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You may collect your poinsettias after the 7:00 p.m. service on Christmas Eve or during the following week from the covered courtyard. 

**Anonymous** Donor To the Glory of God

Dale **Barnes** 

In memory of Mettie Whitlock & Abigail Bonner In honor of my Bible Doers Sunday night group

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In honor of our children and grandchildren Glenn and Emily Boyce

In honor of Emily's mother Bonnie Burgess

In memory of our parents Edward Burgess, Glenn Boyce, Sr., Coral Thomas, and our niece Heather Moak

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In honor of our Mrs. Johnnie Jordan Branning and Jamie Lyn Smith In memory of our Granmama Helen Miller

Tanya Brieger

In memory of my mother Wanda Brieger In memory of my brother Randy In memory of my stepmom Carolyn In memory of my grandparents Simon & Etoile Brieger and Billie & Martin Davis In memory of my step-grandparents Wesley & Imogene Woods

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In memory of their parents Jane & Bob Coign

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Eddie and Donna Eargle

In memory of Peter Eargle In honor of Cynthia Lauderdale & Kitchen Staff

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In honor of Del and Sabrina Watters In honor of Eddie and Donna Eargle

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In memory of Victor & Marilyn Lawrence Josh, Lyndie, Adalyn, and Lillian Faulkner In honor of David and Stephanie Faulkner In memory of Michael and Torri Haddakin David and Stephanie Faulkner

In honor of our children and grandchildren:

Josh & Lyndie, Adalyn and Lillian; Jonathan & Kaysie, August & Everett; Iordan & Emily

In memory of our parents Charles & Nina Cook, Ray Faulkner, and Charlene King and Stephanie's sister

Deborah Diane and David Goolsby

To the Glory of God Bob and Vickie Graves

In honor of Rowan Graves, our granddaughter

Mary and Willie Graves In honor of our children Jennifer & Marshall Graves

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In honor of their grandchildren Robert & Ann Lyles Gray and Ford & Lyles Gray In memory of Judy's sister Nancy Higdon

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In memory of Steve's mother Shirley Keller and Cindy's dad Bob Edwards

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Leroy and Ola Kuriger

In memory of Jim & Kathrine Ainsworth

Eva Lancaster

To the Glory of God

Marc and Cynthia Lauderdale

In honor of Susie Johnson To the Glory of God

Sue Lauderdale

In honor of Martha Kate Brumfield In honor of Deborah Shirley In honor of Leona Bishop

Amy **Loflin** 

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In honor of Matthew, Lauren, Kellen, Kate, and Maclane Fairburn

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In honor of her children and grandchildren

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In memory of Bob Maddox

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In memory of Mr. & Mrs. P. C. McInnis Nora McInnis

In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Richard Perry

Karl and Laura McKinley

In honor of our granddaughters McKinley and Mary Marshall Hutto

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In memory of H. Jack McNeil

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In honor of our family: Sarah, David, Kelsey, & Madden

Kathy and Alex **Mowdy** In memory of John Barnett

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In memory of Harrison V. Pittman, Jr.

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In memory of our parents Hobert & Margaret Williamson and Mr. Frank Ouinn, Sr.

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In memory of Norman Ramsay and Joseph K. Ramsay

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Rasberry Revs. Linda and Cary Rickman

In honor of our grandchildren Griffin and Bella Hays Paine In memory of our sister-in-law Sherrell

Aaron-Harley

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In memory of our brother Douglas Robinson

In memory of our brother Willard Foster

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In honor of Susan Ross In honor of Rosalind Ross In honor of Mark Andrew (Drew) Ross In memory of Thomas A. Ross, Jr. In memory of Polly & Elton Ammons

Mollie Sims

To the Glory of God Sara Ann Sims, Amy and Taft Webb, and Ann and Hunter Nowell & families

