

Christmas Eve Worship
Christ Presbyterian Church of Boise
December 24, 2018, 5:00 p.m.

* (asterisk) indicates *Please stand as you are able.*

Welcome

*Call to Worship

John 1:1-3,14

In the beginning was the Word.
And the Word was with God, and the Word was God.
He was in the beginning with God.
All things were made through him,
And without him was not any thing made that was made.
And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us,
And we have seen his glory,
Glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth!

*Hymn *Joy to the World*

*Prayer of Invocation (unison)
**God our Father, you gave us your Son, the Lord of the universe,
wrapped in swaddling clothes, the Savior of all, lying in a manger.
As we worship this night, draw us into the mystery of your love.
Join our voices with the heavenly host that we may sing your glory
on high. Give us a place among the shepherds that we may find the
one for whom we have waited, Jesus Christ, the Messiah and Lord,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one
God, now and forever. Amen.**

Lighting of the Christ Candle
Karel Lehrman, Leann Miller, and Sarah Minick

Choral Anthem *What a Wondrous Gift*

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 9:2-7

*Hymn *Angels We Have Heard on High*

Gospel Reading Luke 2:1-20

Sermon "In a Manger"

Solo *He Is Here* Amy Livingston

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Thanksgiving & the Lord's Prayer

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise
It is truly right and our greatest joy . . .
. . . who forever sing to the glory of your name:
**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest!**
You are holy, O God of majesty . . .
. . . Great is the mystery of faith:
**Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again!**
Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us . . .
. . . And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:
Our Father, who art in heaven . . .

*Hymn *Hark! the Herald Angels Sing*

The Lord's Supper

Anthem *Star of Jacob* Women's Ensemble

*Hymn *Silent Night*

*Benediction



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“...so that Jesus Christ might come to have first place in everything.” Colossians 1:18 (b) NRSV



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Pastor Phil Moran
“In a Manger”
Luke 2:1-20

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