

## Silent Night

### 1. 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;

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### 2. Silent night, holy night,

Shepherds quake at the sight.

Glories stream from heaven afar,

Heavenly host sing “Alleluia”.

Christ the Savior is born;

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(Musical interlude)

### 3. 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;

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Fairview Reformed Presbyterian Church  
Ohioville, PA  
December 24, 2023 | 7:00 p.m.

# Merry Christmas! The King has Come.

He has come to save. We gather to worship Him.

## Call to Worship – Matthew 4:16

*“The people dwelling in darkness have seen a great light,  
And for those dwelling in the region of the shadow of death,  
on them a light has dawned.”*

\*Hymn of Worship ..... No. 181  
*“Hark! The Herald Angels Sing”*

\*Prayer

## Our Child King: Advent Scripture Preparation

The Angels and the Infant King – Luke 2:1-20

Placement – Angel

Prayer for our Covenant Children

\*Hymn of Worship ..... No. 179  
*“Angels We Have Heard on High”*

Christmas Offering – *Look/After Fund* (See opposite page for info)

Prayer of Dedication

**\*Scripture Reading** ..... **Zechariah 9:9-10 (p.1013)**

\*Prayer for Enlightenment

**MESSAGE** ..... **Humble King Jesus**

\*Hymn of Worship ..... *“Jesus Strong and Kind”*

## Candlelight Service

Lighting Candle of Remembrance, and Prayer

Lighting of Candles

Hymn of Christ's Birth ..... *“Silent Night”*

Prayer for Christ's Light in the Darkness

\*The Benediction

\*Congregation is requested to stand, if able.

December 24, 2023

“Jesus Christ for West Beaver County”

**Welcome!** We are glad you chose to attend our Christmas Eve Candlelight Service. Please kindly sign the attendance pad.

**A hearing assistance system** is available in the sanctuary. For a personal receiver, ask an usher or the sound person.

**Restrooms** are available on the lower level of the church building and one for handicap and special needs is available on the sanctuary level in the vestibule.

**During the Candlelight portion of the service, we encourage everyone to be very careful. If children hold a candle, parents need to be close beside. Be careful of clothes and hair. To pass the light, it works best to hold the lighted candle straight and the person with an unlighted candle to tilt it over the flame. We want this to be a safe and memorable time. Also, please be careful not to drip wax on clothes or the carpet.**

**Special Christmas Offering Look/After Fund** – The Presbyterian Church in America Christmas Offering has a tradition of love to assist PCA retired and disabled church workers, PCA pastors or widows-of-pastors in need, which include missionaries as well as pastors who are in need. See bulletin insert for more information. Offerings received will go to the Look/After Fund, for All offerings will go to this cause.

**Thank You** – The Missions Committee would like to express their gratitude to all who gave and prayed for this past year's Angel tree project. This is one way to touch people's lives with the love of Jesus. Thanks to all who stepped forward to deliver these gifts to our county neighbors' families. One family of 5 children in particular were surprised, respectful, talkative and excited “that we get to have presents under the tree!”

**Snow Camp** – for 6-12 graders. “Out of this World”  
Laurelville Retreat Center February 9-11, 2024,  
Speaker: Rev. Seth Gurley, Murrys ville Community Church (PCA)

**Regular Registration** – \$120 until Dec. 31, 2023

**Late Registration** – \$150 Jan. 1 until Jan. 19, 2024

**Guest House Pricing and Dates:**

The Guest House rooms sleep up to three (3) people (1 double and 2 twins), have a private bathroom, and linens and towels are provided.

Regular Registration – \$150 until Dec. 31, 2023

Late Registration – \$180 Jan. 1 until Jan. 19, 2024

<https://ascensionpresbytery.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1639501>

**Merry Christmas**

*Have a Merry Christmas tomorrow!*