

## HOMILY

Rev. Sharon O'Connor

"Child of the Poor/What Child is This"  
Rebecca Gebhardt & Kara Shrum

*You are invited to come down  
and light a candle for your loved one.*

"Somewhere in Your Silent Night"  
Chris Brunt

## CLOSING PRAYER

**ALL:** Almighty God, we thank you for your constant love and for the blessings of this day. We know that even when we cannot see or feel you, you are still there. Help us to remember you and to listen for your voice in the words of family, friends, and strangers. Kindle our hearts and awaken hope, that we may know you as you reveal yourself in the world and in our lives. Let the light of your Holy Spirit shine like these candles in the darkness, lighting the way for all who feel despairing, lost, or forgotten. Let your Holy Spirit dwell so deeply in our hearts, that when we leave this place it will shine brightly for us and for those we meet along the way. Amen.

"What Child Is This" Postlude

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O Come, O Come

Emmanuel

Service of Light and Hope | December 19 | 6:30pm

