

Connection Card

Dec 24, 2018 Christmas Eve @ 1:00 pm

By completing this card each time you worship,  
you help us better respond to your needs.

Place the card in the offering plate  
or give to an usher. Thank you!

Your name \_\_\_\_\_

Children (names, ages) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

- 1<sup>st</sup> time guest       Regular Attender  
 Repeat Attender     Member

For guests and contact changes only

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City, St, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Best phone \_\_\_\_\_

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Birthday \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about us?  
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This week I served in the community by...



# Christmas Eve

1:00 pm Sanctuary

Order of Worship                      Dec 24, 2018

## Welcome / Announcements

### Lighting of the Advent Candle (rise)

### Call to Worship (rise)

### Hymn (rise)

#246 "Joy to the World" (vs 1, 2 & 4)

### Scripture – Luke 2:1-7 (CEB)

#219 "What Child Is This" (vs 1-2)

### Scripture – Luke 2:8-14 (CEB)

#238 "Angels We Have Heard on High"  
(vs 1, 3 & 4)

### Scripture – Luke 2:15-20 (CEB)

#234 "O Come, All Ye Faithful" (vs 1, 3 & 4)

### Scripture – Titus 2:11-14 (CEB)

### Special Music

"Come to the Stable" (Cornell)  
Chancel Choir

### Message

### Time of Offering / Offering Prayer

"The Jesus Gift" (Martin)  
Chancel Choir

### Communion

The Great Thanksgiving  
Hymnal # 18 – Musical Setting B

### Sharing the Light of Christmas (rise)

#239 "Silent Night"

### Christmas Blessing / Postlude

What if Christmas looked  
more like Jesus?

## Seeking Christmas

Pastor Karen Bruins

### Scripture

Luke 2:1-7 (CEB)

*Jesus' birth*

1 In those days Caesar Augustus declared that everyone throughout the empire should be enrolled in the tax lists. 2 This first enrollment occurred when Quirinius governed Syria. 3 Everyone went to their own cities to be enrolled.

Luke 2:8-14 (CEB)

8 Nearby shepherds were living in the fields, guarding their sheep at night. 9 The Lord's angel stood before them, the Lord's glory shone around them, and they were terrified. 10 The angel said, "Don't be afraid! Look! I bring good news to you - wonderful, joyous news for all people.

Luke 2:15-20 (CEB)

15 When the angels returned to heaven, the shepherds said to each other, "Let's go right now to Bethlehem and see what's happened. Let's confirm what the Lord has revealed to us."

Titus 2:11-14 (CEB)

11 The grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all people. 12 It educates us so that we can live sensible, ethical, and godly lives right now by rejecting ungodly lives and the desires of this world.

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# Christmas Eve

7:00 pm Family Life Center

Order of Worship

Dec 24, 2018

### Welcome / Announcements

### Lighting the Advent Candle

The Penn Family

### Christmas Carol

“All Creation Sing / Joy to the World”

### Scripture – Isaiah 9:2-7 (CEB)

“Hark the Herald Angels Sing”

### Scripture – Luke 2:1-20 (CEB)

“O Come Let Us Adore Him”

### Scripture – Titus 2:11-14 (CEB)

### Message

### Time of Prayer & Offering

“O Holy Night”

### Sharing the Light of Christmas

“Silent Night”

### Christmas Blessing



Pastor Karen Bruins

### Scripture

Isaiah 9:2-7 (CEB)

2 The people walking in darkness have seen a great light. On those living in a pitch-dark land, light has dawned. 3 You have made the nation great; you have increased its joy. They rejoiced before you as with joy at the harvest, as those who divide plunder rejoice.

Luke 2:1-20 (CEB)

*Jesus' birth*

2 In those days Caesar Augustus declared that everyone throughout the empire should be enrolled in the tax lists. 2 This first enrollment occurred when Quirinius governed Syria. 3 Everyone went to their own cities to be enrolled. 4 Since Joseph belonged to David's house and family line, he went up from the city of Nazareth in Galilee to David's city, called Bethlehem, in Judea. 5 He went to be enrolled together with Mary, who was promised to him in marriage and who was pregnant.

Titus 2:11-14 (CEB)

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9:00 pm Sanctuary

Order of Worship

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**Special Music** - "Mary Did You Know?"

Mike Champ - soloist

**Welcome / Announcements**

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The Riley Family

**Call to Worship** (rise)

**Hymn** (rise)

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**Scripture** - **Titus 2:11-14** (CEB)

**Message**

**Special Music**

"Winter Snow" (Assad)

Meghan Hayes - soloist

**Time of Offering / Offering Prayer**

"All is Well"

Mike Champ - soloist

**Sharing the Light of Christmas** (rise)

#239 "Silent Night"

**Christmas Blessing / Prelude**

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Pastor Karen Bruins

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## 2018 END OF YEAR GIVING

Many thanks to all for your faithful & generous giving this year!!

If you would like to make sure that your end of year contributions are credited in 2018 for tax purposes you can:

- give at any of the Sunday or special Christmas Eve Services
- bring your contribution to Nancy Duren in the church office by 12:00 noon on Mon, Dec 31st
- make sure your gift is postmarked by Dec 31st

If you have any questions or need to make other arrangements, contact Nancy Duren at 651-423-2475, nduren@thewellmn.church.

## ONE THING FOR DECEMBER

This is the last week to help families with small children with a crucial need: diapers, pull ups & baby wipes! Diapers (size 4, 5 & 6 preferred) Pull Ups (all sizes). You can also check our Amazon Wish List & send the items directly to The Well!

## ONE THING FOR JANUARY

In January we're on the road for ONE THING!! We will be serving at FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN in Eagan on Jan 26th from 4:30 - 6:30 pm. Sign up in the lobby.

## ADVENT OFFERING OPPORTUNITIES

- Mobility Worldwide (Formerly P.E.T.)
- Sheridan Story
- Missionaries Supported by The Well

Envelopes are available

from the ushers or at the Welcome Desk.

## CONNECT – ENGAGE - SEND

**December 30th**  
**Apple Valley & Rosemount**  
**will be worshipping together**  
**at 10:00 am**  
**at the Rosemount Campus**

Merry  
Christmas!

**Worship Services**  
**Rosemount Campus**  
Sunday 9 am *Traditional*  
10:30 am *Modern*  
14770 Canada Ave. W.  
Rosemount, MN 55068

**Apple Valley Campus**  
Sunday 9:30 am *Modern*  
FIT Academy  
7200 147th St. W  
Apple Valley, MN 55124

**Leaders at The Well**  
Karen Bruins, Lead Pastor  
Okokon Udo, Exec Director  
Sherry Mortenson,  
Interim Associate Pastor  
Justin Burleson, AV Minister  
Jim Lee, Visitation Minister

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651-423-2475

## Prayer Request:

Please share my request with (circle):  
Pastors Only | Pastors & Staff | Prayer Chain  
*(If nothing is circled – your request will only be shared with the pastors)*

Please send me information about:

- Membership at The Well
- Visitation from a Member Care Minister or pastor

*Thank you for worshipping at The Well, Rosemount Campus*

As a church we welcome and extend the hospitality of Christ to all people who gather here.

Everyone is encouraged to fill out a Connection Card during worship and hand it to one of our ushers.

Please look for hospitality greeters, wearing a "Welcome" tag, for assistance and information.