

## THE TRUE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS

In today's day and time,  
It's easy to lose sight,  
Of the true meaning of Christmas  
And one special night.

When we go shopping,  
We say, "How much will it cost?"  
Then the true meaning of Christmas,  
Somehow becomes lost.

Amidst the tinsel, glitter  
And ribbons of gold,  
We forget about the child,  
Born on a night so cold.

The children look for Santa  
In his big, red sleigh  
Never thinking of the child  
Whose bed was made of hay.

In reality,  
When we look into the night sky,  
We don't see a sleigh  
But a star, burning bright and high.

A faithful reminder,  
Of that night so long ago,  
And of the child we call Jesus,  
Whose love the world would know.

— Brian K. Walters



We hope that the worship service tonight has helped you know & grow closer to the Lord. On behalf of the Haven Community Church Family, we wish you a very Merry Christmas and pray that God will bless you with a very Happy New Year!

## Haven Community Church

Christmas Eve Morning Communion & Candlelight Service

December 24, 2017



"Take Christ out of Christmas, and December becomes the bleakest and most colorless month of the year."

— A.F. Wells

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## Christmas Eve Candlelight & Communion Service

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### \*Worship Songs

"All Creation Sing (Joy to the World)"

"O Come All Ye Faithful/Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

"Angels We Have Heard on High"

### Advent Moment

### Offering

#### \*Offering Song

"Light of the World"

### Scripture Reading

Matthew 1:18-23

### Worship Song

"The Little Drummer Boy"

### Meditation

"Seeing CHRISTmas"

Jack D. Cohen

### Communion

#### \* Communion Song

"Noel"

### Worship Song

"I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day"

### Candlelighting

#### \*Candlelight Song

"Silent Night"

### \*Benediction