



PARK AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

A CONGREGATION OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(DISCIPLES OF CHRIST) + THE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

December 25, 2022

PRELUDE

Grand Fantasia on Joy To The World

Composed by Marc Cheban

CAROL

O Come, All Ye Faithful

Composed by John Francis Wade & Frederick Oakeley;

HymnTune: ADESTE FIDELES

WELCOME

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

CAROL

Behold The Star

Negro Spiritual (accredited to Thomas W. Talley)

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 9:1 (German Translated);

Isaiah 9:2-7 (Year A, p. 100-101)

Sigrid Sunstedt

CAROL

Angels We Have Heard On High

Hymn Tune: GLORIA; Text: Les anges dans nos campagnes

THE INVITATION TO THE TABLE

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & THE PRAYER FOR THE MEAL

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

PARTAKING OF THE FEAST

CHRIST'S PRAYER

Our God in heaven,
hallowed be Your name.
Your Kindom come, Your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
And forgive us our sins/debts/trespases,
as we forgive those who
sin/debt/trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kindom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.

*Padre nuestro que estás en los cielos
santificado sea tu nombre.
Venga a nosotros tu reino, hágase
Tu voluntad, en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día.
Perdona nuestras deudas/ofensas, como
también nosotros perdonamos
a los que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en tentación
y líbranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino, tuyo es el poder y
la gloria, ahora y siempre. Amén.*

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Rev. Kaji S. Douša

Follow us on:

COMMUNION MUSICAL MEDITATION	For God So Loved The World <i>Composed by Lanny Wolfe</i>
SCRIPTURE READING	Luke 2:1-20 (Year A, p. 64-65) <i>Sharon Jenkins</i>
CAROL	Good Christian Friends, Rejoice <i>HymnTune: IN DULCI JUBILO; Text: John Mason Neale</i>
INVITATION TO THE OFFERING	The Rev. Dr. Richard Sturm
OFFERTORY MUSIC	Hark! The Herald Angels Sing <i>HymnTune: MENDELSSOHN, Felix Mendelssohn & Charles Wesley, arr. William Hayman Cummings, Public Domain</i>
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE	The Rev. Dr. Richard Sturm
HOMILY	The Rev. Kaji S. Douša
POST SERMONIC MEDITATION	O Magnum Mysterium <i>Traditional Text based upon Isaiah 1:3 & Luke 2; arr. Morten Lauridsen Improvisation by C. Anthony Bryant</i>
LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE	John 1:1-14 (Year A, p. 74) <i>The Rev. Kaji S. Douša</i>
THE BLESSING	The Rev. Kaji S. Douša
CAROL	Silent Night. Holy Night <i>Composed by Franz Gruber & Joseph Mohr; HymnTune: STILLE NACHT</i>
PASSING OF THE PEACE	
POSTLUDE	Christmas Carol Improvisation <i>Improvised by Nathaniel Gumbs</i>

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Prelude –

Grand Fantasia on Joy To The World – Composed by Marc Cheban
ESL – 2089674 CCLI – 24016

Carols –

O Come, All Ye Faithful – Composed by John Francis Wade & Frederick Oakeley;
HymnTune: ADESTE FIDELES
CCLI – 31054

Behold The Star – Negro Spiritual (accredited to Thomas W. Talley)
CCLI – 7108737

Angels We Have Heard On High – HymnTune: GLORIA;
Text: *Les anges dans nos campagnes*
CCLI – 27721

Communion –

For God So Loved The World – Composed by Lanny Wolfe
CCLI – 6883 ESL – 41346 ASCAP – 360187844

Carol –

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice – HymnTune: IN DULCI JUBILO;
Text: John Mason Neale
CCLI – 1214849

Offertory –

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing – HymnTune: MENDELSSOHN, Felix Mendelssohn &
Charles Wesley,
arr. William Hayman Cummings, Public Domain
ESL – 25274 CCLI – 27738

Post Sermonic –

O Magnum Mysterium – Traditional Text based upon Isaiah 1:3 & Luke 2;
arr. Morten Lauridsen.
Improvisation by C. Anthony Bryant
ESL – 10110 Harry Fox – 004051 CCLI – 3202773

Carol –

Silent Night. Holy Night – Composed by Franz Gruber & Joseph Mohr;
HymnTune: STILLE NACHT
ESL – 11458 CCLI – 1950254

Postlude –

Christmas Carol Improvisation – Improvised by Nathaniel Gumbs

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