While we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly… God gave us His only begotten Son, that through faith in His blood, we might be saved. News of great joy, news of great might, news of our merciful King’s birth. Then why should men on earth be so sad, since our Redeemer made us glad? When from our sin he set us free, all for to gain our liberty? When sin departs before His grace, then life and health come in its place; Angels and men with joy may sing, all for to see the newborn King. All out of darkness we have light, which made the angels sing this night: glory to God and peace to men, now and for evermore. Amen.

The Scriptural Assurance of Pardon
by the power of Your blessed Holy Spirit. In His Name we pray, Amen.

Our Heavenly Father, You have clearly told us in Your Word that You have made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.”

The Instruction

Break forth, O Beatiful Heavenly Light; J. S. Bach
Break forth, O beatiful heavenly light, and usher in the morning; Ye shepherds, shrink not with affright, but hear the angel’s warning. This Child, now born, is Christ the Lord. O beauteous heavenly light, and usher in the morning; Ye shepherd, hear the angels sing this night: glory to God and peace to men, now and forevermore. Amen.

The Hymn 214
ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH
GLORIA

The Call To Worship
Luke 1:46-49

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* The Prayer of Invocation and the Lord’s Prayer

* The Gloria Patri

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The Prayer of Dedication

The Prayer of Intercession

* The Sacrament of Baptism
Christine Elizabeth Plourde

* The Hymn 221
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LO, HOW A ROSE’ E’ER BLOOMING

* The Hymn 131
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CHILDREN OF THE HEAVENLY FATHER

The Scripture
Genesis 12:1-3
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The Sermon
THE I WILLS OF GOD
Dr. Richard D. Phillips

* The Hymn 34
THE GOD OF ABRAHAM PRAISE
LEONI

The Benediction

The Offertory Response
WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN
SCHUMANN

The Offertory
THIS NIGHT IN DAVID’S CITY
Johannes Brahms

Hannah Phillips, soprano
This night in David’s City is born a little child; come kneel in homage to Him, our Savior, meek and mild. He is the King of Angels, yet sleeps in yonder stall; give grace through joy and sorrow to Those more and more, till with the angelic chorus, we sing Thy joys above; sleep on O Lord of Love.

* The Hymn Response
WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN

The text for the offertory response is hymn 432, stanza 1
We give thee but thine own, whatever the gift may be: all that we have is thine own, a trust, O Lord and from thee.

The Invocation

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Prayer of Consecration

The Invitation

The Peace

The Lord’s Supper

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* The Benediction

The Postlude

POSTLUDE ON GLORIA
Timothy Albrecht

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