

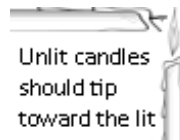
Order of Worship

December 24, 2017

6:00 p.m.

†You are invited to lay your March to the Manger offering on the altar rail during communion. If needed, envelopes are available on the ushers table. Please see the back of the bulletin for more information.

*Please stand as you are able.



Candles

As you leave the Sanctuary, please extinguish your candle, place it in one of the containers provided and exit reverently. Thank you.

Prelude	<i>O Come, O Come Emmanuel</i> (arr. Broughton)	Justin Hanson, Organ
*Call to Worship		Rev. Dan Camp
	Leader: God created light when there was nothing but darkness.	
	People: Thanks be to God for the light.	
	Leader: God gave hope to the exiles wandering in the wilderness.	
	People: Praise be to God for the hope in our lives.	
	Leader: God sent the invincible to become vulnerable for us.	
	People: Glory be God's for the gift of his baby son.	
Lighting of the Advent Wreath		DeeAnna and Katelynn Aday
Special Music	<i>Who Would Imagine A King?</i> (arr. Williamson)	DeBachnG
*Hymns	<i>"Angels We Have Heard on High"</i> <i>"What Child Is This"</i> (1st and last stanzas)	UMH 238 UMH 219
Invitation		Rev. Camp
Confession and Pardon		
Anthem	<i>Candlelight Carol</i> (arr. Rutter)	Choir
	<i>Children please come forward for the reading of the Christmas story.</i>	
Scripture	Luke 2:1-20	Rev. Camp
Homily		
†The Great Thanksgiving for Christmas Eve		UMH 13
Sharing of the Bread and the Cup		

