

Christmas Eve Offering

Tonight's offering supports Girdwood Chapel, a welcoming community church that is home to the Girdwood Food Pantry, the Community Garden, and year-round care for our neighbors in need.

Thank you for your generosity and for supporting the life and care of our Girdwood community.



*Sharing the Light & Sing "Silent Night, Holy Night"

1 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.

2 Silent night! Holy night! Shepherds quake at the sight.
Glories stream from heaven afar, heav'nly hosts sing, "Alleluia!
Christ the Savior is born! Christ the Savior is born!"

3 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!

4 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."

*Benediction

Girdwood Chapel's vision is "to be a heartbeat of Girdwood connected in love and committed to Christ, with faith that makes room for grace and honors differences."

Christmas Eve Children's Pageant



December 24th, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

Hosted by Alyeska Resort and Girdwood Chapel
Supported by Girdwood Live Music Team

* Indicates an invitation to rise in body or spirit.

Welcome

Prayer of the Nativity

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"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" verses 1-2

1 O come, O come, Immanuel, and ransom captive Israel
that mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear.

Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice! Immanuel shall come to you, O Israel.

2 O come, O Wisdom from on high, who ordered all things mightily;
to us the path of knowledge show and teach us in its ways to go.

[Refrain]

Blue Characters – Mary and Joseph

A Reading of Jesus' Birth, from Luke 2:1-7

"Away in a Manger" verse 1

1 Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,
the little Lord Jesus lay down His sweet head.
The stars in the sky look down where He lay,
the little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

Yellow Characters – The Angels

A Reading from Luke 2:8-14

"Hark The Herald Angels Sing" verse 1

1 Hark! the herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King:
peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations, rise, join the triumph of the skies;
with th' angelic hosts proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

Green Characters – The Shepherds

A Reading from Luke 2:15-20

"The First Noel" verse 1

1 The first Noel the angel did say
was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay,
in fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
on a cold winter's night that was so deep.

Refrain: Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel,
born is the King of Israel.

Red Characters – The Animals

A Reading about the Animals at Jesus' Birth

"What Child Is This" verse 1

1 What Child is this, who, laid to rest, On Mary's lap is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
While shepherds watch are keeping?

Chorus: This, this is Christ, the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing:
Haste, haste to bring Him laud,
The Babe, the Son of Mary!

Orange Characters – The Magi and Kings

A Reading from Matthew 2:1-11

"We Three Kings" verse 1

1 We three kings of Orient are; bearing gifts we traverse afar,
field and fountain, moor and mountain, following yonder star.

Refrain: O star of wonder, star of light, star with royal beauty bright,
westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light.

All Characters

A Reading from John 1:1-5

Christmas Message

Pastor HyungHee Kim

"Joy to the World" verses 1-2

1 Joy to the world, the Lord is come; Let earth receive her King
Let every heart prepare Him room, heaven and nature sing
let heaven and nature sing, let heaven and heaven and nature sing
2 Joy to the world, the Savior reigns; Let all their songs employ
while fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains, repeat the sounding joy
repeat the sounding joy, repeat, repeat the sounding joy

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