

LOOKING AHEAD

Sun., Jan. 1, 2023 <i>New Year's Day</i>	— 10:30 am 11:00 am	No Worship Service at First Mennonite Church Foothills Mennonite Church Worship Service Trinity Mennonite Church Worship Service
Sun., Jan. 8, 2023	10:00 am 11:00 am	Sunday School for ages - preschool to adult Worship Service with Communion - Pastor Caleb
Fri., Jan. 20, 2023	—	Annual Reports due no later than today
Sat., Feb. 11, 2023	9:00 am	First Mennonite Church Annual General Meeting

BEYOND FIRST MENNONITE

Merry Christmas from Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Alberta! From our offices to your home, we wish you and your loved ones a very Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Calling all Canadian University and College students! The Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Peace and Justice Student Seminar is happening from March 9 - 11, 2023 in Ottawa. The deadline to apply is February 14, 2023. For more information/to apply: mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events

CALGARY FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2022



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DECEMBER 25, 2022

CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM

Gathering

Christmas greeting of one another

Hymn of Gathering O Come, All Ye Faithful (VT #241)

Welcome and Call to Worship

Scripture Reading Luke 2: 1 - 20

Praising

Hymn What Child Is this (VT #267)

Reading from the Prophets Isaiah 9: 2 - 7
Teyo Kostanecki

Hymn Infant Holy, Infant Lowly (VT #243)

Proclaiming

Message Pastor Caleb

Responding

Hymn It Came upon a Midnight Clear (VT #248)
vv. 1, 2, 3, 4

Sharing Our Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

Sending

Benediction

Hymn Good Christian Friends, Rejoice (VT #261)

Worship Leader: Moni Janssen
Accompanist: Caleb Kowalko

PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

*Please contact the church office
for the redacted Notes.*

Continue to pray for all those for whom this will be the first Christmas without their loved one.

*Merry
Christmas*

HERE AT FIRST MENNONITE

One of our Christmas Banquet guests lost a substantial amount of cash when it must have fallen out of their pocket during or after the Banquet. If you found paper money either on the floor of the church or in the parking lot, please contact the Church Administrator to reunite the lost cash with our banquet guest.

There will not be a Worship Service here at Calgary First Mennonite Church (FMC) next Sunday, January 1, 2023. We encourage you to worship along side our brothers and sisters on January 1; either at:

Foothills Mennonite Church at 10:30 am

or

Trinity Mennonite Church at 11:00 am

Pastor Caleb will be on vacation December 26 - 30. Pastoral concerns during this time should be directed to our Deacons: Nathan Burgess, Bernie Feddema, Richard Gorecki, Ruth Griffeth, or Kelly Janz.

The First Mennonite Church Annual General Meeting (AGM)
will take place on Saturday, February 11, 2023 at 9:00 am.

Each Ministries' Annual Report should be emailed to the church office no later than Friday, January 20 for compilation, printing, and distribution, per our Bylaw requirements, in advance of the AGM.

Please email your Annual Reports in Arial font, point size 12 to the church office at:
info@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca