

"THE RING OF STARS"

Order of Service

Please stand as the Bible is brought into church.

Opening words.

Notices and offering.

Hymn: 160 "O come all ye faithful"

Prayer.

Narrative

Hymn: 147 "Silent night, Holy night"

Narrative

Hymn: 159 "Hark the herald angels sing"

Bible Reading Luke Chapter 2 Verses 4 to 7 [NT p 75]

Narrative

Bible Reading Luke Chapter 2 Verses 8 to 14 [NT p 75]

Hymn: 155 "While shepherds watched their flocks by night"

Narrative

Hymn: "Little Jesus, sweetly sleep" Words opposite

The children only will sing the first verse.

- 1 Little Jesus, sweetly sleep, do not stir;
We will lend a coat of fur,
We will rock you, rock you, rock you,
We will rock you, rock you, rock you:
See the fur to keep you warm,
Snugly round your tiny form.

- 2 Mary's little baby, sleep, sweetly sleep,
Sleep in comfort, slumber deep;
We will rock you, rock you, rock you,
We will rock you, rock you, rock you:
We will serve you all we can,
Darling, darling little man.

Anonymous Polish tr Percy Dearmer (1867-1936)

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Reading Isaiah Chapter 9 Verse 6

Narrative

Hymn: "Away in a manger"

Closing Prayer.

Blessing with Threefold Sung Amen.

Please remain standing until the Bible has been taken out of the Church.

A very warm welcome to all visitors to our church and particularly to the Children & Our Friends from Morpeth Methodist Church worshipping with us. Thanks also to our Orchestra for the music, to our Flower Committee and the Tree Festival for our decorations and to all those taking part in this Nativity Service. Also to Barbara Pringle for preparing the script of "Ring of Stars"

Tea & Coffee will be served in the Hall upstairs after Worship. All are welcome. Fairtrade goods are also on sale.

NOTICES

TODAY at 3.30 pm Cradle Roll Service.

AND at 4.00 pm Service of Lessons and Carols Joint with Morpeth Methodist Church at MMC.

TOMORROW Monday 16th December at 6.30 pm
Community Carol Service for All led by our Minister Revd. Julian Sanders.

Wednesday 18th December at 12.30 pm Midweek Service in the South Transept. Tea & Coffee are available from Noon.

Sunday 22nd December at 10.30 am Morning Worship for 4th Sunday in Advent led by our Minister, Revd. Julian Sanders.

Tuesday 24th December at 11.30 pm Watchnight Service.
Tea & Coffee will be available from 11.00 pm.

Wednesday 25th December at 10.00am Family Worship for Christmas Day.

Sunday 29th December at 10.30 am Morning Worship led by our Worship Group.

2020 Church Diary

Copies of the recently agreed diary for the first half of 2020 have been posted in the Vestibule, Hall & Minister's Vestry. Please contact Joann Evans or Ken Irvine if there are any errors or corrections required.