

Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship

Milner Baptist Church

Milner, Georgia

Five O'clock

December 24, 2019

Piano Prelude Mr. Joe Bostwick

Words of Greeting Dr. Larry Mitcham

Invocation Brother Frank

A Hymn for the Eve of Christmas 100 GLORIA
"Angels We Have Heard on High"

The Reading of the Christmas Story

Luke 2:1-14

Dr. Larry Mitcham

Lighting the Christ Candle

Brother Frank

Throughout this season we have lived, waited, and remembered the hope, peace, joy, and love of God found in Christ. Tonight we gather together and light candles in honor of the Christ Child. With the birth of Christ, salvation has drawn near. The God who ordered the chaos of the universe has come down into the chaos of our world. The Word which was with God at the beginning came down and lived with us. While we were yet living in the valley of the shadow of death, the light of new life burst forth. We light this candle for Christ.

Special Music

A Word for Christmas Eve Brother Frank

The Passing of the Light of Christ

The Parting Hymn for this Holy Night

"Silent Night, Holy Night"

Silent night, holy night, All is calm, all is bright,
Round yon virgin mother and child! Holy infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace, Sleep in heavenly peace.

Silent night, holy night, Darkness flies, all is light;
Shepherds hear the angels sing, "Alleluia! Hail the King!
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born."

Silent night, holy night, Wondrous star, lend thy light;
With the angels let us sing, Alleluia to our King;
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born.

The Benediction

Piano Postlude

Mr. Joe Bostwick





***Merry
Christmas!***

*We pray for you and your family a blessed and joyous Christmas.
May the light of God's love through the Christ Child come into the
hearts of God's children around the world!*

"Joy to the world! The Lord is come!"

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Frank Tarpley, Interim Pastor
Dr. Larry Mitcham, Music Director
Dr. Vickie Smith, Organist

Rev. Chip Garrison, Sun./Wed. p.m.
Mr. Joe Bostwick, Pianist
Mrs. Jenny Polk, Admin. Assistant

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Christmas Eve Service

Christ Is Born!

