

✠ **St. Paul's Lutheran Church** ✠
Kenesaw, NE

Pastor Paul S. Duffy

Mrs. LaMoine Fischer, Organist

Acolyte: Payton Morrow

Crucifer: Savannah Williams

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Bible Class/Sunday School 9:00am

Divine Service 10:00am

The Nativity of Our Lord - Christmas Eve
December 24, 2015

Children of the Heavenly Father
A Children's Christmas Eve Service

As We Gather

God, our heavenly Father, brings us together on this holy night to give thanks to Him and to celebrate His unending love for us in sending His Son, Jesus Christ. As our children share the timeless story of Jesus' birth, may each of us remember always that we are children of the heavenly Father!

Pre-Service Music

Processional Hymn p. 380 "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

The Christmas Message

The Offering and Musical Offering

Song "Heaven Everywhere" (1st - 6th)

Part 1: Children of the Heavenly Father Trust His Word

Narration & Recitation

Hymn "See in Yonder Manger Low" (1st-6th)

Part 2: "Jesus Became a Child to Make Us Children of the Heavenly Father"

Narration & Recitation

Songs Preschool and Kindergarten

We Wish You a Merry Christmas

Happy Birthday Jesus

A Christmas Tree

Part 3: Children of the Heavenly Father Rejoice in God's Grace

Narration & Recitation

Hymn "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" (1st-6th)

Part 4: Children of the Heavenly Father Proclaim God's Word

Narration & Recitation

Congregation Hymn p. 361 "O Little Town of Bethlehem"

Musical Selection "O, Holy Night" (Vocalists: Jack Duffy, Signe Norrby;
Harp: Michelle Rose Tucker)

Part 5: By Faith, We are Children of the Heavenly Father"

Narration and Recitation

Congregational Hymn p. 363 "Silent Night"

Stand

Christmas Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Congregational Hymn p. 387 "Joy to the World"



Join us, as the celebration of Christ's birth continues tomorrow morning with our traditional Christmas Festive Worship at 10:00am.

Thank You: Pastor, Sharon, and the entire Duffy family wish each of you and your families a blessed and peace-filled Christmas! Many thanks to everyone who blessed us with cards, gifts, treats, and other special presents. We greatly appreciate your kindness and pray God's greatest blessings to be upon you as you celebrate the birth of our Savior!



"Adoration of the Angels"
Carle van Loo (1705-1765)

