## OLD FIRST CHURCH OF BENNINGTON

**Rev. Thomas Street, Minister** 

Candle-Light Service of Sacred Music

By the Bennington College Chorus **Including Solo Voices** 

PAUL BOEPPLE, Conductor

Assisted by the Octet and Members of the Bennington College Orchestra

Hymn 105 (The Congregation Seated)

Scripture Reading

Pastoral Prayer

"Give Ear, Oh Lord" (Ps. 4:1, 5:2) Heinrich Schütz (1585-1672) Sacred Concert for two voices and continuo.

"Why Afflict Thyself, Oh My Spirit" (Ps. 42:11) Heinrich Schütz (1585-1672) Sacred Symphony for two voices, strings and continuo. Dorothy Caplow and Joan Skinner, sopranos Ruth Lyons, 'cello

Betsy Jolas, organ

"Agnus Dei", from the Mass "De Beata Virgine"

Josquin des Pres (circa 1445-1521)

Two voices a cappella.

"Assumpta est Maria" G. P. da Palestrina (1521-1594) Motet for two choirs (Voices and Strings).

"Who with Grieving Soweth" Hermann Schein (1586-1630) Motet. Voices, strings and wind instruments.

## Offertory

"O Come, O Come, Immanuel"

"What Child is This?"

"Lullay, Thou Little Tiny Child" The Octet, directed by Patricia Crocker

Lamentations of Jeremiah (I:10-14) François Couperin (1663-1733) For two voices (Soli and Chorus), strings and continuo.

Hymn 91 (Congregation seated)

Benediction

Wednesday Evening, December 13, 1944, at 7:30