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Prelude

- *Chorus to Open Worship: "Go, Tell It on the Mountain" #136 (Refrain Only)
- *Call to Worship (based on Psalm 91):

Leader: Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High, will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.

People: The Lord is our refuge and the fortress in whom we trust.

Leader: If you say, "The Lord is my refuge," and you make the Most High your dwelling, no harm will overtake you.

People: Let us call on the Lord, and praise His Holy Name. Let us trust in Him and sing His praises.

Welcome and Opening

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

*Opening Song: "The First Noel" #147

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 40:1-5 Page 1028

*Second Song: "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" (see overhead)

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 2:4-12 Page 1728
Special Music: Kay Danforth

Scripture Reading: Luke 2:21-40 Page #1460

Sermon: "Simeon & Anna" Pastor Brett

*Song of Response: "Open the Eyes of My Heart" #452

Offering Meditation

*Doxology #606

*Offering Prayer

*Closing Song: "Go Tell It on the Mountain" #136

*Benediction

Postlude