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Today's Worship Service – Sunday, December 15 - 10:45 AM



## **Call to Worship**

"Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord." - Luke 2:10

# **Order of Service**

Welcome & Announcements ~ Joel Hartung Advent Readers: Darrell and Elaine Kehler Sunday School Presentation Scripture Reading: Luke 2:1-11 ~ Carl Doerksen Message: Advent - JOY ~Pastor Ernie Message Discussion Worship Singing Closing Prayer

Text 204-408-5537 with questions/comments about today's message

## **Prayer Focus**

#### JOY

-Pray that we would experience the Joy of Christ in this season -Pray that we can be the Joy in this dark world

# This Week at EFC

December 15-21, 2024

#### <u>Thursday</u>

**10:00 am** Seniors' Connection followed by lunch. Cost \$10.

#### <u>Friday</u>

7:30 pm - 9:30 pm Men's Ministry Praise And Prayer Stump Event Music by the Church's own "Oversized Trio" Talk to Mike Koop or Joel Hartung if you have guestions.

#### Next Sunday

9:00 am Coffee & Morning Prayer9:45 am Sunday School10:45 am Worship Service

## Upcoming

Dec 19 (Thurs) 6:45 - 7:15 pm EFC will be Christmas carolling at RestHaven. Harold Fields will share a Christmas chalk talk with the residents. Come and join us! Sign up on the poster in the foyer or just show up!

## **Christmas Services**

Dec 22 - 10 am -No Sunday School or Children's Church

Dec 24 – 7 pm Christmas Eve Service

Dec 29 - 10 am -No Sunday School or Children's Church

# Worship in Giving

EFC is able to exist and minister in our community only because of the generous and faithful donations from our congregation. Thank you for your faithful giving! Donations can be deposited in the offering box in the foyer. As well, donations can also be given via online donation and e-Transfer. For more information on giving options, please visit efchurch.ca/give

## Communicating

Yearend Reports & Budget requests (with breakdowns) are due <u>Today!!</u> Please email to: <u>office@efchurch.ca</u> -Send Elder nominations to: <u>elders@efchurch.ca</u>

**Children's Ministry** is still looking for another teacher to co-teach for grades 4-6 boys. Please talk to Faith Siemens if you are able to help.

#### THANK-YOU! THANK-YOU!

THANK-YOU, for generously supporting EFC Youth in our Abundant Springs Lunch! We are blown away that over \$4000 was raised. This is ALL thanks to this church family!

**Reminder to our beverage drinkers** Please use cups/containers that have lids when you are on the church main level.

#### Snow removal

EFC is looking for someone to shovel the entrances and walkway. Please contact one of the trustees: Dwayne, Bob, Ray, or Colin if interested.



New to EFC? Scan the code to fill out this digital contact

card and we will connect with you

An Advent Devo series will be posted every week on our EFC website

**Baptism/Membership** classes begin in the new year. If you are interested connect with one of our pastors