

## DEEP RUN MENNONITE CHURCH EAST

*“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.*



**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

*Morning Worship – 9:00 a.m.*

### **Gathering for Worship**

Prayer Time 8:20 - 8:40

Pre-service Music

Carol Palermo

Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus – arr. Thygerson

Christmas Improvisation – arr. Keil

The Snow Lay on the Ground – arr. Livingston

Oh Come, O Come Emmanuel – arr. Keil

Call to Worship

Ruth Cosand

### **Praising God**

Congregational Singing

Youth Worship Team

O Come, All Ye Faithful

HWB#212

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

HWB#201

It Came Upon A Midnight Clear

HWB#195

Congregational Sharing & Prayer Time

Children's Time

Rachel Detweiler

## Giving to God

Offering *Guests, please fill out the welcome card and place in the offering*

Offertory: He Shall Feed His Flock (Messiah) - Handel Carol Palermo

Congregational Song Lord, You Sometimes Speak HWB#195

## Hearing God's Word

Scripture: Luke 1:26-38, 46-55 Joanna Detweiler

Sermon: "Reordering Our World" Ken Burkholder

## Responding

Song of Response: My Soul is Filled with Joy STJ# 13

## Sending

Benediction

Sending Song: You Shall Go Out with Joy HWB#427

Sunday school Hour – 10:15  
Classes for all ages – Nursery through adult



In keeping with our Advent theme of God working in surprising and unexpected ways, the lighting of the Advent candle will take place at different places in the worship service each Sunday of Advent. Thank you to **Lindsay Yoder** for lighting the candle in today's service.

**Betty Prifti** continues as a patient at Doylestown Hospital.

**Guests!** - We are glad to have you here for worship today. We trust that you will encounter God's presence, as you worship with us. Please know you are welcome to worship with us again!

**December 18, 2011**

**Fourth Sunday of Advent**

*The season of Advent* is a time of waiting, watching, and preparing ourselves for the coming of Christ. Our Advent theme this year is ***Awesome Deeds We Do Not Expect***. This Advent season, you are invited to reflect on God's sure coming – but often in places we would not think to look. You are invited to ponder God's awesome deeds – but often not the ones we would expect. What we celebrate and anticipate this Advent is the unexpected manner of God is coming in Jesus, and the unexpected ways God is still coming to upend our world.

**Next week, Brent** will be preaching the sermon titled, “*Celebrating the Savior*” based on the scripture text *Psalms 148*. We will also sing many Christmas carols in the service, as we celebrate the birth of Jesus!



### **December 24 – 7:00 pm Christmas Eve Service**

Variety of special music, a meditation,  
children's time, and candle lighting

*\*Offering will be given to Mennonite Mission Network*

### **December 25 – 10:00 am Christmas Day Service**



Check out the website for pictures from the Children's Christmas Program and the Dublin Holiday Gathering. [www.deepruneast.org](http://www.deepruneast.org)



**Nursery attendants:** **Today** – Ruth Hohenstein & Brittany Myers  
**Next week** – Kate Gohl & Olivia Gemmell



**Greeters:** **Today** – Steve & Ruth Swartley, Ruth Gahman,  
 Mary Detweiler, Dale & Janet Ruster  
**Next week** – Grace & Esther Leatherman,  
 Norm & Mable Myers, Henry & Darla Rice

**Christmas Eve Greeters:** George & Lois Wismer, Joe & Ruth Hohenstein  
 Duane & Pat Bishop



**Prayer room** *(between the worship service and Sunday school):*  
**Today** – Duane Bishop      **Next week** – Janet Ruster

(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)

**Last Sunday**

Attendance: Worship service – 269

Offering: Budget Receipts – \$ 9,872.75      E-tithing Offering: \$750.00

**Total Offering: \$10,622.75**

Primary Sunday School: \$12.00

MAMA Trip: \$400.00      Elders Agape: \$100.00

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