

Announcements

We welcome visitors and newcomers to our service this evening. We warmly invite you and your family to our regular Sunday mornings worship services at 10 am.

Thank you for your generous support of our church's work and mission. Christmas offering envelopes can be found in the pew card holders. Income tax receipts will be issued for donations of \$20 or more.

**Christmas Eve
December 24, 2017 7 P.M.**



*Anchored in God's Word...
Moving into God's Future*

*Inviting and welcoming all people into a growing
relationship with God through Jesus Christ.*

*Serving God and our neighbours in the local
community and the wider world.*

Order of Service

Before Service

SUC Youth Worship Band

<i>Mary Did You Know</i>	Chorus Book # 96
<i>Mary's Boy Child</i>	Chorus Book # 84
<i>Away in a Manger</i>	Hymn Book # 69
<i>I Saw Three Ships</i>	Chorus Book # 80
<i>Who Would Imagine King</i>	Chorus Book # 94
<i>The Shepherd's Song</i>	Chorus Book # 81

Welcome

Rev John

Video – Emmanuel

- *Standing for all who are able*
- **Call to Worship** (Responsively)

Leader: All God's people – boys and girls, women, men:

All: Come and Worship!

Leader: Shepherds, Magi, saints, and angels:

All: Come and Worship! Come and worship!

Leader: All who need the Saviour, all who long for joy and comfort:

All: Come and Worship! Come and worship Christ, the newborn King!

- **Prayer of Approach (followed by the Lord's Prayer)**

Our Father, Who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

- **Carol 59** *Joy to the World*

SUC Boomer Band	<i>We Three Kings</i>	Chorus Book # 88
	<i>Do You Hear What I Hear</i>	Chorus Book # 84

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Offering *Silent Night* Steve and Jason Town

Scripture Reading: Luke 2:1-20
Michelle and Christine Ratnaraj

Musical Selection *O Holy Night* Caitlin Bridel, Solo

Children's Story

SUC Junior Band *Mary Did You Know* Chorus Book # 90
Mary's Boy Child Chorus Book # 88

Message A Sign For You Rev John
Luke 2:12

"This will be a sign for you. You will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger." Luke 2:12

Lighting of the Christ Candle – Caroline and Madeline Tume

Video – Good News – Christmas Invite

- Please wish one another a joyous "**Merry Christmas**"
- **Carol 48** *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

- Benediction

Musical Selections (Boomer Band)

Feliz Navidad
Silver Bells
Jingle Bell Rock
Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree
We Wish You a Blessed Christmas

Merry Christmas!



Assisting This Evening 7 pm: Welcoming Team:
Lead – Gail Boulton Lower Hall – Peter & Laura Mara
Balcony – Martha Heeney Elevator – Dave Faulkner

Assisting 10:30 pm: Welcoming Team:
Lead – Ken Boulton Lower Hall – Karen & Chris Monk
Elevator – Doug Hitchcock Balcony - Closed Communion – Cathy & Doug Hitchcock
