Christmas Eve Candlelight Service  
Spring City and Reed Chapel United Methodist Churches  
December 24, 2015  
5:00 p.m.

Prelude  
“O Holy Night”  
Trish Cole

Stir up our hearts, O Lord, to make ready the way of your only Son, so that by his coming we may be enabled to serve you with pure minds, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen.

Hymn  
“It Came upon the Midnight Clear”  
No. 218

Scripture Lesson  
Isaiah 9:2-7

Special Music  
“In the Bleak Midwinter”  
Judy Ezell

Psalter Lesson  
“Psalm 98”  
No. 818

Hymn  
“Joy to the World”  
No. 246

Scripture Lesson  
Titus 3:4-7

Special Music  
“Mary, Did You Know?”  
Angela Garrison  
Richard Porter

Scripture Lesson  
Luke 2:1-7

Special Music  
“Sweet Little Jesus Boy”  
Richard Stair

Hymn  
“No. 217

Scripture Lesson  
Luke 2:8-20

Sermon  
Dr. Tony Collins

Celebration of Holy Communion

Special Music  
“Our Holy Night”  
In One Accord

Lighting of the Candles

Hymn  
“Silent Night, Holy Night”  
No. 239

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Benediction

By the tender mercy of our God  
Love has broken upon us!  
Light is given where once there was darkness  
And hope where there was only death.  
We go into this season knowing  
That God will guide our feet into the way of peace.  
Go in peace! Amen.

We welcome you to join us for worship again on Sunday, December 27th, at 11 a.m., as we continue the Christmas story through the eyes of Joseph.

Please leave your candle in one of the containers by the doors.
We extend a warm welcome to everyone to our annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Service! May we join together on this special evening to celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Thank you for making this service a part of your family’s Christmas tradition.

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!

Merry Christmas

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