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Sunday Service

November 26th, 2023 @ 10am

Welcome and Announcements

Opening: Lord reign in me
For the beauty of the earth

Prayer: Father will you come

Message: Rev. Dr. Aubrey Botha
Sermon Series: Stay C.A.L.M.
The river called "If only"

Scripture:
Philippians 4:6-8, 1:21

Offering

Closing: Shout to the Lord

Greeters: Bonnie McCrae,
Joanne Zimmerman

*We are so glad you are here.
We are a Jesus church, where everyone is welcome,
where no-one is perfect and everyone is loved.*

*Join us for fellowship and refreshments
in the hall after service.*

This Week at Central

Monday	7.00pm	Board of Managers
Tuesday	9.30am	Flower Guild
	2.30pm	Prayer Group
	5.00pm	Christian Education
	7.00pm	Praise Team
Wednesday	7.00pm	Worship
Thursday	7.00pm	Choir
	7.00pm	Junior Youth
Friday	10.00am	Women's Bible Study
	7.00pm	Senior Youth
Saturday	7.00pm	Libertas Male Choir
Sunday	10.00am	Sunday Service & Kids Zone

Upcoming

December 6	7.00pm	Session & Board Meeting
December 10	7.00pm	Galt Kilti Band
December 13	2.00pm	Hymn Sing

Concert Tickets: For the upcoming concerts by the Libertas Male Choir on December 2, tickets may be purchased through their website.

The Flower Guild is meeting for coffee and to start decorating for Christmas on Tuesday November 28, 9:30 am until noon in the church hall. All are welcome to join.

Sunday Greeters: At every worship service, there are people at the doors ensuring that everyone receives a warm welcome. If you would be interested in taking a turn once or twice during the year, please speak to any of the greeters.

OUR "MITTEN TREE" for KIDS



A Christmas "Mitten Tree" will be at the back of the sanctuary beginning November 26. We are collecting donations of mittens, hats, scarves, and other winter apparel for children in need in our community. The Cambridge Food Bank will happily receive and distribute both newly purchased and "home-made" items. If you would like us to do the shopping, we will provide labelled envelopes for the "Mitten Tree" on the small table at the entrance, to make any donations.

You can also donate via e-transfer to the church office.

Please help us fill the tree as **we collect through the month of December!**

Thank you for all your generosity for helping those in need!

CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

FOR RACHEL'S HOME



On Dec. 10 at the Family Service, we will be hanging Christmas stockings on the pews, to ask for donations for the orphanage and school at Rachel's Home in Lesotho. At Christmas we hope to provide a full nutritious Christmas meal for the orphans and a gift of some clothing item that is critically needed.

WHITE GIFT SUNDAY DECEMBER 10

White Gift Sunday has its origins in a Methodist Church in Ohio around the year 1904. There the idea began to give gifts wrapped in white paper to people in need at Christmas. Gifts



were given anonymously so that no one would make comparisons on the value of the gifts. Everyone could share in the gift giving and all gifts were appreciated equally.

This year we are supporting the Cambridge Self Help Food Bank, specifically "seniors in need" in our community. This is a group that is often overlooked – many are alone, living on very little for food, rent, clothing, medical and other needs.

Some suggestions for gifts are toiletries such as hand lotion and shaving cream, gloves, hats, scarves, slippers, socks and other clothing items, chocolates/candy.

Gifts may be unwrapped or if wrapped, please indicate male (M) or female (F). If you would like us to do the shopping, we will provide labelled envelopes for "White Gift Sunday". For many seniors this will be the only gift they receive, and it is a wonderful way to show God's love in our community.

Offering Envelopes



For those using church envelopes, they are available for 2024 contributions from Oct.31, and can be collected at service on Sunday mornings or from the office

Tuesday & Thursday
9.30—12.30pm

If you wish to request or cancel church envelopes, please contact the office 519-239 8750 or email

office@cpcmail.ca

JOIN OUR CHOIR!

Do you enjoy gathering with fun-loving folks twice a week? Have you been looking for a way to participate in our worship services? Do you enjoy singing?

Central would really love to welcome you!

Soprano, Alto, Tenor or Bass

WE WANT YOU!!

Questions? Contact Choir Director Gwen Darling

gjdarling42@gmail.com

Following the direction of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, on Sunday December 3, 2023, at 3:00 pm (et) a Service of Repentance, Healing and Hope will be held at St. Timothy Presbyterian Church, located at 106 Ravenscrest Dr., Etobicoke, Ontario.

This service will also be livestreamed so that Presbyterians across the country may be able to participate.

Our Team

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Our office is open to the public

Tuesday & Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm

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Online Bulletin

Our Weekly Bulletin is available online in a mobile friendly format.

Our online bulletin includes:

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