

**CHURCH CALENDAR:** If you would like to know what is going on at St. Paul's, please check our online calendar at [www.stpaulspeterborough.ca](http://www.stpaulspeterborough.ca).

**LUNCHTIME ORGAN MUSIC – ADVENT 2010**

**December 16** – Douglas Schalin on Thursday from 12:15 – 12:45 p.m. at Knox United Church,  
Free admission. Donations of food and money for local food bank programs will be accepted. For more information, please call 742-5696 or 755-1184

**EVENTS IN THE COMMUNITY TODAY**

**DECEMBER 12 - A CHRISTMAS CONCERT** with the Coventry Singers at St. Giles Presbyterian Church at 2:30 p.m. followed by refreshments and a time of fellowship. Tickets \$8 available at the door.

**DECEMBER 12 - GRACE UNITED CHURCH** "A Christmas Alleluia" with the Choir, the Gospel Choir and the Worship Band at 7 p.m. Freewill offering.



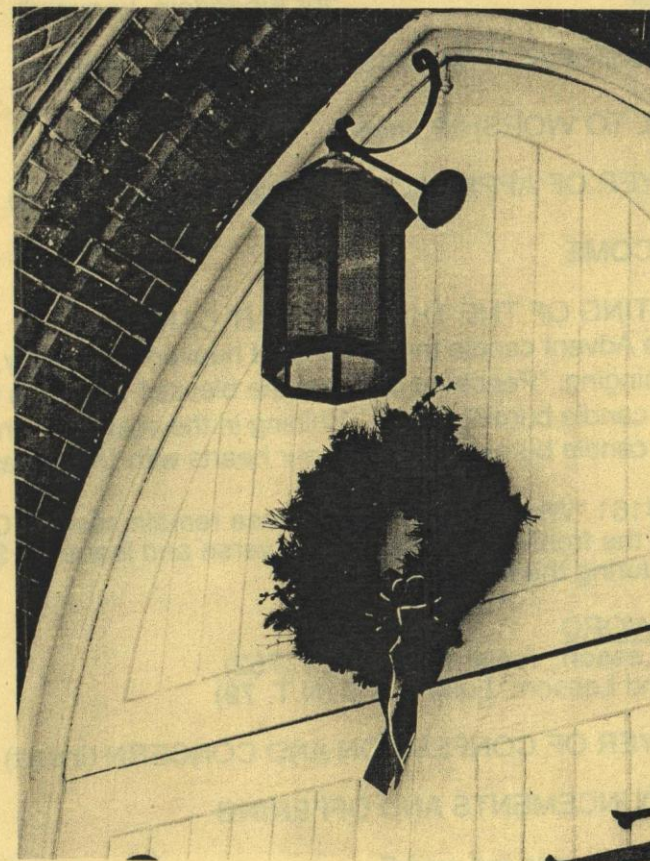
**BETHLEHEM 'LIVE:**

**Saturday and Sunday  
December 18 & 19.  
6, 7 & 8 p.m.**

We still **NEED** more villagers each night. Sign up sheets are in the hall outside the office and we would appreciate it if you would sign up **TODAY IF POSSIBLE** so that we know we have enough people in place.

We are also looking for donations of loaves and cookies for the closing party after the last performance

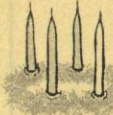
# Advent 3



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120 Murray Street, Peterborough. K9H 2S5 745-1411  
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Minister: Rev. George A. Turner December 12, 2010  
Director of Music: Mr. Douglas Schalin 10:00 a.m.



### THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

HARP PRELUDE: "O Sanctissima", "Infant Holy"  
"Ihr Kinderlein, kommet"

PROCESSIONAL HYMN #159 "O come, all ye faithful"

CALL TO WORSHIP (insert)

PRAYER OF APPROACH, LORD'S PRAYER (insert)

WELCOME

### LIGHTING OF THE THIRD ADVENT CANDLE

Light the Advent candle three. Think of heavenly harmony,  
Angels singing, "Peace on earth" at the blessed Saviour's birth.  
Candle, candle burning bright. Shining in the cold winter night.  
Candle, candle burning bright, fill our hearts with Christmas light.

