

*New Year's Eve
Watch Night Service
December 31, 2005
10:00 AM*

PRELUDE.....AAHH 174

DEVOTION **Deacons**
Hymn.....*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*.....AAHH 138
Scripture.....*Ecclesiastes 3:1-13*.....Deacon
Gospel Selection.....*Precious Lord, Take My Hand*.....AAHH 471
Prayer.....Deacon
Spiritual.....*I Want Jesus To Walk With Me*.....AAHH 563

PROCESSION OF MINISTERS

INVOCATION.....Pastor

HYMN.....Great Is Thy Faithfulness.....AAHH 158

WELCOME.....Welcome Committee

OPENING PRAYER.....Minister

SHARING IN THE JOY

SELECTION.....Youth Choir

STORY TELLING.....Drama Committee

SELECTION.....Young Adult Choir

DANCE.....African Heritage Dancers & Drummers

SELECTION.....Senior Choir

POETRY....."Watch Night".....Poet

SELECTION.....Male Chorus

MIMES.....Drama Committee

VIOLINIST.....Musicians

OFFERING

OFFERTORY PRAYER.....Deacon

SELECTION.....Mass Choir

TESTIMONIES (3 minute maximum, Sign-up in the vestibule – 5 person limit)

PRAYER.....Pastor

SERMON.....Pastor

HYMN.....*I Don't Feel No Ways Tired*.....AAHH 414

WATCHMAN & DEACON.....Watchman & Deacon

PASTOR'S REMARKS.....Pastor

INVITATION

INVITATIONAL HYMN.....*Just As I Am*.....AAHH 344

DOXOLOGY.....*Praise God From Whom All Blessing Flow*.....AAHH 650

BENEDICTION/BLESSINGS.....Pastor

The choirs usually select their own songs and I think that it is important not to changes this, but I think that the pastor can suggest that the songs tie-in with the message and the main theme of hope. It is also important that they be given a brief history on the emancipation proclamation and the history of Watch Night service so that they can chose songs from their repertoire that are fitting.

**The Traditional New Year's Eve Dinner will be served in the Fellowship Hall.*