



## Sunday, December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018—The Second Sunday in Advent—Joy

Prelude

Gathering Praise "For Unto Us"

**Welcome and Announcements**

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration & Confession & the Lord's Prayer

Hymn #150 "Jesus Our Brother Kind And Good"

Lighting of Advent Candle of Peace

Advent Candle Song "A Candle Is Burning"

**Scripture** Luke 1:26-33 (p.1588)

### First Contact Christmas Pageant

#### "O Come All Ye Faithful"

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Please join us in singing each of the pageant hymns

O Come All Ye Faithful (v.1)

Long Ago Prophets Knew (v.1&2)

Angels From The Realms Of Glory (v.1)

The First Noel (v.3)

Joy To The World (v.1)

Hymn #147 "Angels We Have Heard On High"

Prayer of Dedication for the Offering

**Offering Music** "My Grown Up Christmas List";  
Madison Salcedo, soloist

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn #141 "Good Christians All Rejoice"

**Benediction and Choral Amen**

Postlude

### O Come All Ye Faithful

*Cast (in order of appearance)*

**Narrators**—Gabriel Prichard, Kyle Ouellette,

Emma Sheffield

**Prophet Isaiah**—Matthew Lewis

**Prophet Micah**—Bentley Purdy

**Bell Choir**—John Belvedere, Emily Denis,

Maeve Kaden (*red*); Matthew Lewis (*orange*);

Noah Sheffield, Noah Decicco (*yellow*); Alyssa

Decicco, Ashley Cavill (*green*); Johnathan

Besley, Gabrielle Belvedere, Emma Sheffield

(*light blue*); Olivia Denis, Madeline Apostolis

(*dark blue*)

**Angel Gabriel**—Noah Decicco

**Mary**—Adelaide Burrell

**Joseph**—Travis Brown

**Manger Animals**—children from our nursery

**Shepherds**—\*Evan Draper, Johnathan Besley,

Gage Kaden

**Sheep**—Alyssa Decicco, Noah Sheffield, Peri

Burrell, John Belvedere

**Angels**—\*Miranda Prichard, Blake Aldred,

Madeline Apostolis, Gabrielle Belvedere, Emily

Denis, Olivia Denis, Nadia Dorval, Maeve

Kaden, Grace Kutcy, Maizie Milligan, Lucy

Parker

**King 1**—Dylan Ouellette

**King 2**—Nolan Aldred

**King 3**—Ashley Cavill

*\* Denotes a speaking role*



to the volunteers who have helped with our First Contact Pageant preparations, from costumes to rehearsals, and beyond.

### First Presbyterian Church Collingwood

Invites You To Celebrate Christmas  
at the following services:

#### CHRISTMAS EVE

5:00 p.m.

(Service for Young Families)

7:00 p.m.

(Blended Service)

9:00 p.m.

(Candlelight Service)



#### 🎵 Music Ministry 🎵

**The Cherub Choir** (SK—Gr. 3) practices will resume in January. Angela Girdwood—  
agirdwood@scdsb.on.ca

**The Adult Choir** next practice will be Thursday, December 20<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00pm. Contact Kimberley—  
karg@rogers.com

**Thank you** Madison Salcedo for her solo this morning.

*First Christmas Story DVDs & CDs* are available in the Welcome Centre.



## Events and Activities

**Mon. Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> – VON Exercise Program**, 9:30am, Gym

**Mon. Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> – Board of Managers** meets at 7pm, Conf. Rm.

**Tues. Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Basket Delivery** – Baskets accepted at the church from 10am onward.

**Thurs. Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> – Treasure Time For Tots** – 9:15am, Library. No meeting on Dec. 27<sup>th</sup> or Jan 3<sup>rd</sup>. See you next on Thurs. Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>

**Fri. Dec. 21<sup>st</sup> – V.O.I.C.E. and Impact** Youth groups on hiatus until January 11<sup>th</sup>.

**Sun. Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup> – One Service** at 10:30am

**Mon. Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> – Services** at 5pm, 7pm & 9pm.

**Sun. Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> – One Service** at 10:30am

**Sun. Jan. 6<sup>th</sup> – Two Services** resume, 9:00 & 10:30am



## Winter Reading Club BINGO!

Read for the love of it! Read new books! Enter your card to win prizes. BINGO cards and details available in our Church Library, Welcome Centre & online. Basically, reading 5 books (to make a straight line on the BINGO card) enters you into a draw for FUN prizes. Return BINGO cards to the church library on a Sunday to receive your entry into the draw. *Feel free to donate a GIFT CARD your child or grandchild would consider a real treat.*

**Library Lines:** Do you savour room and quiet time for Jesus in the “Inn” of your heart? How about picking up a Christmas book or DVD, on display in the library, Fellowship Hall and Welcome Centre.



**Prayer Requests:** Ken & Lorna Bray, Linda denBok, Marie Ewing, Kevin Hackett, Bob Hagerman, Ross Klopp

- ♦ **Need Pastoral Care?** Contact Catherine Brown at [cjbrown1@rogers.com](mailto:cjbrown1@rogers.com) or 705-445-6941
- ♦ Need a Christmas gift for a senior or poetry lover? Copies of “**In Quiet Moments**” are available in the Welcome Centre for a suggested donation of \$10. All proceeds go to Pastoral Care.



Area churches are working together to attend to the Salvation Army Walmart Kettle. If you would like to volunteer please see Jack Vanderkooy or email him at [jack.vanderkooy@gmail.com](mailto:jack.vanderkooy@gmail.com) or call him at 416-725-9497.



Thank you to everyone who participated in the First Christmas Story this year.



## Mark Your Calendar

Burning Bush Theatre

*Presents*

**March Break Music Theatre Camp**

Ages 7-17

March 11-17<sup>th</sup> 2019.

Registration forms available in January

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