## **Holy Trinity United Methodist Church**

December 25, 2022 9:30am

Prelude Lyndy Zabel

Welcome

Songs of Praise "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" Hymnal #240

"God Rest You Merry Gentlemen" (vs. 1,2,4) W&S #3052

Call to Worship

Leader: Welcome to all!

People: Happy or sad, rejoicing or grieving, seeking or believing.

Leader: Welcome to all! Here is good news:

People: To you is born this day, in the city of David, a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

Leader: His name is Jesus, which means, "Liberator," "Rescuer," "Deliverer."

People: His life changed the world.

Leader: His living presence changes us today.

ALL: LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS. REJOICE! GIVE THANKS TO GOD!

Opening Prayer (unison)

God of peace, you hold the nations in your hand, yet know and love us all. By your Spirit, you gather us; in Christ, you make us one. As we come together, show us who we are, what we can be, and where we should go, through Jesus Christ, our Rescuer, Partner, and Friend. AMEN.

Children's Time

First Reading Isaiah 52:7-10

Prayers of the People/Our Lord's Prayer

Songs of Praise "There's A Song in the Air" Hymnal #249

"The Virgin Mary Had a Baby Boy" (vs. 1-3) TFWS #2098

Psalm Psalm 98 (responsively) Hymnal #818

Gospel Reading John 1:1-14

Songs of Praise "The Friendly Beasts"

"Infant Holy, Infant Lowly"

Hymnal #227

Hymnal #229

Offering/Offertory

Doxology "The First Noel" (vs. 1 & refrain) Hymnal #245

Prayer of Dedication (unison)

In simple trust we bring our gifts, Our tithes of all we've known We hear your calling in this hour, Feel stirrings of the Spirit's power Lift wings grown tired as stone.

To share our lives and spread the hope Meant not for heaven afar, But for your hurting and forlorn Your child who wakened up this morn Needing your love and ours. AMEN.

**Announcements** 

Benediction

Leader: Go forth in peace,

**People: The peace of Christ.** Leader: Go forth with joy,

People: The joy of the season.

Leader: Go forth with love, People: The love of God. Leader: Go forth to serve,

ALL: LED BY THE SPIRIT OF GOD.

Closing Song "Go, Tell It on the Mountain" Hymnal #251

Postlude

## **Worship Leaders**

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This Week:		
Monday, Dec. 26	9:30am 7:00pm 7:00pm	AA (Parsonage) Narcotics Anonymous (F. Hall) Al-Anon (Parsonage)
Tuesday, Dec. 27	1:00pm 7:00pm	Trinity Readers lunch at Hooligan's Co-Dependents Anonymous (Parsonage)
Wednesday, Dec. 28	8:30am	Moment of Prayer for Holy Trinity
Thursday, Dec. 29	6:00pm	Veterans AA (Parsonage)
Sunday, Jan. 1	9:30am	Worship/Live-Stream

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