



Advent Music

Breath of Heaven - Amy Grant

* Rise in body or in spirit

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Prayer for Worship

***Singing: God With Us**

**Call to Worship*

A voice cries in the wilderness, “prepare the way of the Lord;
make straight in the desert a highway for our God.”

We are preparing our hearts for the God of peace to come into the world.

God’s peace flows into our lives through the gift of Christ.

Let us praise God’s name and tell the world God’s story.

The Lord has done great things for us, and we are filled with peace.

We have peace with God through Jesus Christ.

Immanuel has the power to overcome sin and death.

God has come into our lives, turning our hearts toward him.

We have received the ultimate gift of peace in Jesus.

- Isaiah 40:3 and Psalm 126:3; Reformed Worship 153

**God's Greeting*

***Singing: Hark the Glad Sound! The Saviour Comes** LUYH 60

Advent Candle Lighting

Children are invited forward to participate in the lighting of the Advent wreath.

Children ages 3-9 are dismissed for Sunday school. Ages 10-12 will meet following the service.

Time of Confession

Singing: Saviour of the Nations, Come (v. 1, 5, 6, 7) LUYH 74

Assurance of Pardon

The good news of this Advent season is forgiveness and new life.

Let us commit our lives to Christ’s way of hope and peace.

**Thanks be to the Advent God, who comes among us,
setting us free to love and serve.**

***Singing: My Soul Cries Out with a Joyful Shout** LUYH 69

Proclamation of the Word

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Luke 1:46-55

Message: An Advent Magnificat: Building a Legacy

Song of Response

***Singing: Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming**

LUYH 79

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: First: Ottawa Campus Chaplaincy

Second: Calvary C.R.C.

**Sending/Blessing*

***Singing: Hark the Herald Angels Sing**

LUYH 80

Our fall congregation meeting will be held **TODAY** after the church service. The 2025 budget will be reviewed as well as a presentation on Bridge App. It is a new software application that provides households with an online directory of Calvary membership as well the ability to deposit from their I-phone.

There will be a Potluck Lunch alongside the Congregational meeting on December 8th. It is always amazing the lovely offerings that people bring to share as we enjoy a meal together! Please bring finger foods that are served cold and ready to put out on the buffet table. ie NOT soups or salads (Store bought foods are happily accepted) This is much easier to set out and for the clean up after. Thanks so much in advance!

Friendship Circle is having their Christmas Luncheon on Tuesday December 10 at 10 am. All seniors are invited to join us. Cost is \$15.00 per person. Please wrap a "repurposed" item for our gift exchange. Let Jackie or Linda know if you plan on attending so we can be sure to have enough food for everyone.

Thursday Morning Bible Study: We plan to meet on December 12, starting at 10 AM. We begin our discussion at Luke 6: 37. All are welcome to join us for a time of fellowship and discussion. NOTE: Our next session is planned for Thursday, January 2.

Christmas Candlelight Service Friday, December 20, 2024 at 7:00 pm - right here at Calvary CRC A service of Lessons and Carols followed by a time for fellowship and Christmas treats. You don't want to miss this! Invite your family and friends to this special evening.

Please pray for God's blessing on the ministries, the leaders and the members of the churches and ministries of Classis Eastern Canada. Today Outreach Mission Developer Winston Visser & Anel Bekker-Ferreira in January.

Budget		Other Offerings	
Calvary Ministry	16,981		
Year to Date	191,692	Chaplaincy & Care Ministry	479
Budget 11 Months	254,169	Mortgage Reduction	415
Budget +/-	<u>-62,476</u>	Seafarers	655
		WR - World Hunger	5,333
Ministry Shares	2,314		
Year to Date	34,601		
Budget 11 Months	44,110		
Budget +/-	<u>-9,509</u>	Total	6,883

THIS WEEKS GROUP ACTIVITIES

9	10	11	12	13
● 6:30pm Cadets		● 9:30am Hands On	● 9:30am Bowling	
● 6:30pm GEMS			● 10am Thur. Morn. Bible Dis	

	DECEMBER 8 10:00	DECEMBER 15 10:00	DECEMBER 22 10:00	DECEMBER 25 10:00
	SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP
WORSHIP LEADER	PASTOR REBECCA BOKMA	PASTOR REBECCA BOKMA	PASTOR REBECCA BOKMA	PASTOR REBECCA BOKMA
OFFIC./ELDER	MANJA	KRISTY	HYUNG	HYUNG
DEACON	LINDA	YOLANDI	RACHELLE	RACHELLE
HALL MONITOR	PETER	CORA	JOHN	JOHN
OFFERING	OTTAWA CAMPUS CHAPLAINCY	CROSSTOWN IMPACT	CALVARY	WORLD RENEW CAMBODIA
2ND OFFERING	CALVARY CRC	CALVARY CRC		
JUNIOR SUNDAY SCHOOL	DANI & EVELYN	STEPHANIE & LUCY	DANI & LEAH	-
NURSERY	LAURA M & LEAH	TRUDY & CONNOR	MICHELLE & ALEX	BOB & QUADE
COFFEE CLEANUP	STEVE & SHELLY	MARSHA & MAX	SHELDON & EDDA	-
GREETERS	HOOPLE FAMILY	JAKE & MARIANNE	BERT & SHIRLEY	-

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