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Ministers
Rev. Art Griffin
Rev. Jack Shaver

11:00 A. M.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
320 East Hastings Street
Vancouver, B. C.

Organist
Harry Stothers

7:00 P. M.

"COME IN TO WORSHIP"

The Praise of God

The Call to Worship
Hymn: 112 (70) "Once in royal David's city"
Prayer of Invocation
Unison Reading: 529 "Good Friday Canticle"
The Gloria
Quartette: "God Who Made The Earth"
Time with Children
Muller

The Word of God

The Reading from Scripture: I John 1: 5 - 2: 11
Matthew 4: 12-17
Prayer and The Lord's Prayer
Hymn: 269 (441) "Guide me, O thou great Jehovah"
Sermon: "The Brightness Of His Rising"
Rev. Jack Shaver

Our Response to God's Word

Prayer
Soloist: Tom Mawson
The Offering: Prayer, Organ Voluntary, Doxology
The Life and Work of The Church
Hymn: 430 (60) "The race that long in darkness pined"
The Benediction and Choral Amen
Organ Chimes and Postlude

"GO OUT TO SERVE"

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WELCOME - We extend a sincere welcome to all who are
visiting with us today. An informal Coffee Hour will be
held immediately after both Services, and all are invited.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 4, 1976

EVENING BROADCAST on CKMX
(Heard at 8:00 p. m.)

Organ Prelude
The Call to Worship
Hymn: 414 "See amid the winter's snow"
Prayer of Invocation
Quartette: "In The Bleak Mid-Winter"
The Reading from Scripture
Soloist: Tom Mawson
Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (Sung)
Quartette: "The Song Of The Shepherds"
Sermon: "Markings For 1976"
Rev. Art Griffin
Marshall
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Prayer
Hymn: 417 "All poor men and humble"
The Benediction and Choral Amen
Organ Chimes and Voluntary
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(Off the Air)
The Offering: Prayer, Organ Voluntary, Doxology
Announcements: The Life and Work of The Church
Hymn: 395 (54) "Hark the glad sound! the Saviour comes"
Blessing and Organ Postlude

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NEXT SUNDAY, January 11th, the Sacrament of The Lord's
Supper will be observed at the Morning Service. The Service
will be conducted by Rev. Art Griffin. Rev. Jack Shaver
will be preaching at the 7:00 p.m. Broadcast Service.
UPPER ROOMS for January and February are available in the
Literature Racks in the Narthex for 15¢ a copy.

Prayer

OUR FATHER:

gathering - Whenever private stuff is going on
we make our common offering -

Sighs loneliness defeat
Cries of pain
Murmurs ~~against~~ ^{against} God
impatience Strive with violent longings
Dread -

Crying & Weeping for loved ones -
Great unsatisfied WANTS
- Death of wants

Striving - Tired: - ~~good~~ ^{good} →
Loving ~~striving~~ life - taking flight
[Person] Father ~~being~~ → Return - you back End
Remember other - and of my

World of Needy Souls: -

Don't let it be just that
all the } have - S
 } ~~offensive~~ - S -

Help us pray right

weaken to the world of the ~~Prayer~~ as God
larger is

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John B. Smith

Bull Stamp

Some Xns -

Quarantine - { Quarantine - Quarantine

Knee - Broken in 1280g

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Forage - One for me
STC Appraisal
Mile to Road

1511

You are now 0.40
Mile to Road

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Sunday January 4 1976

The Brightness of His Rising

The Sunday before Epiphany.
12 days → January 6.

Coming of Wise Men -
Rising of a Star -

Light to Gentiles
↔

Coming at End of 12 Days →

a little more depth → insight into
what is so great about that light.

I am convinced — wide-spread general
thing

Xmas

This Time of Year — universal birthday

— awareness

— capacity to see & feel

Life & Death → cycle —

History →

Ironies — generous & Thieft.

Turn to sugar — your own

Love & hate

Acceptance — disapproval

Hearts softer — aware of how

Best of Time → Worst of Time — I had the over
Best Fights
My parents had

Most weekend is going on

Feeling it all
Most

Least possible to hold reality from us

Light — Lightly suggest —

— some — some of few

word — Flash →
God with us.

Seen ~~a~~ great light, Constant ~~renewal~~
new look -
 ↑ What's This Light? ↓

See — Cost of Kingdom bait —
 → know your own is hard.

See → ~~all~~ remedies — forgiving.

See → Kingdom is at hand
 just when we see it is not
manifest.

What kind of light is this —
 Brightness is their vision.

I don't

LOVE

know & don't know
 believe in & don't believe in.

Giving
for love

Family Love : -

relationship
 model.

opposite time
 of some time

Love — accepted.
 Love — disapproval.
 Love — reconcile →

at these moments

NO QUESTION : it is to loving —
 ↓
 up to it all

~~God is~~ God is

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We can choose to put that aside →
 — Take flight from it pain
 risk
 loneliness.
 Cost.

Weak Foolishness ^{the} + God's Own Reality is the
Gospel Says —

No question — God's Line Up to it.

Word — bar again & again — dwell in love
 dwell in GOD

Hints:

It's to be expected
 — need to bar it again & again.