



THE WORK OF CHRISTMAS

100% of your giving to the Christmas Offering supports the work of our Regional ministries

One: When angels sing

Many: and starlight twinkles

One: When kings reign

Many: and sheep bleat

One: In a manger, wrapped in cloth

Many: surrounded by love

One: An infant's cries pierce the night

Many: and we know that Christ is among us

One: But what about...

Many: when the night goes silent and dark?

One: When empires fall and shepherds rise?

Many: When the world turns upside down

One: And the swaddling cloths fall away...

Many: Do we know that Christ is still among us?

One: Do we offer our gifts with the Magi?

Many: Because this is when the work of Christmas begins.

One: The work of Christ among us

Many: In our Region's ministries

One: In our calling and discernment

Many: In our Camps and Conferences

One: In our care of clergy and new ministry adventures

Many: In our collective calling to do Justice, love Mercy, and walk Humbly

One: With every gift to the Christmas Offering,

All: the work of Christ in our Region begins with Christmas! Amen.