

First Sunday of Advent: December 3, 2023

Welcome and God's Greeting

Call to Worship

Here I Am to Worship Medley

Advent Candle lighting

Hope is a Star

Angels from the Realms of Glory

Once in Royal David's City

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance

Family Time

Scripture: Luke 1:5-25, 39-45, 57-66

Message: "Elizabeth: Grounded in Hope"

Remembering with Love and Hope

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Prayers of the People

Offering: Karis Disability Services

Benediction

Celtic Alleluia

Please join us for Coffee Hour after the service



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"Blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken by the Lord." Luke 1:45

SUNDAY DECEMBER 3, 2023

Welcome to Fellowship Church! **Today, we will be celebrating the Lord's Supper.** Our sermon today is entitled, "Grounded in Hope." This is the first of our Advent Sunday series, "Christmas Road Trips," from Luke 1. Please plan to join us for coffee hour after today's worship.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun. Dec. 3rd, 10 AM	Celebration of the Lord's Supper
Sun. Dec. 3rd, 6:30 PM	Neighbourhood Tree Lighting
Tues./Thurs. Dec. 5th /Dec. 7th, 9:30 AM	Learn & Play Drop-in
Wed. Dec. 6th, 10 AM	Coffee Break Bible Study
Thurs. Dec. 7th, 10:30 AM	Bible Study Group
Fri. Dec. 8th, 9:45 AM	Walking Group

SCHEDULES

	COFFEE SOCIAL	LIBRARY
Sunday December 3rd	Hospitality Group B	Herman
Sunday December 10th	Hospitality Group C	Ruth
Sunday December 17th	Hospitality Group D	Nel

CHURCH NEWS AND INFORMATION: UPCOMING EVENTS

COFFEE BREAK: This coming Wednesday we will be celebrating by having a Christmas program and luncheon. Please bring your beautiful singing voices and participate in the readings of the Christmas story, the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ, the greatest gift ever given. We will have our Christmas program first followed by the luncheon. This past week we finished our Exodus study and are looking forward to studying Timothy 1 and 2 in the new year. Please join us at 10 a.m.

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY GROUP: Every Thursday at 10:30 am, a group of us meet to dig deeper into the previous Sunday's text. We talk, we laugh, we pray and we apply the Word of God to our lives.

FROM THE KENYAN CANADIAN ASSOCIATION: Heartfelt thanks for the generous donations made to our Association. These donations are greatly appreciated and will help many over the coming winter months.

OFFERINGS

Your financial faithfulness is so appreciated! Please use this email address to e-transfer donations or send pre-approved monthly donations: fcrc_accounting@fellowshipchurchto.org.

Please send any passwords, etc. to our bookkeeper, Jen: jen_brodie@fellowshipchurchto.org. If you have any further questions, please contact Jen.

Our special offering this week is for **Karis Disability** (formerly **Christian Horizons**). **Karis Disability** is a non-profit, faith-based charitable organization serving nearly 1, 500 people with developmental disabilities and their families in Ontario. With more than 200 residences as well as respite care and retreat facilities, they offer programs and services that can be tailored to meet a wide variety of needs. For more information, please visit their **website**.

Next week's special offering will support **The Banner**.

