

DEEP RUN EAST MENNONITE CHURCH

“Bringing people in contact with God”

*Empowered by the Holy Spirit, with prayer as our foundation,
we at DRE envision a community of faith that will glorify God in worship, open our
lives to our community, and share our gifts and resources
in faithfulness to Jesus Christ.*

Worship Service – 9:00 a.m.

Third Sunday of Advent

Gathering

Pre-service Katrina Rice

Call to Worship Brent Camilleri

Praising

Congregational Singing Garry Rice
HWB #210
“Good Christian Friends, Rejoice”
“It Came Upon a Midnight Clear” HWB #195 (vv. 1, 3, 4)

Confessional Reading and Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Advent Theme Song “Reveal Your Mystery”

Giving

Offering / Offertory Kimberly Rice
"Jesus Messiah" as arranged by Alex-Zsolt
(Guests, please fill out the welcome card and place in the offering.)

Hearing God’s Word

Scripture Reading Phyllis Nyce
Psalm 126; John 1:23-27
(Pages 441 & 750 in the pew bible)

Meditation “Reveal Your Joy” Ken Burkholder

“What helps you to experience the joy of Jesus during the Christmas season?”
Michelle Bongiovanni and Rich Leatherman

Responding

Song of Response “Joy to the World” HWB #318

Pastoral Prayer

"Tell Me a Story"

Presented by
Children of Deep Run East Mennonite Church

All are welcome to enjoy coffee and refreshments in the fellowship hall following the children's program.

There will be no Sunday school today.



"Oh, that you would reveal your mystery" is our advent theme this year. Together we are called to prepare our hearts and minds to celebrate the birth of Christ. Through this amazing birth, we catch a glimpse of the completely disruptive in-breaking of the God who reveals the divine mystery and sheds new light on all things!

Next Sunday is the fourth Sunday of Advent. Pastor Brent Camilleri will be giving a sermon titled, "*Love Comes Home*," based on the scripture passages 2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16 and Luke 1:26-38.

Nursery attendants: Today – Mark & Lizy Rush

Next Week – Ruth Hohenstein & Kaci Karte

Greeters: Today – Mark & SueAnne Rush, Justin & Shana Overholt
Rhonda Moyer, Louise Moyer

Next Week – Ken & Karen Burkholder, Joe & Ruth Hohenstein
Henry & Darla Rice

Greeters for Christmas Eve:

Dale & Janet Ruster, Harvey & Ann Meyers, Elmer & Alice Detweiler

Prayer room (*between the worship service and Sunday school*):

Today – Barb Hackman Next week – Duane Bishop

(You are also invited to submit a prayer request/praise on the prayer cards in the pews and place in the prayer box in the mailbox foyer area)

Audio: Today – Sheldon Myers

Next week – Brad Ruster

Video: Today – Brad Ruster

Next week – Brad Ruster



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Sunday, December 14, 2014

Attendance

Worship Service – 165

Sunday school – 152

Offering: Budget Receipts – \$ 7,777.00

E-tithing Offering: \$ 1,520.00

Total Budget Offering: \$ 9,297.00

Timothy Burkhardt, *Treasurer*
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Year of the Bible

Year of the Bible Feedback

We want to hear from you! We invite feedback from all ages on our Year-of-the-Bible (Y-T-B) emphasis at DRE in 2014. The feedback forms are in mailboxes today. Please take a few minutes to answer the following questions, and return your completed form to the box in the mailbox foyer area by Sunday, January 4, 2015.

Thank you. *-Year-of-the-Bible Planning Team*

Thank you very much for the flowers from the church and for the cards I received. It was much appreciated.

Mary Leatherman



Chime rehearsals: December 16, 23 & January 13, 20, 27



**You are invited to Christmas Eve Service
December 24, 7:00 pm.**

Join us for special music, congregational singing, and candle lighting.