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## INTROIT

*“Silent Night”*

Dr. Albert McNeil  
*The Albert McNeil Jubilee Singers*

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Carlton Rhoden  
*Westminster Presbyterian Church of LA*

*Leader: All through this season of Advent, we have encountered  
Hope, Peace and Joy and Love.*

*People: Today we will hear the story of God's wonderful love.*

*Leader: Today we will be challenged to believe in all that God can do.*

*People: Open our hearts, Lord, that we may be ready for your love. Amen.*

## \*OPENING PRAYER

*Lord, remind us that, like Mary, each one of us is a bearer of your Good News. We are called to proclaim hope, peace, joy, and love in your name. Open our hearts and our spirits today to receive with great joy the love that you have for us. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.*

## WELCOME & OCCASION

Rev. Victor Cyrus-Franklin  
*Inglewood First UMC*

## LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

Rev. Neema Cyrus-Franklin  
*The Presbytery of the Pacific*

*Leader: On this holy day, we remember the gifts of God this season of Advent: the hope, peace, joy, and love that has been made known to us in a new way. We light this last candle, remembering that Christ came into our world and lives in an unexpected way, as one of us, and Christ will come again.*

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**People:** *“Come, listen, the sounds of God-with-us ring clear, and signs of a cross in the distance appear. The word once made flesh, yet the Word ever near. One candle is lit for Christ’s birthday here.” Amen!*

<b>MINISTRY OF MUSIC</b>	<i>“O Come, O Come Emmanuel”</i>	Westminster Presbyterian Church of LA Music Ministry
<b>FIRST LESSON</b>	<i>Isaiah 9:1-7</i>	Rev. Dr. Harold E. Kidd
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>“In the Bleak Mid Winter / Sweet Little Jesus Boy”</i>	First Presbyterian Church of Inglewood
<b>SECOND LESSON</b>	<i>Matthew 1:18-25</i>	Rev. Jennifer Pavia Wagner
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>“Joseph Heard the Troubling News”</i>	Holy Faith Episcopal Church (Inglewood)
<b>THIRD LESSON</b>	<i>Luke 2:1-5</i>	Rev. Gary Bernard Williams
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>“Oh Holy Night</i>	<i>Saint Mark UMC (Los Angeles)</i>
<b>FOURTH LESSON</b>	<i>Luke 2:6-7</i>	Rev. Lawrence K. Dove
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>“Mary, Did You Know?”</i>	Park Hills Community Church (LA)
<b>FIFTH LESSON</b>	<i>Luke 2:9-14</i>	Rev. Renee Franklin
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>“Jesus, The Light of The World”</i>	Dixon Memorial UMC (Nashville)
<b>SIXTH LESSON</b>	<i>Luke 2:15-18</i>	Rev. Erika Rembert Smith
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>“Mary Did You Know?”</i>	Washington Shores Presbyterian (Orlando)
<b>SEVENTH LESSON</b>	<i>Matthew 2:1-11</i>	Rev. Timm Cyrus
<b>CAROL</b>	<i>“What Child is This?”</i>	Community United Presbyterian (LA)
<b>BENEDICTION</b>		
<b>CLOSING HYMN</b>	<i>“Take Me To the Alley”</i>	Inglewood First UMC Music Ministry

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