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## CHRISTMAS EVE LOVEFEAST AND CANDLE SERVICE

December 24th, 2024, 11 AM

BAND PRELUDE

Seasonal hymns and carols

**STRING PRELUDE** *Pifa* from *Messiah* — G.F. Handel/Arr. Daniel Kelley

HANDBELL PRELUDE

STRING ANTHEMS DURING THE LOVEFEAST

Away in a Manger — Arr. Wagner Carols for Strings — Arr. Daniel Kellev

OFFERTORY

O Emmanuel — Karen Marrolli Walk in the Light — Karen Marrolli

CANDLE ANTHEM

Thou Child Divine — J.A.P. Schulz

Wendy Goforth, soprano, and Wes Peddycord, baritone

**ORGAN POSTLUDE** On Christmas Night, All Christians Sing — Margaret Vardell Sandresky

## SERVING IN WORSHIP

The Rev. Dr. Chaz Snider. Pastor The Rev. Dr. Nola Reed Knouse, Pastor Amanda Schumpert, Director of Music Helen Pelkey, Director of Children, Youth, & Family Ministries Mary Louise Kapp Peeples, Organist The Carter, New, & Lineberry Families, Advent Candle Ruth Metheny, Violin I Alexander Stultz, Violin II Alexandra Johnston. Cellist Brian Lott. Band Director The Calvary Band **The Calvary Ringers** The Calvary Children's Choir The Calvary Chancel Choir **Calvary Dieners & Ushers** Jennifer Carter & Josephine Rose, Nursery Attendants

**The flowers in the Narthex** are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Allyson Bonner Thrift and Helen Harmon Wright, both of whom rarely missed a Christmas Eve Lovefeast at Calvary Moravian Church.

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