

Communion & First Advent Sunday

Dec. 2nd, 2018~ 11 a.m.

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

WELCOME: *We are so glad you came to worship God with us this morning. If you would like to learn more about our church, please fill out a **Welcome Card** and place it in the offering plate. God bless you!*

Service leader: Greg Gaensler

Message: “The LORD is My Light” Texts: Psalm 27:1 & John 8:12

Communion: Mike Roy

Kids Church: Ages 4-Gr. 12. Christmas Musical Practice: Children go directly downstairs right away for the entire service.

Evening Service@ 7:00 p.m. “The Book of Colossians”
Colossians 2:6-15

Nursery today: Rebecca Andrews/Leah Joy
Next Week: Anne Ryan/Meredith

Nursery: (infants to age 3) Children Church: age 4-9 (JK to Gr. 4)

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY BIBLE CHURCH

Monday: Ladies Bible Study 1:00 p.m. (adult SS classroom)

Wednesday: REVIVAL PRAYER MEETING starts **6:30 A.M.** at
Calvary Bible. For information call Bob Kerr at 283-0466

AWANA kids club 6:20 p.m. For children ages 3 to grade 8.
For more information contact Lynda Bourne 613-283-0030.

Thursday: Calvary Youth: 6:30-9:00 p.m. JR & SR high school

Friday: Mom’s Life Group: 9:30 – 11:00 a.m. Child care available.

What is Advent?

It is the four Sundays of celebrating Christ’s first coming (advent) and preparing our hearts for His next advent. Jesus’ First Advent was His incarnation as the Baby wrapped in cloths and placed in manger. He came to be the Saviour of the world. His Second Advent will be as King of Kings where he will reign forever and ever as foretold by Isaiah the Prophet. Four candles and the Christ candle mark this season.

Today’s candle is the **Prophet’s Candle.**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

There will be a Baptism next Sunday. If you want to be baptized contact Pastor Greg or one of the elders as soon as possible.

God Bless John and Linda Davison! John and Linda are moving to Brockville this week. Pray for their safe move. Their new address is: 97 Wildwood Crescent, Brockville, ON K6V 0A9 We will miss you!

Thank you to all the ladies under Elaine Foster’s leadership who helped make our Christmas dinner a delightfully, tasty success. **Also Thank you** to the Décor Team under Amy Loewen’s leadership which includes the Youth Group for making it look like Christmas.

Gaensler Christmas Open House: Dec. 7th from 5 – 10:00 p.m. We would like to show our love and appreciation. Get to know us better too! We live at 48 Merrick St. in Smiths Falls behind the Independent Grocer.

Christmas Musical “Candy Cane Lane” ~ Sunday, December 16th at 6:30 p.m. There will be fellowship following the musical. Please bring a plate of finger food to share.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service is at 7 p.m. Please speak to Bethany Hannah if you would like to be involved in providing music, reading or lighting candles. Email Bethany at bhannah84@gmail.com.

Facebook Page: Amy Loewen is the administrator. Please pass any information on to her that you would like to post.

Are you enjoying RightNow Media? This rich internet video resource covers a multitude of Christian themes. Contact Pastor Greg.

Interested in becoming a member of our church? Membership classes will be starting soon. Contact Pastor Greg at 613-283-6474

PRAYER CORNER ~ PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- **Alex Loewen** – Back in Australia with YWAM
- **Brittany Blair** with YWAM Gold Coast for six months bblair@redeemer.ca
- **Inez Malloy** suffered a stroke please pray for healing and for her family.
- **John and Linda Davison** – pray for their safe and successful move to Brockville.
- For prayer requests & praise reports email Melanie Coker at ppatcbc@gmail.com



Sermon Notes

The LORD is My Light

Texts: Psalm 27:1 & John 8:12

- Have you ever been afraid of the dark?
- Psalm 27:1
- John 8:12

Looking at the Light

1. Light is a _____ (John 8:12a)

- Is Jesus revealing areas in your life that need to be surrendered to Him?

2. Light is a _____ (v. 12b)

- John 14:6
- Is it time to get back on the right path? Confess your sins and your need for Jesus to lead you!

3. Light is a _____ (v. 12c)

- Ephesians 5:8-10

Conclusion

- Are you afraid of the dark?

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