Did You Know?

Processional Hymn: # 55 - Oh, Come, All Ye Faithful
Verses 1-3 – congregation
Verse 4 - children

Opening Service – Sermonette - Prayer

Part 1: The Prophecies Foretold Jesus’ Birth
Narrations
Recitations
Narration

Responsive Reading
P: But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah,
C: though you are small among the clans of Judah,
P: out of you will come for me one who will be ruler over Israel,
C: whose origins are from of old, from ancient times.

Narration
Hymn: # 50 - Once in Royal David’s City

Part 2: The Birth of Jesus
Narration
Recitation (Luke 2:1-5)
Narration
Recitation (Luke 2:6,7)
Narration

Song: Away in a Manger

Part 3: The Shepherds Hear About the Birth of Jesus
Narration
Recitation (Luke 2:8-20)
Narration

Hymn: # 63 - Angels We Have Heard on High

Part 4: The Wise Men Are Led to the Savior
Narration

Choir: On Christmas Night All Christians Sing
Recitation

Song: # 51 - I Am So Glad When Christmas Comes
Verses 1,2,3,5 – children
Verse 4 - congregation

Part 5: The Good News of Jesus Is for All
Narration
Recitation (Matthew 28:19)
Narration

Hymn: # 60 - Silent Night! Holy Night
Verse 1 – children
Verses 2-3 – congregation

Offering
Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Blessing

Recessional Hymn: # 62 - Joy to the World
Verse 1 – children
Verses 2-4 - congregation
Announcements:
We thank the teachers and students of our Sunday School and also the choir for bringing us the glorious news of our newborn Savior in word and song during tonight's Christmas service. We also thank our organist, David Bilitz.

We hope that you will join us for our joint Christmas Day service tomorrow. The service will be here at Trinity at 9:00 am. It will not be the same as this evening's service.

There will be no Sunday School classes this Sunday.

Your 2016 offering envelopes are available in the entryway of church.

You are invited to our joint New Year's Eve service at 7:30 pm. It will be held at St. John's in Alma City. Holy Communion will be offered in this service. There will not be a New Year's Day service.

Pastor, Carol and their family would like to wish all of you a joyous Christmas and a Christ-filled New Year!