TRINITY ON THE HILL

AUGUSTA, GEORGIA

WORSHIP SERVICE

PROGRAM

December 17, 2023

To Know Christ and Make Christ Known

Service of Worship

8:30 & 11:00am

We Gather to Celebrate

Prelude		Sophie Pollock & Karen Geigle
Call to Worship	*Angels We Have Heard on High*	Karen Geigle, Sophie Pollock, Nick Lowery
Welcome Home		Rev. Roy McVeigh
Spoken Call to Worship		Rev. Roy McVeigh

Leader: A voice cries in the wilderness, and we find ourselves drawn to the message.
People: God invades the commonplace, and we cannot evade the changes God brings
Leader: On every hand our values are challenged as attention is drawn to the lowly and weak.
People: We are not worthy to untie the sandals of the Humble Servant, who loved all people.
Leader: Draw near to join those who rejoice in a God who comforts and confronts.
ALL: We come to proclaim the worth of God, and to claim the worth God invests in us.

Opening Hymn	*Hark the Herald Angels Sing*	Kevin Pollock
Affirmation of Faith	Nicene Creed	Rev. Roy McVeigh
Gloria		Kevin Pollock
Baptism (11:00)	Catherine Arline Hargrove	Rev. Scott Hearn
Advent Introduction	*Ancient Words*	Kevin Pollock
Old Testament Reading	Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11	Olivia Shepherd
New Testament Reading	1 Thessalonians 5:16-24	Olivia Shepherd
Children's Moment at the Advent Wreath		Rev. Roy McVeigh

We Celebrate through Prayer & Giving

Prayer Chorus	*Emmanuel*	Kevin Pollock
Morning Prayer		Olivia Shepherd
Celebration of God's Faithfulness Through Generosity		Rev. Scott Hearn
Special Music	*Bring a Torch Jeanette Isabella*	Karen Geigle, Sophie Pollock & Kevin Pollock

We Celebrate through Hearing God's Word

Gospel Reading/ Scripture	John 1:6-8, 19-28	Rev. Scott Hearn
Sermon	When God Waits | *The Spirit of Suffering*	Rev. Scott Hearn

We Go Out & Show the Wonderful Love of God

Hymn of Response	*In the Bleak Midwinter*	Kevin Pollock
Christmas Joining Service (11:00)		Lauren Benson & Rev. Scott Hearn
Benediction		Rev. Scott Hearn
Going Forth	*Go, Tell It on the Mountain*	Kevin Pollock
Postlude		Nick Lowery

Christmas Joining Service

Don Brundage
Holly Frederick
Luke Frederick
Paul Frederick
Ellie Gochenaur
David Hopkins
Bob Leicht
Suzanne Leicht
Melanie Louks
Rob Louks
Scott Poag
Summey Poag
Mark Quarles
Sally Quarles
Sharon Quarles
Carl Weeks
Dianne Weeks
Anastasia Wilson
Dustin Wilson
Susan Wimberly
Tom Wimberly
Richard Winter

Serving in Worship Today

Director of Music & Worship:	Kevin Pollock
Pianist:	Sophie Pollock
Organist:	Nick Lowery
Cellist:	Karen Geigle
Acolytes:	Ellie Morgan & Libby Morgan
Crucifer:	Jon Bailey
Prayer Warriors (8:30):	Frances Rowell
Prayer Warriors (11:00):	Janet & Steve Miller

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