

DECEMBER 23, 2007
10:15 A.M.
CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PLAY
"MANY NAMES—ONE JESUS"

*And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah,
are by no means, least among the rulers of Judah;
for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel.
Matthew 2: 6*

PROCESSIONAL INTROIT Organist Miah Han
"Il Est Né, le Divin Enfant (He Is Born)"
Marcel Dupré

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Bill
We extend a special welcome to all guests. **You come as a guest and leave as family.** CDs (\$2.00) & DVDs (\$5.00) are available of today's worship. **Please put your cell phone on vibrate or turn it off. God will find another way to reach you today.**

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

PREPARING OUR HEARTS AND MINDS
CHIMES OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE Organist
"Shepherd's Pipe Carol"
Dale Wood

*CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Bill
L: The angel said to Joseph:
Mary will bear a son, and you are to name Him Jesus.
P: **For He will save His people from their sins.**
L: All this took place to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet:
P: **"Look, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel," which means "God with us."**

People: Praise the Lord!
The Lord's name be praised!

*CHRISTMAS CAROL Congregation
#28 Good Christian Friends, Rejoice

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Pastor Bill and Congregation
God, we sometimes like to leave Your Son in the manger. We like Him as a baby. That means we can be in control. Forgive us, God, for not allowing Jesus to grow up in our lives. Forgive us for not working at our relationship with Jesus; so that He becomes our Lord and Savior, rather than just a beautiful Child. Help us to connect the cradle with the cross. Amen.

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION
(Let us travel through our memories and confess any sins we come upon.)

THE KYRIE p. 574 Congregation
**Lord have mercy upon us,
Christ have mercy upon us,
Lord have mercy upon us.**

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS Pastor Bill

*RESPONSE: Gloria Patri
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now,
and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

*THE PEACE Pastor Bill and Congregation
Pastor: The Peace of the Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**
Please stand and greet one another, saying, "The Peace of the Lord be with you" or some other appropriate phrase.

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Roxie

(After the Children's Message, the children who are not in the Christmas Play return to sit with their parents. This is a Family Sunday—there is no Sunday School today).

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PLAY "ONE JESUS—MANY NAMES"

OPENING

#31 Hark the Herald Angels Sing
Congregation

Hark the Herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King."
Peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!
Joyful, all ye nations, rise. Join the triumph of the skies;
With the angelic host proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem"
Hark! the Herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King."

THE NAMES OF THIS BABY BOY

Lord, O Lord, Your Name Is Wonderful
By Hal H. Hopson

Soloists: Brayden Hunter, Madison Leonard, Solomon Han
Handbells: Mary Miller, Martha Delargey, Laura Wesenberg

THE PROPHECY ABOUT THE BIRTH OF JESUS

King of Kings

Ancient Hebrew Folk Song
Instrumental Setting by Taemin Han
Flute: Grace Han, Peggy Huntington
Tambourine: Larry Huntington

THE ANGEL AND JOSEPH

THE ANGEL AND MARY

The Virgin Mary Had a Baby Boy
West Indian Spiritual

O Come, O Come, Immanuel
By Natalie Sleeth
Soloist: Kate Monnett

THE BIRTH OF JESUS

60 Silent Night, Holy Night
1st Verse—Choir

3rd Verse—Soloists: Brandon Krol, Roy McIntosh
4th Verse—Congregation

Silent night, holy night! Wondrous star, lend thy light;
With the angels let us sing, Al-le-lu-ia to our King;
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born.

THE SHEPHERDS AND THE ANGELS

Il Est Né (He Is Born)
Traditional French Carol

THE WISEMEN

53 What Child Is This?
Congregation

What Child is this, who, laid to rest, on Mary's lap is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet
while shepherds watch are keeping? This, this is Christ
the King, whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
Haste, haste to bring Him laud, the Babe, the Son of Mary!

JESUS, LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Jesus, Light of the World
By Mark Patterson

Handbells: Mary Miller, Martha Delargey, Laura Wesenberg

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER Pastor Roxie
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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

OFFERING Pastor Roxie
 (As the offering plates are being passed, please pass the Friendship pads and sign, with your name, address, e-mail and phone, so we can properly greet you if you are visiting with us today).

MUSIC AT THE OFFERING Grace Han, flute
 "Gesu Bambino (The Infant Jesus)"
 Pietro A. Yon

*OFFERING RESPONSE
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING Pastor Bill

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*CHRISTMAS CAROL Congregation
 #23 Angels We Have Heard on High

*CHARGE/BENEDICTION Pastors

POSTLUDE Organist
 "Joy to the World"
 Arr. by Keith Christopher
 * Congregation stands.

PARTICIPANTS IN THE PLAY

NARRATORS	Megan Fisher Anthony Ghandour	Kate Monnett Austin Stillwell
SCRIPTURE READERS	Spencer Leonard Gavin McHugh	Madeline Pretto Alexis Stillwell
JOSEPH	Jacob Hutterlocher	
MARY	Lois Hunter	
ANGEL 1	Isabella Tomlinson	
ANGEL 2	Madelyn Schrot	
ANGEL 3	Madison Leonard	
MULTIPLE ANGELS	Ellie DuChene Nina Ferri Libby Hunter	Gracie McHugh Rachel Santini Calia Wheaton
EMPEROR'S SERVANT	Brayden Hunter	
INNKEEPER	Roy McIntosh	
MRS. INNKEEPER	McKenna Fisher	
HEAD SHEPHERD	<u>Solomon Han</u>	Eli Ghandour
SHEPHERDS	Michael Ferri	Lillian Martin
KING HEROD	<u>Jackson Steiner</u>	William Martin
CHIEF PRIESTS	John Fisher	Philip Martin
WISEMAN 1	Brandon Krol	
WISEMAN 2	Marcello Scarnecchia	
WISEMAN 3	Justin Huttenlocher	
MUSIC DIRECTOR	Taemin Han	
ACCOMPANIST	Miah Han	
DRAMA DIRECTOR	Pastor Roxie	
CHILDREN'S DIRECTOR	Ms. Peggy	
COSTUME DIRECTOR	Stephanie Martin	
TECHNICAL DIRECTOR	Mike Ball	

Thank you to all the volunteers and parents who made this Children's Christmas Play possible. You helped to spread the Good News of Jesus' birth. May the "One Jesus with Many Names" come to live in our hearts forever.