Carolyn Burgess

We Embrace the Gift

The Lord’s Supper

Please use the two “middle” aisles to come forward, and the center and far outside aisles to return to your seats. When you approach the servers, please break off a piece of bread and dip it in the cup, then eat and return to your seat. If you need to remain seated we will bring the bread and cup to you.

We Sing in Candlelight*

253 Silent Night! Holy Night!

Go in Peace!

*Indicates Congregation Please Stand

As you exit, please drop your extinguished candle into the containers provided.

SILENT NIGHT! HOLY NIGHT!

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,
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!

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.



Those who provided poinsettias for the season are welcome to take them home following tonight's service.