



Zion
Mennonite
Church

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Office hours Tuesday to Friday 9:00 to 12:00 noon

Sunday School 9:45 am

We gather to Worship each Sunday 10:50 AM

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Organist – Grace Funk **Worship Leader** – Matt Derksen

Pianist – Marion Dueck **Song Leader** – Marcia McLean

Advent 4: *Let it be*

**Infused with God's vision, we proclaim with confidence,
"Let it be with us according to your word!"**

Prelude

Gathering Song SJ (green) #57 *Your will be done*

Welcome

Announcements

Lighting of Advent Candle

O Holy Night Kelsea McLean

Call to Worship on back of bulletin

Prayer

Advent Songs HWB #189 *To us a Child of hope is born*

HWB #192 *On this day earth shall ring*

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

Giving our Tithes & Offerings Esther, Hannah, Naomi

Choir

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Song SS (purple) #114 *God has chosen me*

Scripture Reading Luke 2:1-20 Vic Reimer

Message *Catch the Vision – or throw it back ?* Lois Bukar

Confession and Words of Assurance on back of bulletin

Response Song HWB #212 *O come, all ye faithful*

Benediction

Sending Song HWB #209 *O how joyfully*

Postlude

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THIS WEEK:

Today at 7 pm **Christmas Eve Candlelight service**

Wednesday 8:30 am **Men's & Women's coffee time**
at Riverview Village Estates

Pray for:

- our shut-ins and those with ongoing health concerns and their caregivers
- those grieving the loss of loved ones at this special time
- Helen Friesen and family on the passing of John
- Mary Wall having surgery on December 28 in Saskatoon
- travel safety for the holidays
- Faith Evangelical Missionary Church
- Field of Hope (Hoffnungsfelder) Mennonite Church

Thank you for contributing \$738 to the local refugee project at the Christmas banquet.

Reusable shopping bags are available for a donation, see the box in the foyer. They make good gifts.

The **Pictorial Directories** are available, in your church mailbox or at the Church Office. Cost is \$10. Pay Grace in the Church Office.

The **Church Office** will be open on December 29 and January 5.

Lois will be away from December 30 to January 2.

The **Oratorio choir** will be performing **Handel's *Messiah*** with the Regina Symphony Players on April 15. If you would like to join, the first rehearsal is on Monday January 8 with registration at 7 pm. Bring your own score if you have one.

Sympathy to Helen Friesen and family on the passing of John on December 19. The funeral will be held on Thursday December 28 at 2 pm.

Last Sunday: offering \$6152
attendance 56

Coming Events

January 7 – potluck lunch

January 9 – ladies begin tying blankets for MCC

January 10 & 11 afternoons – undecorating, help is appreciated

January 12-14 – CMU Portable on Islam

February 11 – MCC report on South Africa with Dan Siebert, and potluck

March 9,10 – MC Sask Annual Delegate Session (conference) at Zion