

What's the big deal about the baby in the manger? Who was he?

What does his birth have to do with me?

God knows what it is like to be a human. He understands. He's been there.

He's been *here*. Because of Bethlehem, we have a friend in heaven.

Because of Bethlehem, we have a Savior in heaven.

The child in the cradle became the King on the cross.

He could have come as a shining light or a voice in the clouds,

but he came as a person. Does God understand you?

Find the answer in Bethlehem.

Gaze where Mary gazed. Look into God's face and be assured.

If the King was willing to enter the world of animals and shepherds
and swaddling clothes, don't you think he's willing to enter yours?

Love is born. Hope is here. Because of Bethlehem.

(excerpts taken from *Because of Bethlehem* by Max Lucado)



ASL is available in our 8:30am candlelight
service for the deaf and hard of hearing.

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 24-26 - Church office closed—Opens Dec 29

December 24 - Christmas Eve Family Worship, 6:30 pm

December 25 - **MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

December 28 - One Combined Worship Service, 9:00 am

January 1, 2026 - **NEW YEAR'S DAY** Church office closed

January 3 - Indoor Soccer Saturdays begin at LAEFC

- No Men's Prayer Breakfast

January 4 - Worship Services, 9:00 am & 10:45 am

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Lebanon Area
**EVANGELICAL
FREE CHURCH**

December 19 & 21, 2025

*Thank you for worshipping with us this
Christmas weekend!*

CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT SERVICES



Friday, December 19, 6:30 pm

Sunday, December 21, 8:30 am and 10:45 am

Recital begins thirty minutes prior to the start of each service

"Knowing, Living, Sharing... the Heart of Jesus"

WELCOME!

Welcome to our candlelight services! Take in the lyrics, the melodies. Feel free to applaud after a song, or not to applaud.

We just ask that you open your heart to receive refreshment, and a reminder that Jesus' humble yet miraculous birth began the most transformative event in world history. Let the Lord continue to transform you, or perhaps to do so for the first time.

As you light your candles, we encourage you to reaffirm your commitment to living according to His ways, and to letting your light shine in such a way that others will see your good works and glorify your Father in Heaven! Merry Christmas!

Recital

ANGELS (GLORY TO GOD) Worship Choir, Band,
 & Youth Choir

CHRISTMAS ANGELS

Worship Choir &
Elementary Choir

IMMANUEL Elementary & Pre-K/K Choir

O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL Pre-K/K Bell Choir

INFANT HOLY, INFANT LOWLY Orchestra

DO YOU HEAR WHAT I HEAR? Band

O COME (LET US ADORE) Ladies' Ensemble

*BIRTHDAY OF A KING** Congregation

*O HOLY NIGHT** Congregation

FIRST LIGHT Men's Ensemble

Advent—Candle of LOVE Zimmerman Family

Devotional Pastor Josh

BECAUSE OF BETHLEHEM Worship Choir & Band

Medley of Songs* Congregation

Candle Lighting

BREATH OF HEAVEN Harp

*SILENT NIGHT** *Everyone Join In!*

Closing Prayer Pastor Josh

**We invite you to join your voices in singing...*

(Please return your candles to the baskets by the exit doors.)

HAVE A CHRIST-FILLED CHRISTMAS!

