

DECEMBER 11, 2016 PROGRAM OF CHRISTMAS MUSIC

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIGHTING OF THE THIRD ADVENT CANDLE
(Caleb Campbell)

PRELUDE

READING: Isaiah 40:1-5

“Prepare Ye the Way” Joseph M. Martin

READING:...Isaiah 11:1-4

“Lo How A Rose E'er Blooming”-arr. Jay Rouse

READING: Micah 5:2-5a

“Come Flood This Heart of Mine”-arr. Gustav Holst
Herb Fromback, David Lantz III

READING: Isaiah 9:2, 6, 7

“Baloo, Lammy”- (“Lullaby, Little Lamb”) arr. Don Gillespie

READING: Luke 2:1-7

“Hear the Angels Singing”-arr. Pamela Martin, Lloyd Larsen

HYMN: (Red) No.158-verse 1 and 2
“Angels, We Have Heard on High”

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: “Christmas Pipes”

OFFERTORY PRAYER

HYMN: (Red) No. 158-verse 3 and 4
“Angels We Have Heard on High”

READING: Matthew 2:1-11

“Arise and Shine! Your Light Has Come!”-Joseph M. Martin

READING: Luke 2:8-16

“Christmas Lullaby”-John Rutter

READING: John 1:1-14

“O Come All Ye Faithful” arr. Hal Hopson

Verse 4 with Congregation

Sing, choirs of angels, Sing in exultation!
O Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above!
Glory to God, all glory in the highest!
O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!

READING: I John 5:1-5

“Joy Has Dawned”-Keith Getty and Stuart
Townend, arr. Molly Ijames

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: *“O Come, All Ye Faithful”* Edward Broughton

**We express our thanks and
appreciation for today's inspiring
worship to the Choirs of the Staunton
Church of the Brethren and Olivet
Presbyterian Church under the
direction of David MacMillan.**

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THE SESSION

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Philip Balsley

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Christmas Program
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Kim Smith and Kodi Frye-Easter Program
Christel Nicklas and Kim Smith-Birthday Objective Program
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Pat Hunter..... Circle 3
Mary Helen Clemmer Circle 4
Esther Ann Walton..... Circle 6



A SERVICE OF LESSONS AND CAROLS

Olivet Presbyterian Church

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The Rev. Lee Thomas, Pastor

Directory: David MacMillan

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Erin Staebell
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Mabel Lou Weiss
Kathy MacMillan
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Lauren Herz
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11:00 A.M. Sunday School for all ages
Church attendance last week: 103
Offering last week: \$3,966.25
Sunday School attendance last week: 44
Sunday School offering last week: \$30.00
Confirmation Class-Death and Resurrection

11:15 A.M.
TUESDAY:

6:00 P.M. Circle 6 will meet with Jean Ann Clemmer
(Needs a count of attendance)

WEDNESDAY:

12 Noon Circle 3 will meet at Sanzone's Italian Restaurant

Our **greeter** today is Judy Swann.

Our **prayer family** this week is Shirlene and John Charbeneau.

All children are asked to meet in the Social Hall immediately following the worship service today for a **Christmas Program practice.**

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