Prelude: **Christmas Carols**

I. **INTRODUCTORY RITES** Please stand.

Entrance Hymn: O Come all Ye Faithful (Today's

Missal - #74, pg 217)

Christmas Gloria - Bells Gloria:

II THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

> First Reading: Isiah 62:1-5

Psalm: PS 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29

Responsorial Psalm: For ever I will sing the

goodness of the Lord

Second Reading: Acts of the Apostles 13:16-17,

22-25

Gospel Acclamation (Alleluia)

Gospel: Matthew 1:1-25

Homily

Profession of Faith (Today's Missal – pg 91

Prayers of Faithful

Blessing of the Manger

IIIThe Liturgy of the Eucharist

Presentation / Preparation of the Gifts

Song: Away in a Manger (Today's Missal - #72, pg 216)

Holy Holy (*Today's Missal – pg. 99*)

Mystery of Faith / Amen

ΙV The Communion Rite (Today's Missal – pg 109)

(Today's Missal – pg 110) Lamb of God

Song / Chant: Silent Night (Today's Missal - pg 207)

V **Concluding Rites**

Song: Hark! The Herald Angels Sing (Today's Missal -

#73, p 216)

Special Music Selections



MAY THE CHRIST CHILD BLESS EACH AND EVERY ONE WITH A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS AND PEACE AND GOOD HEALTH IN THE NEW YEAR. MERRY CHRISTMAS!



THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD VIGIL MASS

