

# A Service for The Hanging of the Greens

November 26, 2006

7:00pm

Worship leaders

Scott Tinsley, Diane Wright

Keyboard

Danny Booth

**Pre-service Music**

Danny Booth

**Welcome**

Rev. Jeff Bennett

“We Wish You a Merry Christmas”  
“Jingle Bells”

Children’s Choir

**Expecting the Gift**

“Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus”

Come, thou long expected Jesus,  
Born to set thy people free;  
From our fears and sins release us,  
Let us find our rest in thee.  
Israel’s strength and consolation,  
Hope of all the earth thou art;  
Dear desire of every nation,  
Joy of every longing heart.

Born thy people to deliver,  
Born a child and yet a king,  
Born to reign in us forever,  
Now thy gracious kingdom bring  
By thine own eternal spirit  
Rule in all our hearts a-lone;  
By thine all sufficient merit,  
Raise us to thy glorious throne.  
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O Come let us adore Him (3x)  
Christ, Christ, Christ the Lord.

**Anticipating the Gift**

“A Strange Way to Change the World”

Diane Wright, Scott Tinsley, Duet  
Katie Myers, Dancer

**The Offering of Our Gifts** Danny Booth

**Celebrating the Gift**

“Light Your Christmas”

YCAM, Praise Choir and Traditional Choir

**The Hanging of the Greens**

The Paraments

“Angels We Have Heard on High”

238 (verses 1 & 3)

The Evergreens

“It Came Upon a Midnight Clear”

218 (verses 1 & 4)

The Bows

“Hark the Herald Angels Sing”

240 (verses 1 & 5)

The Flowers

“Lo, How a Rose E’er Blooming”

216 (verses 1 & 3)

The Bells

“Sing We Now of Christmas”

237 (verses 1, & 5)

The Candles

“Silent Night, Holy Night”

239 (verses 1, 2, & 3)

The Chrismons

“The First Noel”

245 (verses 1, 2, & 3)

## The Lighting of the Chrismon Tree

“Sweet, Little Jesus Boy”

Diane Wright, Soloist

## Benediction

### Sending Forth

246  
(verses 1,2&4)

“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

Joy to the World,  
The Savior reigns!  
Let all their songs employ;  
While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains  
Repeat the sounding joy,  
Repeat the sounding joy,  
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

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.

*Please join us for a time of reception in the Fellowship Hall.*



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