

Call To Worship:

Light The Advent Candle Vs 1

***Light the Advent candle, one; Now the waiting has begun;
We have started on our way, Time to think of Christmas
day.***

Refrain:

***Candle, candle, burning bright, shining in the cold winter
night;***

***Candle, candle, burning bright, Fill our hearts with
Christmas light.***

Prayer of Approach

Hymn of Praise: VU 2 Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Special Music by Sarah Myers (Silent Night)

Children's Story Time & The Lord's Prayer

Sunday School Offering: Garrett King, Ruthie VanRooyen

Children's Hymn: SJ 69 Let's Get Ready

Scripture Lessons:

New Testament Lesson Genesis 42:29-43:15 (Pg. 70-2)

 Luke 21:25-36 (Pg. 1636)

Responsive Reading Psalm 25:1-10 (Pg. 863)

Glory be to the Father & to the Son & to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be.

World without end Amen

**Sermon: Jesus Came To Give Hope That We Can Change
& Grow!**

Offering

**Special Music by Sarah Myers (Candle on the Water & I
See the Light)**

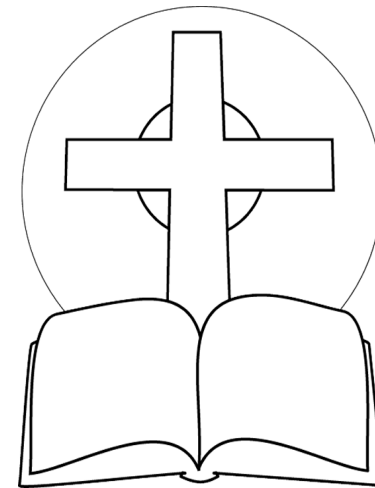
***Offertory: Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye Heavenly Host
Praise Father Son & Holy Ghost***

Hymn: VU 29 Hark The Glad Sound

Prayers of the People for Needs

Hymn: VU 1 O Come O Come Emmanuel

Benediction: Amen Amen Amen



Cairo Announcements - December 2

Cairo Celebrates!

Today, we welcome Sarah Myers and invite everyone to stay for another excellent pot luck lunch afterwards. Sarah has 2 CD's for sale at \$15 each with all proceeds going to Ruth's Place.

Cairo Dedication - Next Week

Next Sunday, December 9th will be the dedication service for the new pew cushions in memory of Lorna King.

Fundscrip Order is **next week** and it will be delivered by the following Friday. This is a great way to Christmas shop for students. Make cheques payable to Hope United church and send with Rev. Jim.

Joint Sunday School Offering - Today

The joint Sunday School and congregational offering collected today will be in support of the Make-A-Wish Foundation. Please help the Sunday School as they share holiday magic with some very deserving children. Today's offering will be collected by Garrett and Ruthie,

Advent Music Night - Today at 4:30 starting with a pot luck dinner followed by music at St. John's Aghrim church hall.

Old Fashioned Christmas Concert - December 9 at 6:30 PM at Hope

Christmas Caroling - December 16 at 2 PM at the Alvinston downtown Gazebo

Christmas Open House at the Manse - December 21 at 7:30 PM at 3154 River Street in Alvinston

Christmas Eve at Cairo

Christmas Eve Service will be at 6:30 PM

HAM Summer Camp Fund Raiser - January 19

This is to solicit performers with a 3 to 8 minute act who would like to perform at the BAICC at 7 PM on January 19. Please contact Chuck Baresich if you are interested in participating. Several have already signed-up!

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