## CANON DAVIS MEMORIAL CHURCH Anglican Church of Canada First Sunday of Advent Sunday, December 1, 2024 8:00 a.m.



The Son of Man Coming in a Cloud

# We come and worship God. We go our way with souls nourished.

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# Holy Eucharist BAC p. 67 (THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER 1962)

**First Sunday of Advent** One purple candle is lit first.

# Introit

Look up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near. *Luke 21:28* 

OUR Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. AMEN.

# The Collect

ALMIGHTY God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. AMEN.

OUR Lord Jesus Christ said: Hear O Israel, The Lord our God is one Lord; and thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets. Lord, have mercy upon us, and write both these thy laws in our hearts, we beseech thee.

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

The Lord be with you **And with thy spirit.** 

# **Collect for the King**

ALMIGHTY God, whose kingdom is everlasting, and power infinite: Have mercy upon the whole Church; and so rule the heart of thy chosen servant CHARLES, our King and Governor, that he, knowing whose minister he is, may above all things seek thy honour and glory: and that we and all his subjects, duly considering whose authority he hath, may faithfully serve, honour, and humbly obey him, in thee, and for thee, according to thy blessed Word and ordinance; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Ghost liveth and reigneth, ever one God, world without end. **AMEN.** 

# The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility, that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **AMEN.** 

# The Proclamation of the Word

# First Reading: Jeremiah 33: 14-16

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will fulfil the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness." The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God** 

## **PSALM 25: 1-9**

REFRAIN To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul; my God, I put my trust in you; let me not be humiliated, nor let my enemies triumph over me. Let none who look to you be put to shame; let the treacherous be disappointed in their schemes.

# To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

Show me your ways, O Lord, and teach me your paths. Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; in you have I trusted all the day long.

# To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

Remember, O Lord, your compassion and love, for they are from everlasting. Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions; remember me according to your love and for the sake of your goodness, O Lord.

# To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

Gracious and upright is the Lord; therefore, he teaches sinners in his way. He guides the humble in doing right and teaches his way to the lowly. All the paths of the Lord are love and faithfulness to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

God of compassion and love, forgive our sins, relieve our misery, satisfy our longing, and fulfil all our hopes for peace; through your Son Jesus Christ our Redeemer. AMEN.

# Second Reading: I Thessalonians 3: 9-13

How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy that we feel before our God because of you? Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you face to face and restore whatever is lacking in your faith. Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our way to you. And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, just as we abound in love for you. And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our

God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.

The Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God** 

The Lord be with you. **And with thy spirit.** 

# Gospel: Luke 21: 25-36

The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint Luke

Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus said, "There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in a cloud' with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near." Then he told them a parable: "Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man."

The Gospel of Christ **Praise be to thee, O Christ.** 

#### **The Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible; And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds, God, of God; Light, of Light; very God, of very God; begotten, not made; being of one substance with the Father; through whom all things were made: who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin

Mary, and was made man, and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose again according to the scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead: whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, who spake by the prophets. And I believe one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. AMEN. Sermon Paul+

## The Offertory

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As we have opportunity, let us do good unto all men; and especially unto them that are of the household of faith. Galatians 6. 10.

{The people's offerings are humbly presented and placed on the holy table.}

BLESSED be thou, LORD God of Israel, for ever and ever. All that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine. All things come of thee, and of thine own have we given thee. 1 Chronicles 29. 10, 11, 14.

Let us pray for Christ's holy Catholic Church.

Let us pray for peace on earth and for the unity of all Christian people.

Let us pray for our missionaries at home and abroad.

Let us remember before God those of our brothers and sisters who have departed this life and are at rest. Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church militant here in earth.

# The Intercession

ALMIGHTY and everliving God, who by thy holy Apostle hast taught us to make prayers and supplications, and to give thanks, for all people: We humbly beseech thee most mercifully to accept our alms and oblations, and to receive these our prayers, which we offer unto thy Divine Majesty; beseeching thee to inspire continually the universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord: And grant that all they that do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

We beseech thee also to lead all nations in the way of righteousness; and so to guide and direct their governors and rulers, that thy people may enjoy the blessings of freedom and peace: And grant unto thy servant CHARLES our King, and to all that are put in authority under him, that they may truly and impartially administer justice, to the maintenance of thy true religion and virtue.

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and specially to thy servant Todd our Bishop, that they may both by their life and doctrine set forth thy true and living Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments: Prosper, we pray thee, all those who pro- claim the Gospel of thy kingdom among the nations: And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and specially to this congregation here present, that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word; truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

And we most humbly beseech thee of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succour all them, who in this transitory life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially those for whom our prayers are desired.