HYMN #161 "What child is this" (please remain seated) Children  
come to the front during the second verse and leave for Sunday  
School during the last verse

### THE WORD

First Lesson: Isaiah 9: 2-7 (O.T. 752)  
Second Lesson: Luke 2: 1-7 (N.T. 79)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND CONCERN (insert)

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND OFFERING

ANTHEM: "Joy to the world" [Hal H. Hopson]

DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER (insert)

HYMN #142 "I wonder as I wander" (Angelica Ottewill - harp)  
Congregation joins in on vs. 2&3 - please remain seated.

SERMON: "MOST WANTED"

HYMN #166 "Once in royal David's city"

BENEDICTION (insert) & CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION:  
"What does the Lord"

### DOXOLOGY (Hymn #147 v.1.)

Angels we have heard on high, sweetly singing o'er the plains  
And the mountains in reply echoing their joyous strain.  
Gloria, in excelsis Deo.

### CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION (Hymn #709)

(1 x all together, then 1 x as a round, the piano side beginning)

What does the Lord require of you?

What does the Lord require of you?

Justice, kindness,

Walk humbly with your God.

To seek justice, and love kindness,

And walk humbly with your God.

**WELCOME** to St. Paul's this morning. If you are a visitor, we  
hope you will feel very much at home here, and we invite you to  
join us for coffee and a time of fellowship in the Guild Room after  
the service.

**LIGHTING OF THE THIRD ADVENT CANDLE:** Please join with  
Sean Lott and Kevin Veals as we light the Candle of Joy.

**THANK YOU** to Angelica Ottewill, our guest harpist, this morning.  
Her musical contribution has greatly enhanced our service of  
worship today.

**FLOWERS:** The beautiful poinsettias in church during Advent  
have been placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of  
Bruce and Katherine Mills, Robert and Gladys Larmer by Bruce  
and Pat Mills; Jim and Vera Creighton and Jack and Helen Lucas  
by Frank and Joan Lucas. These are in addition to the ones  
placed by Duncan and Isabel Bath last Sunday.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTMAS LUNCH TODAY** after the  
service in the Christian Education Hall. Please join us on this  
special occasion for hot apple cider, quiche, salad and Christmas  
goodies. Cost - donation at the door. Proceeds after expenses  
will go towards the Sunday School's foster child in Burkina Faso.

**CONSERVING ENERGY:** From now onwards, please use the  
Water Street and Murray Street entrances on Sunday mornings  
so that we can keep the main doors of the church closed and  
therefore conserve energy during the coldest months of the  
winter. Thank you for your co-operation.

**CHURCH ENVELOPES FOR 2011** are ready to be picked up in the Guild Room.

**W.M.S. AND LADIES AID** meet *tomorrow*, Monday, December 13<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 p.m. at Canterbury Gardens. This will be followed by a special Christmas programme.

**BOARD OF MANAGERS** Tuesday, December 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the Guild Room.

**CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE** Friday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. when we invite everyone to join us for this special family service to celebrate the birth of the baby Jesus.

**2010 DONATIONS:** Any individual donations for this year requiring a tax receipt should reach the office no later than Friday, December 24<sup>th</sup>. Sunday, December 26<sup>th</sup> is the deadline if you have offering envelopes and will be in church that morning.

**COMMUNITY KITCHEN** The special Christmas dinner will be served Sunday, December 19<sup>th</sup> before Bethlehem 'Live. If you would like to donate frozen corn, juice, or a dessert, please speak to Evelyn or Susan. Thank you!

**PRE-ORDERED PIES:** We would be grateful if you could please pick up your pies if you have not already done so. We would like to get a total raised at the Christmas Fair as soon as possible. Thank you!

**2011 DIARIES** have arrived at long last! Cost \$8.50 - available in the Guild Room after the service on Sundays or from the office. They make excellent stocking stuffers.

**2011 PRESBYTERIAN CALENDARS** are now available from the W.M.S. and Ladies Aid members, or the church office. \$5 each.

**ANNUAL REPORTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** should reach the office by January 11th at the latest. It would be gratefully appreciated if these could be sent by e-mail in Microsoft Word format to [stpaulspeterborough@hotmail.com](mailto:stpaulspeterborough@hotmail.com)

**CHRISTMAS FAIR PHOTOS** are available on our church's web site at [www.stpaulspeterborough.ca](http://www.stpaulspeterborough.ca).