

December 17, 2023
Third Sunday of Advent/ Cantata Sunday

Prelude

Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Candles

**Light the Advent candle, three:
Think of heavenly harmony;
angels singing "Peace on earth"
at the blessed Savior's birth.**

Family Reading: The Holy Family and Lighting of Candle Three

**Candle, candle burning bright
Shining in the cold winter night
Candle, candle burning bright
Fill our hearts with Christmas light.**

Hymn Sing

*Emmanuel
O Come, O Come Emmanuel
Angels From the Realms of Glory
Angels We Have Heard on High
Hark the Herald Angels Sing
Emmanuel*

Joys

Prayers of the People & Prayer

Thanksgiving Prayer

Celebration Ringers

Presentation of Christmas Cantata: *Love*

Homily: *Love Is All Around No Need to Waste It*

Love Came Down

Benediction

Benediction Response *Emmanuel*

Postlude