TRINITY AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

Christmas Family Night
1964
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A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS!

TO YOU

AND A GOOD NEW YEAR!
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SILENCE
on entering into worship
let the people pray

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP
Vestry Prayers with Session
Prelude *
"Jesu Bambino" Yon
Organ and Handbells
Prayers with the Choir
Introit *
Chancel Choir

CAROL OF PRAISE NO. 158 *
"Angels We Have Heard on High"
-Congregation sings all stanzas, stand on second-

CALL TO PRAYER
M. Unto us a child is born, and unto us a son is
given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder:
and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor,
the mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of
Peace.
R. Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing
which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known
unto us.

ADORATION in unison
O Loving Father, who has brought us again to the glad
season when we commemorate the birth of thy Son,
Jesus of Nazareth: grant that his spirit may be born
anew in our hearts this day and that we may joyfully
welcome him to reign over us. Open our ears that we
may hear again the angelic chorus of old; open our
lips that we too may sing with uplifted hearts, Glory
to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will
toward men. Amen.

CAROL NO. 167 *
"Gentle Mary Laid Her Child"

PRAYERS
CAROL NO. 155 *
"There's a Song in the Air!"

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON in unison Isaiah 9:2-7 p. 509, Sel. 38

ANTHEM
"As It Fell Upon a Night" Chancel Choir

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON in unison Luke 2 p. 520, Sel. 47

THE APOSTLES' CREED
Gloria Patri

CAROL NO. 156 "The First Noel" Old English Carol

PRAYERS
CAROL NO. 169 "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks"

OFFERING
OFFERTORY "Barcarolle in A♭ Major" Faure

DOXOLOGY

SERMON "THE SAVIOUR OF THE WORLD IS HERE" The Minister

BENEDICTION and Choral Response

POSTLUDE

* Latecomers may be seated.

After the Doxology children may leave for Junior Church

CHRISTMAS EVE

You are invited to join us for the Annual Christmas
Eve Candlelight Celebration of Holy Communion in
the Sanctuary at 7:30. The Ministers and older
youth of our congregation will participate in the
Service. A nursery will be available for the
small children.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

Given today in loving memory of Mr. George M.
Miller by his family.

THE MINISTERS AND STAFF AND THEIR FAMILIES would like to
express heartfelt gratitude to the congregation for their
many Christmas remembrances, and wish for you each one all
the joys of this Holy Season.

A SINCERE CHRISTIAN WELCOME is extended to our visitors.
We invite you to sign a visitor's card.

The Sunday before Christmas, 1964
SINCERE CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is expressed to Mrs. Bob Blake and family upon the death of her father last week; and to Mrs. Lee F. Chaiken and family upon the death of her mother last week.

NEXT SUNDAY IS CHRISTIAN STUDENT SUNDAY. Taking part in the Service of Worship will be several of our college students with recognition to all our college students through the church bulletin.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MR. & MRS. DAVID JORGENSEN who were married in the Wedding Service of Worship conducted by the Minister last evening. Mrs. Jorgensen is the former Miss Dean Reaves.

TODAY

CHILDREN IN THE KINDERGARTEN THROUGH SIXTH GRADE will meet in the dining halls tonight at 7:00 P.M. for a special Christmas celebration. Christmas carols and songs will be sung, Dr. Bennett will read Christmas stories, and refreshments will be served. Parents are invited to come with the children also.

THE YOUTH GROUPS will meet at the church tonight at 7:00 P.M. for an evening of caroling and fellowship. After visiting shut-ins in the community the group is invited to the home of Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Griffith for refreshments and fun.

THOSE ELECTED TO THE DIACONATE ON LAST SUNDAY ARE:


THE MINISTER WOULD LIKE TO MEET with all members of Session and Diaconate, including those newly elected, at 9:30 in the Sanctuary on Sunday, January 3rd, to instruct both the old and new officers prior to the Service of Ordination and Installation and Holy Communion.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20

Nursery: Mrs. Eugene Henry, Director Ext. Kindergarten: Mrs. F. Greathouse, Dir. SPECIAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM for children in kindergarten through sixth grade - 7:00 P.M.

YOUTH GROUPS: Meet at the church to go caroling, 7:00 P.M.

SESSION AND DIACONATE: Joint business meeting, in Church Parlor, 7:30 P.M.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21

GIRL SCOUTS: Will not meet this week.

SCOUT TROOP 412: 7:30

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22

CIVIL & COUNTRY SCOUTS: Will not meet this week.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL TEAM: YMCA - 9:00

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23

MID-WEEK STUDY GROUP: Will not meet this week.

CHILDREN'S CHOIRS: Will not meet this week.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24

CHANCEL CHOIR: No rehearsal this week.


SCHEDULE FOR DEPTH STUDY GROUPS:

Contemporary Theology: January 3rd, to discuss The Letters of Dietrich Bonhoeffer (available in paperback.)

Contemporary Literature: January 10th, to discuss Winter of Discontent by John Steinbeck (available in paperback.)

THE JOY GIFT OFFERING received on last Sunday evening totaled $235.00.

O COME, LET US ADORE HIM, CHRIST THE LORD!
APPRECIATION

To Miss Margaret Rose Bussell, Professor of Music, Peace College, and a member of our Church, for assisting in the Service of Worship today, playing the piano Offertory. This month, Miss Bussell gave a concert performance at Town Hall in New York City.

To Mrs. Judy Snow, descant soloist for the anthem this morning.

To one and all who cleaned the Church, worked in the office, decorated trees and tabletops and Sanctuary, prepared the reception for new members, served in kitchen and dining halls, cared for little children, played the music, sang in the choirs, rang the handbells, and in a hundred different ways did their part by glad participation and prayer to make our Christmas Family Night a happy and memorable event for our congregation.

To all the men who have worked with dedication, ability, and good humor with Mr. Gilbert Mays on the Church's Stewardship Season, to reach the highest financial goal in our people's history.

To the Women of the Church with Mrs. Sidney Johnson, in all their areas of service too many to number.

To the Church's School and all its Scouts both boys and girls.

To each member of the Staff and those who have come to assist them in the rush of the season.

To all who in faith have made this fall a joy in the Church's life...

"A VERY BLESSED CHRISTMAS!"

TO YOU

"AND A GOOD NEW YEAR!"