We remember before thee, O Lord, all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear: and we bless thy holy Name for all who in life and death have glorified thee; beseeching thee to give us grace that, rejoicing in their fellowship, we may follow their good examples, and with them be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Grant this, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. AMEN.

YE that do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbours, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling upon your knees.

# Confession

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ALMIGHTY God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all people: We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we from time to time most grievously have committed, By thought, word, and deed, Against thy Divine Majesty. We do earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may ever hereafter Serve and please thee In newness of life, To the honour and glory of thy Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

ALMIGHTY God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all them that with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him: Have mercy upon you; pardon and deliver you from all your sins; confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Hear what comfortable words our Saviour Christ saith unto all that truly turn to him.

COME unto me all that labour and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you.

*St Matthew 11. 28.* 

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life. *St John 3. 16.* 

Hear also what Saint Paul saith.

This is a true saying, and worthy of all men to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. *1 Timothy 1. 15*.

Hear also what Saint John saith.

If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the propitiation for our sins. 1 St John 2. 1, 2.

# Thanksgiving and Consecration

THE Lord be with you; **And with thy spirit.** 

Lift up your hearts; We lift them up unto the Lord.

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God; It is meet and right so to do.

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God, Creator and Preserver of all things.

THEREFORE, with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name, evermore praising thee and saying:

HOLY, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

# BLESSED is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest.

BLESSING and glory and thanksgiving be unto thee Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of thy tender mercy didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memorial of that his precious death, until his coming again.

Hear us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech thee; and grant that we receiving these thy creatures of bread and wine, according to thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood; who, in the same night that he was betrayed,took Bread; and, when he had given thanks, \*he brake it; and gave it to his disciples, saying, Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me.

Likewise, after supper \*he took the Cup; and, when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all, of this; for this is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins: Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me.

Wherefore, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, we thy humble servants, with all thy holy Church, remembering the precious

death of thy beloved Son, his mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension, and looking for his coming again in glory, do make before thee, in this sacrament of the holy Bread of eternal life and Cup of everlasting salvation, the memorial which he hath commanded; And we entirely desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, most humbly beseeching thee to grant, that by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we and all thy whole Church may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion; And we pray that by the power of thy Holy Spirit, all we who are partakers of this holy Communion may be fulfilled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; through Jesus Christ our Lord, by whom and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **AMEN.** 

THE peace of the Lord be always with you; And with thy spirit.

WE do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, Trusting in our own righteousness, But in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy So much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord, Whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, So to eat the Flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, And to drink his Blood, That our sinful bodies may be made clean by his Body, And our souls washed through his most precious Blood, And that we may evermore dwell in him, And he in us. AMEN.

# Communion

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O LAMB of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us thy peace.

OUR Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us; And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. AMEN.

ALMIGHTY and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee that thou dost graciously feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; assuring us thereby of thy favour and goodness towards us; and that we are living members of his mystical body, which is the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope of thy everlasting kingdom.

And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee. And although we are unworthy, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offences; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. AMEN. THE peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you and remain with you always. **AMEN.** 

The Flowers on the Altar today are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of the Brownlees and Falloon families, a gift from Betty and family.

Please enter names in the Intercessions Book each week to be read in the service.

#### Next Sunday's Service Sunday December 8, 2024--Second Sunday of Advent Church of St. Bartholomew 718 Cathcart Blvd. 8:00 am—Holy Eucharist BCP 10:30 am—Holy Eucharist BAS

#### NEWS AND EVENTS For the Week of December 1, 2024

#### **Canon Davis Memorial Church**

380 Russell St. N., Sarnia

- Please send all announcements for the bulletin to Karen by 11:00 a.m. Tuesday of each week or call: 519-344-9531 or email: <u>canondavis@gmail.com</u>.
- If you would like to contact Rev'd Paul Woolley for any reason, he may be reached at 519-464-2055 or email paul@woolley.com.
- ACW calendars are still available. Please contact Karen 519-344-9531. The cost this year is \$7.00.
- Canon Davis has long been a contributor for the Women's Interval Home of Sarnia-Lambton. They have approached us with a list of items urgently needed for Christmas and Everyday needs by the women and children they support. Please see the sheet at the back of the church for further details.
- Calling Canon Davis Parishioners: As part of my journey towards becoming a Deacon, our parish is forming a Parish Lay Committee to support and oversee my progress. This committee will meet periodically to provide guidance, feedback and prayerful encouragement throughout this discernment process. If you are interested and feel you would like to contribute to this important ministry, please either speak with me or contact the church during the week. Thank you, Ginny
- Happy Birthday to Elaine Hayter, Bob Spence, Jason Hayter, and Wendy Vicary from all your friends at Canon Davis Memorial.

