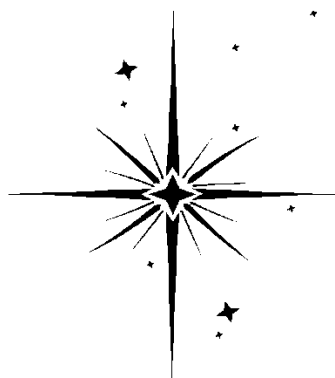


The people walking in
DARKNESS have
seen a
great light.

Isaiah 9:2



Lorraine Avenue Mennonite Church
Wichita, Kansas

Christmas Eve

December 24, 2016

Prelude

Christmas Lullaby
Linda Buller, organ

Traditional
arr. Smith

Ave Maria Bach/Gounod
Anna and Hillary Harder, violins; Tom Harder, guitar

Fantasia on Greensleeves Vaughan-Williams
Keith Plenert, violin; DeAnn Diller, piano

What is this Lovely Fragrance arr. Manz
Away in a Manger arr. De Cormier
Grayce Kaufmann, flute

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring Bach
O Little Town of Bethlehem arr. Paxton
Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella arr. Davis
O Holy Night Adam



Introit

An Advent Prayer
Chancel Choir

Pote

The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us.

Welcome

Tom Harder

*The people who sat in darkness have seen a great light;
Those who lived in a land of deep darkness—
On them light has dawned.*

**The following people are sharing their poinsettias
with the congregation this evening:**



Presented by:

In Memory of:

Bruce and Meribeth Buhr

*George and Mildred Buhr
Ethel Schmidt, Don Schrag*

Cheryl Schmidt, Kimberly Schmidt and
Joel Linscheid and Aspen and Zach Yordy

Larry Schmidt

Karl and Myra Swartz

*Myron and Esther Stutzman
Sam and Eleanor Swartz*

Donna Froese

Don Schrag

The Tieszen Family

Walt and Wileta Tieszen, Elaine Blaine

Dale and Nathan Blaine

Elaine Blaine

Ann, Julie and Mike Fetters

Linda Fetters

Welcome to this Christmas Eve service.

Christmas Eve Offering: International Rescue Committee

Special Thanks during this holiday season:

Choir Director: Andrew Voth

Poinsettias: Carrie Dicke

Advent Banners: Linda Gebert

Window Displays: Jane Tanner

Nursery Staffing: Katie Mitchell-Koch

Ushers: Darrel and Eunice Doerksen

Sound System: Eric Friesen

Thanks to the following people for their help with decorating the church: Cameron Cleary, Julia Fetters, Rachel Reimer Kouame, Caleb and Megan Miller, Leah Robinson, Sylvia Schmidt, Myra Swartz, and Sam Unzicker.

Candle lighters this evening are Braedon and Kelly Cleary, Julia and Ann Fetters, Anna and Hillary Harder.

**Merry Christmas and a new year
filled with hope to all.**