

Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 18, 2011

Prelude: 3 Settings of "O Lord, how shall I greet you"
Ernst Pepping (Germany, 1901 - 1981)

GATHERING

Announcements/Presentation of Survival Backpacks
*Hymn Hymn 241
Kyrie/Canticle of Praise p. 193
*Prayer of the Day Celebrate

WORD

First Lesson Celebrate
Hymn 251
Second Lesson Celebrate
*Gospel Acclamation/Gospel Responses p. 198
*Gospel Celebrate
Sermon Bonnie Weppler
*Hymn of the Day Hymn 263
*Apostles Creed Back Cover
*Prayers Celebrate
Anthem: Angelus ad Virginem arr. David Willcocks
solo - Katarina Ginder (England, b. 1919)

MEAL

Offering
Organ Offertory: "Saviour of the nations, come"
Johann Gottfried Walther (Germany, 1684 - 1748)
*Congregational Offertory: "Create in me" Hymn 186
*Communion Service p. 199 - 201
Music during Communion: 254, 487, 490
*Post Communion Hymn Hymn 204

SENDING

*Blessing/Hymn/Dismissal Hymn 239
Postlude: Fantasia on *Angelus ad Virginem*
Florence Durell Clark (Canada, 1891-1977)

* indicates stand Liturgy Assistant: Susan Deichert

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS & PORTABLE RECEIVERS

are available from the church office or an usher.

Office closed December 26 & 27, January 2

USHERS Karen Warner, Virginia Gutz-Carpenter
Sheila Gutz-Carpenter, Thomas Carpenter

WORSHIP ASSISTANT Cynthia Moffatt
ACOLYTE Sean Cojbasic

THIS WEEK Today Nominating Committee 11:15 a.m.
Thursday Senior Choir 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 24, Christmas Eve

7:30 p.m. Candlelight Service
11:00 p.m. Candlelight Worship with Holy Communion

Sunday, December 25, Christmas Day

10:00 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion

GUEST PREACHER Bonnie Weppler is a former ELCIC overseas missionary who lives and works in Ottawa.

2012 OFFERING ENVELOPES are available in the parish hall. Please take your envelopes with you so you can start using them in January.

THANK YOU to everyone who helped with the Christmas trees. We look forward to lighting them on Christmas Eve.

ANNUAL REPORTS are due as soon as possible. Please give your report to Carol in the church office.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS cost \$10. On an envelope indicate numbers of flowers donated, name, envelope # and amount paid. Place the envelope on offering plate.

QUILT ON DISPLAY DURING FELLOWSHIP "Remarkable Figures in Herstory: a Women's history Quilt" was made and designed by Christine Leng as a gift for daughter Kirsten. Photos on the quilt depict women who have been an inspiration for Kirsten in the pursuit of her PhD in women's Studies and History. Alternate quilt blocks set the time period for each of the women. The quilt is hand-quilted and embellished.

OTTAWA INNERCITY MINISTRY is presented with winter survival backpacks by the Service Committee on behalf of St. Peter's congregation.

THANK YOU to all who contributed to the Mitten Tree, coordinated by the Service Committee.

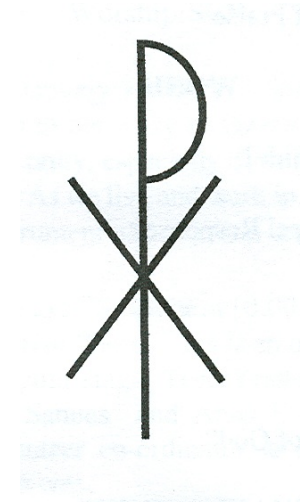
GIFTS FROM THE HEART brochure with gift suggestions from Canadian Lutheran World Relief is in the parish hall.

CENTRETOWN CHURCHES EMERGENCY FOOD CENTRE
Food staples required: Cereal, Kraft Dinner, Canned Vegetables, Canned Pasta. Place donations in the basket in the parish hall.

ST. PETER'S PRESS latest book is *St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church Celebrating 100 years, 1910-2010*. The book is a chronology and pictorial history. Copies of the book are available for \$20.00.

WELCOME If you are a visitor, please sign our guest book. Come worship with us again. To those looking for a church home, we invite you to join St. Peter's, a community of faith seeking to grow in God's grace and love.

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The Rev. Dr. Barton Beglo, Pastor
Intern, Anna Thede
Karen Holmes, Organist/Choir Director
Elaine Graham, Associate Organist

Worship Service
10:00 a.m.

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