### Upcoming Events:

- Mary in the Middle of the Mess: A Study of the Magnificat Join us Wednesday December 4<sup>th</sup> from 1-2:30pm as we take time in this busy season to quiet ourselves and prepare for Christmas. This study is open to everyone and anyone who would like to join us in prayer and meditation as we wait with Mary for the coming of the Messiah. We will join together at the home of Ginny and both she and Susan will lead you through breath prayer, centering activities and meditation on God's word as we study the foretelling of John the Baptist and Zechariah's Song to Mary and the Magnificat. Please contact Susan Memedovich at 519-495-5979 to save a seat. Ginny Schleihauf home is at 500 Superior St. Refreshments will be served. Thank you, Susan.
- Saturday December 7 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Festival of Lights. Come hear the sounds of Christmas while touring our church and the adjacent home next door, both beautifully decorated for the Christmas season. Admission is a non-perishable item for the foodbank. Christmas treats are also available.
- Sunday December 15 Canon Davis' Christmas Dinner -- Spread the Word and come join us for a wonderful evening. Christmas Dinner will be served at 4:00 p.m. RSVP your attendance at 519-344-9531 or 519-384-1926 by Tuesday December 10. Free Will Offering required from CDM Parishioners. Thank you.
- Canon Davis has once again been asked by the Salvation Army to contribute to their Christmas Food Drive. Our contribution is Mac & Cheese (better known as Kraft dinner). A box has been placed on the pew at the back of the church should you wish to contribute. Pick-up is December 17.
- In association with Hanna Memorial Public School, and London Road School, CDM has undertaken to provide 12 Christmas Hampers for twelve families chosen by their respective principals. At this time all 12 hampers have been spoken for and donation monies received will be used to purchase bags of candy and grocery store gift cards.

Items for the hampers are to be at the church by **Thursday December 19<sup>th</sup> by 11am.** Thank you, Susan.

#### Weekly Activities

If you are interested in any of the activities listed below, please contact Karen at 519-344-9531 for further information.

Monday	Scottish Dancers
	Special Olympics
Tuesday	Your Yoga - 2 Classes
-	Dragon Thunder Martial Arts
Wednesday	Tai Chi
Thursday	Dragon Thunder Martial Arts
Friday	Tai Chi

#### Reminders:

Dec 4 Study of the Magnificat 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Dec 7** Festival of Lights 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Dec 15 Canon Davis' Christmas Dinner, 4:00 p.m.

- Dec 17 Salvation Army pick-up of Mac & Cheese
- **Dec 19** London Road School and Hanna Memorial Public School -Hamper drop-off at the church. 11:00 a.m. -
- Dec 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at Canon Davis 5:00 p.m.

## The Church of Saint Bartholomew

718 Cathcart Blvd., Sarnia, ON

**On Wednesday December 4,** there will be a Christmas gathering at 12 pm at John's Restaurant. This invitation is open to all women, even if you do not have an ACW, or you are not part of an ACW, please join us!! If you are able to bring either a book or a toy, it would be greatly appreciated. Items donated will go to the Women's Interval Home. John's Restaurant is located at 1643 London Rd, Sarnia. To register, please email <u>lambtonacw@gmail.com</u>, or call 519-383-6933.

**On Sunday December 8,** we will have Foodbank Sunday at St. Bart's at the 10:30 am service. Donations of canned goods, pasta, pasta sauce, and non-perishable items would be especially appreciated.

**On Sunday December 8, we will place** a mitten box for the Salvation Army at the back of the Church at St. Bart's. Hats, mitts, and scarves would be greatly appreciated. Please feel free to bring donations to St. Bart's on that day.

**On Friday December 13** at St. Bart's at 12:30 pm, there will be a joint Altar/Chancel Guild lunch. All involved in this ministry at All Saints', Canon Davis Memorial, St. Paul's, and St. Bart's are invited. If you wish to attend, please contact 519-383-6933, or email <u>thechurchofsaintbartholomew@gmail.com</u>.

**The 23rd Sarnia Cubs** will be holding their annual Cubs Coffee and Bazaar on Saturday December 7 from 9:00am-11:00 am at St. Bart's. Donations can be dropped off on Friday December 6, at 7:00 pm.

