



St Peter Brooke

Carols by Candlelight



Sunday 17 December 2017

6:00pm

Introduction and Welcome

Bidding Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father,
who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done
on earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Carol

19 – Once in royal David's city (*verse 1 solo – Melanie Thornley*)

First Reading

Christ's peaceful kingdom is foretold

Carol

18 – Angels from the Realms of Glory

Second Reading

Isaiah foretells the birth of Christ

Carol

14 – It Came Upon the Midnight Clear

Third Reading

The Angel Gabriel salutes The Blessed Virgin Mary

Carol

13 – Silent Night

Fourth Reading

Saint Luke tells of the birth of Christ

Carol

6 – Away in a Manger

Fifth Reading

The Shepherds go to the manger

Carol

7 – While Shepherds Watch their Flocks

Sixth Reading

The Wise Men are led to Jesus

Carol

4 – As with Gladness Men of Old

Seventh Reading

A modern reading

Carol

10 – Hark the Herald Angel Sing

Eighth Reading

Saint John unfolds the mystery of The Incarnation

Carol

22 – O Come, all Ye Faithful (*omit verse 4*)

Prayer

May the humility of the shepherds,
the perseverance of the Wise Men,
the joy of the angels
and the peace of the Christ-Child
be God's gift to you this Christmastide and always.

Amen

The Blessing

Go in peace;
The wisdom of the wonderful Counsellor guide you.
The strength of the almighty God defend you.
The love of the Everlasting Father enfold you.
The peace of the Prince of Peace be with you.
The blessing of God almighty,
The father, the Son and the Holy Spirit
be among you and remain with you always.

Amen

Go in peace to love and serve The Lord. Alleluia
In the name of Christ. Alleluia!

***We wish you a Joyful Christmas
and a Happy New Year***