

| Good Shepherd Worship | | 10:30 am |
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| Music | | Angela Friggstad Band |
| Offering Counters | | Lynn & Taylor Szuba |
| Altar Guild | | Melody Fornwald |
| Prayers | | |
| Lector | | Nathaniel Gibson |
| Communion Assistants | | |
| Ushers | | |

Please pray for the following people this week: Valarie, Hilda & Paige.

Live Streaming is done on Facebook.
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/GoodShepStoon>

*Donation by cash, cheque or e-transfers are gratefully accepted to
info@goodshepherdsaskatoon.ca
suggested question - pastor? answer – munye

If you feel the need for pastoral support,
Please contact church office
@ 306-477-1313 or email:
info@goodshepherdsaskatoon.ca

Christmas Worship Services:
Redeemer - Christmas Eve 5pm & 7pm
Zion – Dec. 18 – Remembrance & Healing Service @ 7:30 pm
Christmas Eve Candlelight @ 7 pm
Christmas Day with Communion @ 11 am.
Resurrection - Christmas Eve Candlelight @ 7 pm
Christmas Day @ 10 am. (both with communion)
Good Shepherd – Christmas Eve candlelight @ 5 & 7 pm



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

We shall **KNOW** Jesus as our Lord,
GROW in our faith, and
SHOW Christ’s love to our world.

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Sunday, December 21st
4th Sunday of Advent
Worship @ 10:30 a.m.



NEWS AND EVENTS

Dec. 14th – after worship – Worship committee meeting
Dec. 18th (Thurs)-Youth Event – 5-9 pm
Dec. 20th – Sat – Wellness & Support group @ 1 pm
Dec 24th – Christmas Eve Candlelit Service 5 & 7 pm

Financial Update: Any extra you may offer in December would be greatly appreciated to help keep us on budget. The last date for 2024 tax year donations will be Jan. 4th, 2026.

Thanks to all for a successful gathering of items for Wildwood families during this season of giving!

Please note: We have **Comment/Prayer Request Cards** available in the entry where you pick up your bulletins.

*** We will be needing one new volunteer to help with offering counting starting on second Sunday in January... please speak with Chris Tucker or call the office.

Welcome visitors!
Please sign the guest book located in the entry and stay for fellowship following the services.

SERVICE OUTLINE

10:30 a.m.

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| Prelude | |
| Call to Worship (Emmanuel) | Angels from the Realms of Glory |
| Lighting of the 4 th Advent Candle - Light a Candle | |
| Prayer of the day | |
| Gathering Hymn | A Christmas Hymn |
| Confession | |
| Sharing of the Peace | |
| Confession | |
| Reading 1 – | Isaiah 7:10-16 |
| Hymn - | O Come, O Come Emmanuel (ELW 257) |
| Reading 2 - | Matthew 1:18-25 |
| Sermon – | Pastor Munye Mtata – |
| Hymn of the Day – | Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song (ELW 808) |
| Prayers of the People – | God of Grace, hear our prayer |
| Announcements | |
| Offertory – | Musical Contribution: Adore |
| Creed | |
| Communion Liturgy | |
| Communion | Light of the World (Sing Hallelujah) Midnight Clear (Love Song) |
| Benediction | |
| Sending Hymn | Hark the Herald (with King of Heaven) |

Thanks to Angela Friggstad Band for musical accompaniment today! And to all our helpers serving during worship this week.

¹⁸ Now the birth of Jesus the Messiah took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been engaged to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found to be pregnant from the Holy Spirit. ¹⁹ Her husband Joseph, being a righteous man and unwilling to expose her to public disgrace, planned to divorce her quietly. ²⁰ But just when he had resolved to do this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, “Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary as your wife, for the child conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹ She will bear a son, and you are to name him Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins.” ²² All this took place to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet:

²³ “Look, the virgin shall become pregnant and give birth to a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel,”

which means, “God is with us.” ²⁴ When Joseph awoke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him; he took her as his wife ²⁵ but had no marital relations with her until she had given birth to a son, and he named him Jesus.

Merry Christmas everyone!

We give you thanks O God for those celebrating another birthday or anniversary:
Valarie Aubichon, Tammy Meyer, Irene & Les Cannam, Austin McGunigal, Barry Willick, Les Cannam, Dwayne Brenna, Karen & Graeme Linsley, Leona & Wilf Sivertson