

Church Family Announcements:

Coffee:

January 13th – Aldo & Miriam
January 20th- Church retreat
January 27th- Kerry & Jen



Birthdays

January 10th- Karin
January 11th- Heather

Upcoming Events

The next Aberdeen Food Pantry will be held on **January 19th**.

January 13th will be the next prayer night, at Ron and Ruth's home

January 20th- Church retreat at Camp Assiniboia. Sign up today!

Do you have the gift of working with WORD documents?
Do you have some extra time on your hands? Have you
been thinking our church directory is a tad bit out of
date? Talk to Teresa about how you can help out with
updating our phonebook and birthday list!



Aberdeen EMC



Welcome to Aberdeen!

Our worship is a response to Gods call to repentance and faith.
Seeking to live in harmony with Gods will, we will extend our service and
witness in the name of Jesus Christ.

Teresa Enns Zehr, Pastor
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Sunday, January 6, 2019

Epiphany Sunday

Welcome

Call to Worship

Leader: We gather wondering, 'Where will we find the Babe born in Bethlehem?'

People: We will find the Babe in the laughter of children, in the wisdom of grandparents.

Leader: We gather asking, 'where will we find the Child of Christmas?'

People: We will find the Child where the needy are gifted with hope, where the oppressed are set free.

Leader: We gather wanting to know, 'where will we find the Christ who has come for us?'

People: We will find our Hope where fear is overwhelmed by grace, where hatred is overwhelmed by love, where all people are overwhelmed by joy

Congregational Singing

Arise your light is come STS 30

O Beautiful star of Bethlehem STS 32

Scripture Reading Ephesians 3 1-12 and Matthew 2 1-15

Children's Story Joan

Congregational Singing

As with gladness men of old HWB 218

Christ whose glory fills the skies HWB 216

Sermon Jim

Sharing & Prayer

Offering Esther

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Congregational Singing:

We will walk with God STJ 78

Benediction:

Leader: People of God, arise, shine, for your light has come! The light of Christ has come into the world.

People: Immanuel. God with us.

Leader: We will follow the light-

when it leads down familiar paths to expected destinations

when the road is unfamiliar

and the star rests above a dubious-looking home.

We will lift up our eyes and look around.

People: And when we see the Christ child, may our hearts be overwhelmed with joy.

Worship Leader: Joan

Song Leader: Darlene

Accompanist: Esther

Please pray for Margaret who has been in and out of the hospital throughout December with poor health.

Beyond our Congregation:

Consider joining the CMU educational tour to Israel/Palestine led by Professor Emeritus Gerald Gerbrandt, Apr. 26 to May 13, 2019. This tour will open you to read the Bible and listen to the news with renewed insight. For more information see cmu.ca/met or contact ggerbrandt@cmu.ca.

You are warmly invited to attend CMU Vespers, a service of choral music, hymns and prayers, on Sunday, Jan. 20 at 7:00 PM in the Laudamus Auditorium. Alan Janzen will lead the choir and Sheila Klassen-Wiebe will be the reader. See cmu.ca/vespers.