

CHURCH SCHOOL CHRISTMAS SERVICE

"O WORSHIP THE KING"

Presented By

UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH SCHOOL

ORGAN MEDLEY OF CHRISTMAS CAROLS

THE OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

THE OPENING CAROL... "Joy To The World" .

*Joy to the world! The Lord is come;  
Let earth receive her King;  
Let every heart prepare Him room;  
And heaven and nature sing;  
And heaven and nature sing;  
And heaven, and heaven and nature sing.*

*He rules the world, with truth and grace,  
And makes the nations prove;  
The glories of His righteousness,  
And wonders of His love,  
And wonders of His love,  
And wonders, and wonders of His love.*

CAROL... "O Worship The King"

*O worship the King, all glorious above,  
O gratefully sing, His power and His love:  
Our shield and Defender, the ancient of Days  
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.*

CAROL... "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear"

*It came upon the midnight clear, That glorious song of old,  
From angels bending near the earth, To touch their harps of gold:  
"Peace on the earth, good-will to men, From heaven's all-gracious  
King!"  
The world in solemn stillness lay, To hear the angels sing.*

CAROL... "As With Gladness Men Of Old"

*As with gladness men of old, Did the guiding star behold;  
As with joy they hailed its light, Leading onward, beaming bright;  
So, most gracious God, may we evermore be led to Thee.*

CAROL... "Hark The Herald Angels Sing"

*Hark, the herald angels sing, "Glory to the new-born 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!"*

TABLEAU OF MANGER SCENE BEING ARRANGED

SHEPHERDS ENTER AND KNEEL BESIDE MANGER

## CAROL... "Away In The Manger"

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,  
The little Lord Jesus laid down His sweet head.  
The stars in the sky looked down where He lay,  
The little Lord Jesus, asleep on the hay.

## SHEPHERDS LEAVE WITH ORGAN PLAYING... "As With Gladness Men Of Old"

## CAROL... "We Three Kings" (Wise Men Enter Upon This Song)

We three Kings of Orient are  
Bearing gifts we traversed a-far;  
Field and fountain, moor and mountain  
Following yonder star.

O Star of Wonder, Star of night  
Star with loyal beauty bright,  
West-ward leading still proceeding,  
Guide us to Thy perfect light.

## CAROL... "Angels From The Realms Of Glory"

Angels, from the realms of glory, Wing your flight o'er all the earth;  
Ye who sang creation's story, Now proclaim Messiah's birth:  
Come and worship, come and worship, Worship Christ, the new-born King.

## CHILDREN IN CHANCEL KNEEL FOLDING THEIR HANDS AND BOWING THEIR HEADS-Primary

## CLOSING CAROL... "O Little Town Of Bethlehem"

O Little town of Bethlehem, How still we see thee lie;  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep, The silent stars go by;  
Yet in the dark street shineth, The Everlasting Light;  
The hopes and fears of all the years, Are met in Thee tonight.

For Christ is born of Mary, And gathered all above,  
While mortals sleep, the angels keep their watch of wondering love,  
O morning stars together proclaim Thy holy birth;  
And praises sing to God the King and peace to men on earth.

How silently, how silently the wondrous gift is given;  
So God imparts to human hearts the blessing of His heaven;  
No ear may hear His coming, but in the world of sin,  
Where meek souls will receive Him still, the dear Christ enters in.

O Holy Child of Bethlehem! Descend to us we pray.  
Cast out our sin, and enter in, be born in us today.  
We hear the Christmas angels, the great glad tiding tell;  
O come to us, abide with us Our Lord Emmanuel.

BENEDICTION- Pastor

DISMISSAL

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