

CHRISTMAS EVE MORNING WORSHIP
DECEMBER 24, 2023, 10AM

RINGING OF THE CHURCH BELL

GATHERING

(Please take a moment to sign the attendance pad and pass it on to your neighbor)

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: UMH #198 *My Soul Gives Glory to God* Southern Folksong

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH “THE APOSTLES’ CREED” UMH #881**

***OPENING HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #250** *Once in David’s Royal City*

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Heather Connor

ANTHEM **10:00** *What Can I Give to Him?* Gustav Holst, arr. Howard Helvey
LUMC Chancel Choir

COMMUNITY PRAYER CONCERNS

THE LORD’S PRAYER #895

OFFERTORY: UMH #209 *Bless Be the God of Israel* Hopson

***THE DOXOLOGY UMH #95**

***HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #211** *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

***A LESSON FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT** Luke 1:26-38 page 53

***GLORIA PATRI #71**

WITNESS TO THE WORD “Let It Be” Rev. Mack McDowell

***CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE UMH #251** *Go, Tell It on the Mountain*

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

POSTLUDE: UMH #200 *Tell Out My Soul* Greatorex

***Please stand as you are able.**