**Epiphany: The Light Revealed**

**January 6, 2019**

**GATHERING**
STS 30 – Arise, your light is come!

Welcome

Handout – Jesus, the light of the world

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Leader: The light shines in the darkness

**All: And the darkness can never put it out.**

**PRAISING & OFFERING**

Call to worship and opening prayer

Handout – What star is this that beams so bright?

Handout (back of hymnal) – Solemn stillness, weary streets

Offering: STS 32 – Oh, beautiful star of Bethlehem

**HEARING THE WORD**

Matthew 2:1-12

Children’s time

Isaiah 60:1-6

Storytelling

**REFLECTING & RESPONDING**Special music for reflection

Sharing/response and prayer

**SENDING**Introduction of Guests & Announcements

HWB 221 – Hail the bless’d morn

Benediction

**Thanks to this morning’s many leaders:**

Song leader: Bill Mateer | Music: Josh Kaufman, Mitch Rhodes, Anne Horst Hanby | Worship leader: Patrick Coonan

Readers: Jodi Beyeler & Caleb Morris | Storytellers : Kajsa Herrstrom, Thomas Bona | Children’s time & Pastoral prayer: Lora Nafziger | Visual: Ben Nelson, Anna and Brian Yoder Schlabach, banner by late Assembly member Beth Miller.

**2nd Hour: Come learn more about how your voice works and discover new ways to express yourself through singing.**