

SILENT 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! Shepherds quake at the sight,
Glories stream from heaven afar,
Heavenly hosts sing: “Alleluia;
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born.”

Silent night! Holy night! Son of God, love’s pure Light
Radiant beams from Thy holy face,
With the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth.

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.

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Christmas Eve Service

Leacock Presbyterian Church



December 24, 2017

“When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.”

Matthew 2:10,11

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE 2017

Old Leacock Sanctuary

Prelude		Hymn: #140	“Once In Royal David’s City”
Invocation		Fifth Lesson	Luke 1:26-35, 38
Greeting		Hymn: #14	“What Child Is This”
The Lighting of the Advent Candles		Sixth Lesson	Luke 2:1-20
Gathering Hymn: #133	“O Come, All Ye Faithful”	Hymn: #134	“Joy to the World”
Bidding Prayer		A Christmas Reflection	The Greatest Gift
First Lesson	Genesis 3:8-15	The Christmas Love Offering	
Hymn: #113	“Angels We Have Heard on High”	The Offertory	
Second Lesson	Genesis 22:1-8, 15-18	Seventh Lesson	John 1:1-14
Hymn: #121	“O Little Town of Bethlehem”	The Lighting of the Candles (Please remain seated)	
Third Lesson	Isaiah 9:2, 6-7	Hymn: #122	“Silent Night, Holy Night”
Hymn: #144	“In the Bleak Midwinter”	Benediction	
Fourth Lesson	Micah 5:2-5a	Postlude	