

First Presbyterian Church

“Worship joyfully the One who awaits your praise!!”

December 25, 2009

A CHRISTMAS DAY CAROL FESTIVAL

Prelude “*Infant Holy, Infant Lowly*” (traditional Polish carol)

Welcome and Introduction to the History of Our Carols

Carol “*In Dulci Jubilo*” (music: 14th century)
Piano: “*In Dulci Jubilo*” – arr. Max Drischner
Congregation: “Good Christian Friends, Rejoice” 28

Carol “*Es ist ein Ros*” (music: 15th century)
Piano: “Lo, How a Rose” – arr. Max Drischner
Congregation: “Lo, How a Rose E’er Blooming” 48

Carol “*Greensleeves*” (music: 16th century)
Piano: “What Child is This?” – arr. Paul Manz
Congregation: “What Child is This?” 53

The Christmas Story Luke 2:1-20

Carol “*The First Nowell*” (music: 13th century?)
Piano: “The First Nowell” - arr. Jerry Ray
Congregation: “The First Nowell” 56

Carol “*Go Tell It*” (spiritual: 19th century)
Congregation: “Go, Tell It on the Mountain” 29

Carol “*Mendelssohn*”
Congregation: “Hark! The Herald Angels Sing” 31

Carol “*Mueller*” (music: 19th century)
Piano: “Away in a Manger” -arr. Martha Mier
Congregation: “Away in a Manger” 25

Christmas Prayer

Carol “*St. Louis*” (music: 19th century)
Congregation: “O Little Town of Bethlehem” 44

Carol “*Cranham*” (music: 20th century)
Organ: “In the Bleak Midwinter” – arr. Allen Gibbs
Congregation: “In the Bleak Midwinter” 36

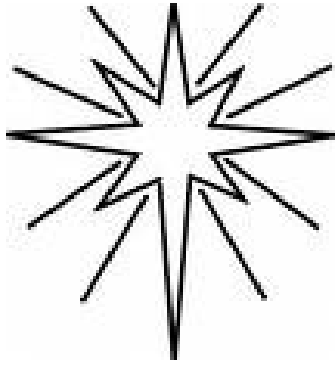
Carol “*Star- Child*” (music: 20th century)
Congregation: “Star-Child” 2095 (*Sing the Faith*)

Christmas Blessing

Postlude “I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day” -arr. Martha Mier

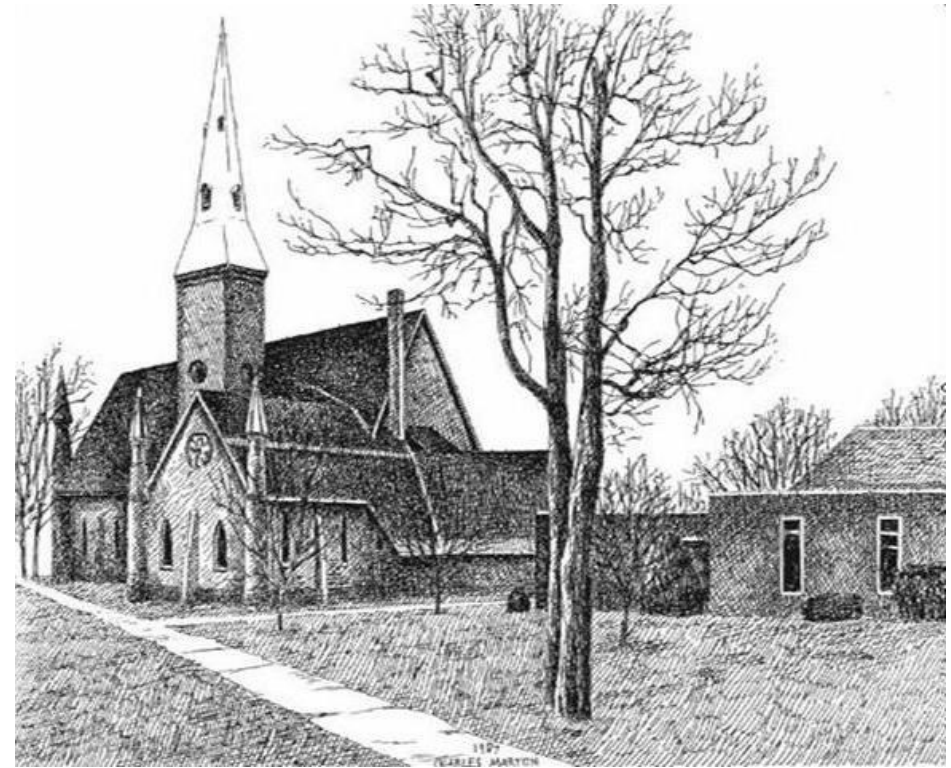
**Stand as you are able*

Everyone is invited to stay after worship today for a Christmas Day breakfast in the Center. Come and enjoy the food & fellowship.



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