**On Sunday December 5,** choir practice will be held at St. Bart's at 1:00 pm in preparation for next Sunday's service with the Bishop. Members of all choirs and other interested singers are encouraged to attend.

## St. Paul's Anglican Church

210 Michigan Avenue, Point Edward

#### Dec 2 from 9:30 till we're done!

Christmas Baking and Market work day. Pitch in when you can, bring your own apron!

#### Dec 6 from 10am to 4pm.

Baking and book drop off and Christmas Market set up day!

#### Sat Dec 7 from 11am - 3pm

St. Paul's Christmas Market, a part of Point Edward Christmas in the Village

Vendors for Arts, Crafts, Baking and Books. Kids decorate your own cookie!

All proceeds go to support St. Clair Child and Youth Services.

#### Dec 19 at 7pm

All Ages Christmas Family Fun Night Cider, Cookies, Carols and Crafts. All Welcome! Enter through Brand Hall Doors at the back of the parking lot.

**All Saint's Anglican Church** 248 Vidal St. N., Sarnia (519) 344-5167 December 2-8 2024

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#### As you prepare for worship... Advent 1C

*Note:* Advent prepares us for the return of the Lord in Glory to complete the plan of salvation...

Jeremiah 33:14-16: In the midst of devastation (the destruction of Jerusalem, the Temple and the captivity in Babylon) God assures his people that he has not abandoned them. In fact God promises them health and prosperity, with the cities full of people and animals again. In our reading today God promises somebody will be raised up from David's line who will rule justly and with God's righteousness, bringing salvation. We, of course, know this "somebody" to be Jesus!

**1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2:** As Paul predicted, persecution has come to the Church. Paul promises to pray for them and reassures them that when Christ returns all our faithful dead will rise to eternal life with him.

Luke 21:25-28, 34-36: Jesus is speaking to his disciples about the end times and his return in glory. His return will be cosmic in nature, impacting the sun, moon, stars and cause distress all over the earth. Then he says something reassuring: unlike other people, we will not be afraid. In-stead, we will stand up and lift our heads (rather than cower in fear) because we will know it is the Lord! So we "keep watch" and are alert for this tremendous event.

Next week's readings: Malachi 3:1-4; Philippians 1:3-6, 8- 11; Luke 3:1-6

#### A.C.W. Lunch

### Monday, December 9 @ 12 noon

### Boston Pizza at the Four Points Sheraton

Please let Valerie know by Dec 3rd if you would like to attend. All women are welcome. Any questions, see Barb Pajuk.

One of the ticket holders for Nightingales' Concert at the Imperial Theatre has had to cancel. There is one ticket available for \$23. Contact Valerie in the office. 519-344-5167.

#### **Christmas Carol Synonyms**

Embellish the interior passageways.

Last year's answer to **Nocturnal timespan of unbroken quietness.** Silent Night

Activities this Week	
Monday Dec 2	7:00 pm—Group Meeting, Basement
Tuesday Dec 3	7:00 pm—Bluewater Chordsmen, Parish Hall
Wednesday Dec 4	10:00 am & 7:00 pm—Bible Study, Rectory
Thursday Dec 5	3:00 pm—Choir practice
Friday Dec 6	6:00 pm—Christmas Feast, Parish Hall
Sunday Dec 8	Joint Service at St. Bartholomew's
Christmas Feast December 6, 2024, 6 pm	

The **Christmas Feast** will be Friday Dec 6th, 6 PM in the Parish Hall. Doors will open at 5:30. Cost is \$35 person. Tickets can be purchased through Heather Norwood (519-658-7245), Sandy Nyp or in the office.

## **Christmas Flowers/Poinsettias**

If you want the flowers in for the Christ-mas Eve Service, call the office Tuesday to Friday between 9 am and 1 pm.

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR

PLEASE NOTE \*\*

(Every Tuesday, 10:30 am Walking Group with a 11:30 pm Lunch. This week TBA.

(Every Wednesday, 10 am & 7 pm Bible Study at the Rectory.

Dec 6 6 pm—Christmas Feast, Parish Hall

Dec 9 12 noon— ACW Christmas Lunch

- Dec 13 7 pm—Creative Word, TBA
- Dec 16 1:30 pm—Bible Crossword, Rectory
- Dec 27 5 pm—The Slice—TBA 6:30 pm—Hymn Sing, Parish House

# **OFFICE HOURS:**

Tuesday - Friday: 9am-1pm. Steve Harnadek - Tues - Fri: 10 am - 12 Noon

(Day off: Mon) (These are estimated times and do fluctuate, depending on circumstances. It is best to call first!)