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9:00 to 12:00 noon

Office hours Tuesday to Friday Sunday School 9:45 am We gather to Worship each Sunday 10:50 AM

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Worship Leader – Emily Rempel **Organist** – Grace Funk **Pianist** – Carla Phoenix Song Leaders – Carla's group

Advent 1: Let it be

We awaken to God's purpose, which begins in darkness, whether seed in the ground, child in the womb, or new self in the soul. We are shaking, fearful, and resistant, yet we call upon God to tear open the heavens and be present with us in our uncertainty.

Prelude

Gathering Song

Welcome

Announcements

Lighting of Advent Candle

Call to Worship on back of bulletin

Praver

Praise Songs

Drama with *Wisdom* and *Wonder* Brian and Joel

Giving our Tithes & Offerings

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Scripture Reading Isaiah 64:1-9 Don Lancer Message You've Done It Before! Lois Bukar

Confession and Words of Assurance on back of bulletin

Response Song

Communion

Benediction

Sending Song

Postlude

THIS WEEK:

Today potluck lunch and donations to the food bank at 2 pm & 3 pm Care Home services at Revera & PrairieView

Wednesday 8:30 am Men's & Women's coffee time

at Riverview Village Estates

Thursday noon Advent service & lunch at First United Church Friday at 6 pm Women in Mission banquet, the offering will go to Rock Solid Refuge.

Pray for:

- our shut-ins & those with ongoing health concerns & their caregivers, & those who are grieving the loss of loved ones
- Community Baptist Church
- Grace Mennonite Church in Regina

Thank you to Jakob & Shirley Wiebe for designing and making the 6 new banners.

December 16 at 5:30 pm - Zion Christmas banquet. Cost adults \$20, Children 10 and under \$12. Catered by K Motel. Tickets available from Val Woelk, Margaret Dyck or at the Church Office.

The Sunday School students will be collecting coins for the Advent Giving Project the Newcomer Welcome Center in today's offering **ONLY**. The money from the offering and baking mixes will be designated through the Center to their student tutoring program and helping women get their driver's licenses. Students will have the brownie and cookie mixes ready next Sunday, December 10. Thank you for contributing to this project. Bd. of Ed.

The Our Daily Bread devotional books have arrived. The **Pictorial Directories** are available.

> Last Sunday: offering \$3689 attendance 54

Birthdays

December 1 – Elva Wiebe December 7 – Brenda Dueck December 7 – John Sawatzky