

**December 19, 2021**

**What Would Winter Holidays be Without UU's?**

**Sounding of the Bowl;** Rev. Mark Szkrabacz he/him

**Prelude:** Ballet--The Magic Toy Shop "La Boutique Fantasque"

Music by Gioacchino Rossini

Danced by Aurelia Lopez

Lucia Lopez

Keira Lopez

Elisha Lopez

**Words of Welcome:** Charice Hoptowit she/her

**Invocation:** Rev. Mark Skrabacz he/him

**Passing of the Peace:** Rev. Mark Skrabacz he/him

**Chalice Lighting:** Wally Silva and Sarah Frey

**Covenant:** Samantha Sobzcak

***PRESENTATION PART I***

O Christmas Tree, O Christmas Tree, thy leaves are so unchanging.

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Not only green when summer's here, but also when tis cold and drear

O Christmas Tree, O Christmas Tree, thy leaves are so unchanging.

O Christmas tree, O Christmas Tree, you fill our hearts with gai-ety

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On Christmas Day you stand so tall, affording joy to one and all

O Christmas tree, O Christmas Tree, you fill our hearts with gai-ety

**Candles of Joy and Sorrow:** Rev. Mark Skrabacz he/him

**Music for the Lighting of the Candles:** Jaime Ramirez

**Pastoral Prayer:** Rev. Mark Skrabacz he/him

***PRESENTATION PART II***

Hymn #244: It Came Upon a Midnight Clear

I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day [soloist]

**Invitation to Generosity:** Rev. Mark Skrabacz he/him

**Offertory Anthem: “Believe” from the Polar Express. Robby Vance vocalist**

**Offertory Response:** Rev. Mark Skrabacz he/him

### **PRESENTATION PART III**

Hymn #248: O We Believe in Christmas

### **PRESENTATION PART IV**

Hymn #362: Rise up, O Flame.

**Benediction:** Now the Work of Christmas Begins  
Howard Thurman (Baptist Minister), read by David Rodriguez

### **Postlude**

### **Presentations Cast:**

**Narrators:** Rev. Mark Skrabacz and Dr. Sheri Phillabaum

James Follen: Terry Palin

Follen children: Zavy Santos, Violet Beggs, Atticus Sevensing

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow: Ava Beggs

Scrooge: Lottie Beggs

Bob Cratchit: David Rodriguez

Marley's ghost: Mary Lou Hymel

Ghost of Christmas Past: Sarah Beggs

Ghost of Christmas Present: Zane Santos he/him

Ghost of Christmas Future: Cyris Santos he/him

Tiny Tim: Ali Sevensing

