

Christmas Eve Celebration of Carols and Readings 2017

Zion Mennonite Church Choir Swift Current, Saskatchewan
Director: Ken Dueck Accompanist: Marion Dueck

Prelude		McLean Brass
Everyone	H318 Joy to the world stanzas 1, 2	Watts / Mason
Welcome		Pastor Lois Bukar
Choir	Sst 27 Sing a different song	Iona / Bell
<i>Reading Luke 1: 26-38 The visitation</i>		<i>Colin Zacharias</i>
Choir	H180 The angel Gabriel	Barring-Gould / Basque carol / arr. Pettman
Choir	A Tiny Child will Come	Besig and Price
<i>Reading Luke 2: 1-7 Journey to Bethlehem and the birth of Jesus</i>		<i>Val Woelk</i>
Choir	A Christmas Antiphonal solo: Kelsey McLean	Hopson
Choir	Ho ro, ho ro	Iona / Scots tune
Everyone	H194 Away in a manger	anon. / Kirkpatrick / arr. Fyock
<i>Reading Luke 2: 8-20 Angels, shepherds, visiting in the stable</i>		<i>Vern Peters</i>
Choir	In the bleak mid-winter	Rosetti / Holst / arr. Whitworth
Everyone	H197 Angels we have heard stanzas 1, 2	French carol
Choir	Sussex Carol	English carol / arr. Hunter and Weale
<i>Reading Matthew 2: 1-12 Herod, the wise ones, and gifts</i>		<i>Shirley Ens</i>
Choir	H 208 Love came down at Christmas	Rossetti / Pettman
Choir	A Carol of Hope	Besig and Price
Everyone	H199 The first Noel stanzas 3, 4, 5	English carol
<i>Reading John 1: 1-14 Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh</i>		<i>Bart Jarrett</i>
Choir	H198 Let our gladness have no end	Bohemian carol
Candle lighting	The Birthday of a King	Neidlinger / arr. Rogers Grace Funk, Marion Dueck
Everyone	Silent Night O little town of Bethlehem Hark the herald angels sing O come, all ye faithful Joy to the world	
Blessing		Pastor Lois Bukar
Postlude		McLean Brass
	* * * Thanks for coming! Merry Christmas! * * *	