In memory of J. B. Sims

Bruce Smith In honor of my 3 girls Julie, Jourdan, and

John, Terry, Rachel, Matt, Madison, Solly & Theo **Smith** 

> In honor of Mary Lee Toler In memory of Hart Toler, and Johnnie & Harry Smith

Leland and Priscilla Smith

In honor of Melanie, Wil & Mary Somers Crawford and Lee Smith

Myra **Smith** 

In honor of Cynthia & Marc Lauderdale In honor of Sue Lauderdale

Stephen and Angie Smith

In honor of Logan, Connor, Sloane, Chris, & Adi

In memory of James Ellis "Sonny" Smith

Jim and Maris Stanard

In honor of Pathfinders Sunday School

Connie and Art Starkev

In memory of Leslie Christine Starkey

Leon and Judy Stewart

In honor of our sons and their families In memory of our parents

Susan and Bucky Sullivan

In memory of Martha & Robert C. Dickson, Sr., Susan's parents In memory of Robert C. Dickson, Jr. & Robert C. Dickson, III, Susan's brother and nephew

George and Ethel **Taquino** In memory of Ethel's mother Ethel W.

Clark Ron and Dorothy **Terry** 

In memory of our parents Murray & Dot

Cox and James & Frances Terry Max and Lynn **Thomas** 

In memory of Hope & Aubary Thomas In honor of Mary Livingston In memory of Claud Livingston In honor of Mary Claire and Lynn In honor of David and Barrie Penton

William, Louise, and Rosie Whittington In memory of our grandmothers Debbie Dorman and Nancy Whittington

Frances H. Williams

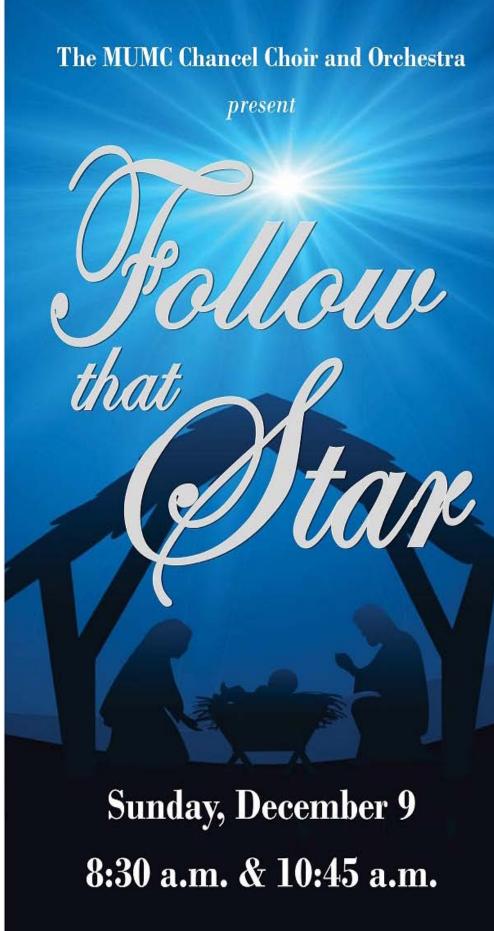
In honor of my children Sybyl & Elizabeth and grandchildren Bess, Lillie, & Wyatt

Jackie Wilson

In memory of Frank Wilson Katie and Nathan Witt

> In honor of Mamie & Liza Witt, Turner & Hart Bowie, Paula & Kurt Henke, and Kav Witt

In memory of Randy Witt



## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

December 9, 2018

#### **WELCOME**

**PRELUDE** Bring A Torch, Jeanette, Isabella arr. Gassi

#### **RESPONSIVE PRAISE**

Behold, a star is shining brightly, leading the way to the Christ Child **Rejoice! The King is born!** 

This Child is the One who made heaven and earth, the fullness of Deity, God most high. Rejoice! For God has come to dwell among us. Behold, Emmanuel!

This Child is the promised Savior who shines the light of His salvation to all people.

Rejoice! Let us sing praises to Jesus, the Light of the World!

#### **CHRISTMAS CAROL** The First Noel

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

For all to see there was a star shining in the east, beyond them far, And to the earth it gave great light, and so it continued both day and night. Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

And by the light of that same star the wise men came from country far; To seek for a king was their intent, and to follow the star wherever it went. Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

Then let us all with one accord sing praises to our heavenly Lord Who hath made heav'n and earth of naught, and with His blood mankind hath bought. Noel, Noel, Noel, born is the King of Israel.

#### LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

8:30 a.m. Shad and Amber Pope, Parker & Tatum

10:45 a.m. Darrell and Barbara Martin

O come, let us adore Him. O come, let us adore Him. O come, let us adore Him Christ the Lord.

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#### **PRAYER**

#### **GREETING** (At this time the children may exit the sanctuary for Bible Time)

 $Go, \, tell \, it \, on \, \, the \, \, mountain, \, over \, \, the \, \, hills \, \, and \, \, everywhere.$ 

Go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born.

**OFFERTORY** A Vaughan Williams Christmas arr. Wagner

# FOLLOW THAT STAR

(Readers: Campbell Browning and Olivia Martin)

#### Joy of Every Longing Heart

#### Come, Messiah

Ashlynn Grissom and Cary Breedlove, soloists

#### **Infant Holy and Silent Night**

#### Winterfest

O Come, Little Children

#### A Tribute of Carols

#### Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

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 host proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!" Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King!"

Christ by highest heav'n adored; Christ the everlasting Lord! Late in time behold Him come, offspring of the virgin's womb; Veiled in flesh the Godhead see; hail th'incarnate Deity, Pleased as man with men to dwell, Jesus, our Emmanuel. Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King!"

Hail, the heav'n born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings, ris'n with healing in His wings.
Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth.
Hark! The herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King!"

#### **Good King Wenceslas**

**Follow That Star** 

We Three Kings

**Child of Promise** 

Composers and arrangers for today's program include: Mary McDonald, Lloyd Larson, Dan Goeller, Victor Lopez, David Giardiniere, Heather Sorenson, Michael Burkhardt, Pamela Stewart, Brad Nix, John Leavitt, Joseph Martin, Patricia Mock

# THE MADISON UMC CHRISTMAS CHOIR

| Paula Adkins       | Ashlyn Grissom    | Bobbi   |
|--------------------|-------------------|---|
| Becky Allen        | Kristin Harwell   | Dave 1  |
| Doug Amacker       | Alison Horner     | Sheila  |
| Vicki Blake        | Bob Hughes        | Sara A  |
| Chris Blount       | Gay Hughes        | Hanna   |
| Russell Boles      | Laura Isbell      | Smith   |
| Blake Breedlove    | Sandy Isbell      | Terry   |
| Cary Breedlove     | Sheila Jones      | Mary  |
| Bryan Buckley      | Shelia Malone     | Patrici<br>Greg V<br>Micha<br>Margi<br>Paul Y |
| Elizabeth Carr     | Margaret Mason    |   |
| David Faulkner     | Kathleen Matthews |   |
| Stephanie Faulkner | Neil Osborne      |   |
| Mike Galatas       | Donna Peyton      |   |
| Erin Gall          | Abbey Phillips    |   |
| Wren Gregory       | Sandra Rasberry   |   |
|                    | •                 |   |

Bobbi Robinson
Dave Robinson
Sheila Salyer
Sara Ann Sims
Hannah Rachel
Smith
Terry Smith
Mary Lou Spencer
Patricia Stanfield
Greg Weber
Michaela Wilder
Margie Williams
Paul Young

### **ORCHESTRA**

| *Ty MaiselViolin        | *Julie HudikOboe                |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| *Vince MassiminoViolin  | *Bud BertholdTimpani/Percussion |
| *Milenna RusanovaViolin | *Rob DetjanFrench Horn          |
| GabriellaCastroViolin   | Bryce UpshawPercussion          |
| *Hristo HristovViola    | Emily HudgensPercussion         |
| *Stephanie WeldonCello  | Wesley BlountTrumpet            |
| *Richard BrownBass      | Francesca BlountTrumpet         |
| * John WenbergBassoon   | Donna BanksPiano                |
| *Sybil CheesmanFlute    | Rosemary McInnisOrgan           |
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<sup>\*</sup> Denotes Members of the Mississippi Symphony Orchestra Special thanks to Rusty Holcomb, our technical director.

## JOIN US FOR CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP

3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
 5:00 p.m.
 7:00 p.m.
 Come and Go Communion, Chapel Candlelight Communion, Sanctuary Candlelight Communion, Sanctuary

Regular Morning Services at 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. on December 23 and 30.

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