

Assisting This Week: *Welcome Team:* Lead – Doug Hitchcock
Lower Hall – Johann Maybee, Jennifer Honsa
Welcome Table – Wendy Johnson *Balcony* – Ev Courtney
Elevator – Peter Mara *Coffee* – UCW

Assisting Next Week: *Welcome Team:* Lead – Murray Lewis
Lower Hall – Nadean Harley, Teresa Judd *Welcome Table* – Wendy Johnson
Balcony – Ev Courtney *Elevator* – Kent Sweetman
Reader – Wendy Johnson *Coffee* – Worship

Pre-school Room for your children up to JK age is available with an audio/video feed of the service. Attendants are glad to show you where the pre-school room is located.

Parents: For safety reasons, please ensure your children are supervised while in the balcony.

Our Prayer Chain is available. When you have a prayer concern, call Kate Sparrow @ 905-302-4549 or the church office.

Hospital Visits: Please let Rev. John know when any of our members or friends are in hospital – 647-522-9483 (cell); 905-826-1542 (office); john.tapscott@streetsvilleunited.ca

Emergency Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Onsite

Located in the sanctuary on the landing going up to the balcony on the center of the wall.

Streetsville United Church Leadership Team

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December 16, 2018
Advent 3
White Gift Sunday



*Anchored in God's Word...
Moving into God's Future*

Inviting and welcoming all people into a growing relationship with God through Jesus Christ.

Serving God and our neighbours in the local community and the wider world.

Order of Service

Before the Service Junior Band

• Standing for all who are able

• **Responsive Call to Worship** Grade 6-8

Leader: Friends, today we celebrate for Jesus Christ is born!

All: May the One who was, and who is and who is to come, be with you in grace and peace.

Leader: And also with you.

• Prayer of Approach Grade 6-8

Junior Youth Band

Welcome & Announcements Rev. John

Junior Choir *There Was A Child In Galilee (Dreaming Mary)*
Janet Gadeski

Offering *God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen*
Caitlin Bridel, Robert Santos

God is so Good

God is so good, God is so good,
God is so good, He's so good to me.

Please use these gifts, please use these gifts,
Please use these gifts, for the work of Your church.

JK-2 Presentation:

Who's That Baby?
Jesus Christ Was Born
Three Great Kings

Scripture Reading: Luke 2:4-7 Grade 6-8

• Hymn 69 *Away In A Manger*

Grades 3-5 Presentation:

The Candy Cane
Gifts for The King
Bottom Line: The Greatest Gift of Christmas is Jesus

Scripture Reading: Luke 2:8-14 Grade 6-8

• Hymn 48 *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

Grades 6-8 Presentation:

A Hero Needs Faith
Incredible Christmas

Scripture Readings: Luke 1:26-38 Grade 6-8
Luke 2:15-21

Grades JK-8 – Nativity Procession

O Little Town of Bethlehem
Happy Birthday Jesus Sunday School

Lighting of the Third Advent Candle – Joy –
Gail & Ken Boulton & granddaughters Evelyn & Amelia

• Hymn 59 *Joy to the World*

Words of Thanks Richard Wilkins & Rev. John

Closing Prayer Grade 6-8

Note: Please remain seated until the children file out of the sanctuary. Children will be waiting in the Sunday School wing following the service.



White Gift Sunday

Christmas Services

Sun. Dec. 23 – Christmas Celebration – Advent 4

Christmas Eve Services

7:00 pm – Contemporary Service – the Christmas Story and music by our bands!

10:30 pm – Christmas Eve Communion Service



Meetings

Today

2019 Giving Envelopes are available. Please pickup in the narthex.

“Streetsville Home” Christmas Outreach – Please HELP us make Christmas brighter for the 26-28 residents of this home (2 locations in Streetsville). All of these residents have some form of physical/mental disability. There is a donation box in the narthex for your much appreciated and needed monetary donations. Thank you. Please speak to Adelaide if you have questions 905-812-9483.

This Week

Thu. 8:00 pm – Boomer Band practice.

Announcements

Eden Food for Change - Christmas Market – Dec. 19 gifts can be brought to the church. Dec. 20 clients come and shop for their family. The gifts do not have to be wrapped and will be placed on a table designated in age categories. The greatest need is for teen gifts, adult gifts and seniors as they are our largest demographic. Volunteers are welcome to help sort onto tables on Dec. 19. Dec. 20 there is opportunity to assist at tables or serve coffee. Any questions email hbarbour@look.ca.

Book Sale – We have exceeded our \$1,000 goal for 2018 and are now at **\$1,056**. Thanks for your HELP!

Blood Donor Drive – continues - there are **12** out of our goal of **30**. Help us meet our goal – you will be helping save a life!

Church Food Pantry – In November, we helped 12 people. This week we are LOW: canned tuna, spaghetti & ravioli, baked beans, beef & chicken stew, mayonnaise, cookies, peanut butter, 1l size juice, cereal bars, instant cereal & syrup. Thanks for helping the less fortunate. **Please NO EXPIRED canned goods – unfortunately this is a regular occurrence so please check dates before donating.**

Christmas Food Request – help to give those in need a Christmas dinner! Canned gravy, instant potatoes, canned vegetables, canned pie fillings and any other special Christmas dinner items. (we have enough cranberries and stuffing in stock). Thank you.