Holy Virgin, Star of the day, Show us the way to God; And lead us;
Give them courage, so that they no more longer need to live in foolishness and disobedience
For she shows those who have strayed, and were lost because of their sinfulness, that the greatest sinners are the first to be forgiven.

Weep, O mine eyes
John Bennet
(c. 1575 – after 1614)

Mille regretz
Josquin de Prez
(c. 1450/1455 –1521)

Occhi del mio cor vita
Carlo Gesualdo da Venosa
(1566-1633)

Eyes, life of my heart, You are denying me the customary help, alas!
The time is right for death; why tarry longer? For what do you reserve your gaze?
Perhaps to avoid seeing how I adore you. At least see me die!

Eriks Ešenvalds
b. 1977

Gustav Holst
(1874-1934)

Silent night
arr. Malcolm Sargent
(1895-1967)

8:00 PM
St. Andrew’s Church, Roanoke
December 12, 2015
• **Prelude**

Selections for brass ensemble

Kayla Short, Anna Lise Filippone, trumpet
Jake Moles, french horn
Alex Schneider, trombone Dominick Havens, tuba

• **Combined Choirs**

O come, o come, Emmanuel arr. Alice Parker
b. 1925

• **Chorale**

From *A Ceremony of Carols* That youngë child

Katherine McLean, soprano

Balulalow

Zoë Jones, soprano

O ecclesia oculi tui similes Hildegard von Bingen (1098-1179)

O Beloved, your eyes appear as sapphires,
your ears as the mount of Bethel, your nose as mountains of myrrh and incense,
and from your mouth issues sound, as a multitude of waters.

Lullay lulow: I saw a swete semly syght Anonymous

British Museum MS., Additional 5666 c. 1425

Zoë Jones, Maria Hildebrand, solists

The gentyle storke Michael Sitton
b. 1958

• **Combined Choirs**

Gaudete adapted from *Piae Cantiones* 1582

Stephen Hatfield
b. 1956

• **Audience Caroling & Free Will Offering**

Please join in singing with the choir and brass ensemble while we collect a free will offering that benefits Catholic Charities and the good works that they do here in the Roanoke Valley.

O come all ye faithful
The first nowell
arr. David Willcocks
(1919-2015)

• **University Men**

Regina caeli laetare Gregorian Chant

O Queen of heaven rejoice! alleluia:
For He whom thou didst merit to bear, alleluia,
Hath arisen as he said, alleluia.
Pray for us to God, alleluia.

Ave Maria Franz Biebl (1906-2001)

Soloist: The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary; and she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Choir: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Soloist: Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it done unto me according to Thy word.

Choir: Hail Mary .....

Soloist: And the Word was made flesh: and dwelt among us.

Choir: Hail Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and in the hour of our death. Amen.

Noel! Steven Sametz
b. 1954

Angels we have heard on high arr. Deke Sharon
b. 1967

• **Madrigal Singers**

Hail Mary Anonymous (from the Trinity MS) ca. 1400