SPRING CITY & REED CHAPEL
UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES
Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
A Service of Lessons, Carols and Holy Communion
5:00 p.m. • December 24th, 2012

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP
Lynn Hinkle, Organist

*HYMN
“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel”  No. 211

SOLO
“O Holy Night”  Maggie Tammark

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE
Michael & Letty Shock

HYMN
“In the Bleak Winter”  No. 221

FIRST LESSON
Micah 5:2-5  Billy Ray Patton

*HYMN
“O Little Town of Bethlehem”  No. 230

SECOND LESSON
Isaiah 9:2, 6-7  Tyra McClendon

HYMN
“What Child is This?”  No. 219

THIRD LESSON
John 1:1-18  Doris Roy

*HYMN
“O Come, All Ye Faithful”  No. 234

FOURTH LESSON
Luke 1:26-38  Jazmine McClendon

HYMN
“Angels We Have Heard on High”  No. 238

FIFTH LESSON
Luke 1:46-55  Davinity Tallent

SOLO
“The Birthday of a King”  Judy Ezell

SIXTH LESSON
Luke 2:1-20  Kay Hesselbach

*HYMN
“While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks”  No. 236

SEVENTH LESSON
Matthew 2: 1-11  Linda Mullins

DUET
“Mary, Did You Know?”  Angela Garrison

and Richard Porter

THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

*THE CANDLE LIGHTING CEREMONY

*HYMN
“Silent Night, Holy Night”  No. 239

(see cover for words)

*BENEDICTION
Rev. Dale S. Wyrick

*Congregation standing

Please NO applause until the end of the service.
We welcome you to our annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Service. Let us join together on this special evening as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Thank you for making this service a part of your family’s Christmas tradition.

Merry Christmas!

Silent Night, Holy Night

Silent night, holy night, all is calm, all is bright
round yon virgin mother and child. Holy infant, so tender and mild,
sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.

Silent night, holy night, shepherds quake at the sight;
glories stream from heaven afar, heavenly hosts sing Alleluia!
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born!

Silent night, holy night, Son of God, love’s pure light;
radiant beams from thy holy face with the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord, at thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at thy birth.

Silent night, holy night, wondrous star, lend thy light;
with the angels let us sing, Alleluia to our King;
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born!