

# Sunday, December 10, 2023 - Traditional 8:00 am

**Music for Gathering / Prelude**

**Community Connection**

**Choral Introit** *“Love Has Come”*

† **Call To Worship**

† **Opening Hymn** *“Angels From the Realms of Glory”* # 220

† **Opening Prayer**

† **Response** *“O Come, All Ye Faithful”* # 234 (v. 1, 3)

**Lighting the Advent Candles**

**Carol** *“Love Came Down at Christmas”* # 242 (v. 1-2)

**Scripture Reading** **Mark 1:1-4, CEB**

**Prayers of the People**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Carol** *“Love Came Down at Christmas”* # 242 (v. 3)

**The Offering**

**Invitation to Offering**

**Offertory/Special Music**

† **Doxology**

† **Offertory Prayer**

**Choral Anthem** *“Glad Noel”*

**Scripture Reading** **Isaiah 40:1-11, CEB**

**Sermon** *“A Light in the Dark”* Rev. Ron Bartlow

**Living Our Faith**

† **Closing Hymn/Carol** *“Sing We Now of Christmas”* # 237 (v. 1-3)

† **Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Pianist: Brent Burmeister | Choral Music: Early Bird Choir*

† indicates times we will invite the congregation to stand / remain standing.

# Sunday, December 10, 2023 - Contemporary 9:30 am

## Music for Gathering

### † Christmas Carols

*“God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen”  
“Away In A Manger”*

## Opening Prayer

**The Lord’s Prayer**

## Carol

*“Love Came Down At Christmas”*

## Community Connection

## Lighting the Advent Candle

## Scripture Reading

**Isaiah 40:1-11, CEB**

## The Offering

**Invitation to Offering**

**Collection & Special Music**

*“Go Light Your World”*

## Sermon

*“A Light in the Dark”*

Rev. Ron Bartlow

## Living Our Faith

### † Closing Carol

*“What Child is This?”*

### † Sending Forth

## Music for Departing

*Pianist: Brent Burmeister | Praise Band: Grace Multiplied*

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