The Church Gathers for Worship

Sunday, November 29, 2026, 10:30 am

~ 1st Sunday of Advent ~ HOPE ~

*Please stand, as you are able

Prelude — Dr. Heather Price

Gathering Music: *Emmanuel, Holy Forever (Christmas)* — Rosanne McClare, Jacky Ogwal, Paul Dunn

Welcome — Eveline DeSchiffart

A Celebration of Our Life and Work Together

*Responsive Call to Worship:

Leader: The night is far gone; the day is near. We stand on the threshold of a new season, watching and waiting for the light to break through.

People: We gather in hope, trusting in the promises of God.

Leader: When the world feels weary and the shadows grow long, we lift our eyes to the One who comes to make all things new.

People: Wake us from our sleep, O Lord, and keep our hearts alert.

Leader: Come, let us walk in the light of the Lord, preparing the way for Christ, our hope and our salvation.

All: Come, let us worship and praise the Lord!

*Gathering Hymn: *O Come O Come, Emmanuel* #1 VU vv 1,2,5,6,7

Opening Prayer

KidzQuire: *The King is Coming* (arr. J Rouse)
We Shall Prepare (J. Vogt)

Advent Candle: **Lighting the Candle of Hope** — Margaret & Emmanuel Mensah & Family

Advent Response: *We Shall Prepare* (J. Vogt) v1

EDGE Moment — Cathy Murimboh

*Hymn of Response: *Down to Earth, As a Dove* #42 VU

Offering of our Gifts

*Offertory: *In the Bleak Mid-Winter* #55 VU, v4

Prayer for the Offering

Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:3-9 — Dorothy King

Reflection: **God Will Do This!** — Rev. Dr. Helen Chan

Pastoral Prayer — Jacky Ogwal, Jennifer Longley, Rev. Dr. Helen Chan

Final Hymn: *People Look East* #9 VU, vv 1,2,4,5

*Benediction

Choral Blessing: *My Friends, May You Grow in Grace*

Postlude — Dr. Heather Price

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At Wolfville Baptist, Nov 29–Dec 5, 2026

Barry Whatley's Advent Bible Study: CANCELLED for this Sunday

Advent Breakfast and Crafts: Sunday, Nov 29, 9am, Lower Hall

Sunday Worship: In-person & online services at 10:30am. Go to www.wolfvillebaptist.ca for the weekly YouTube link.

Valley Mission Church (in Korean): Sundays, 3pm, Sanctuary

Valley of Hope: Sundays, 8pm, Sanctuary

Monday Song Worship: Mondays, 6pm, Sanctuary

Alcoholics Anonymous: Tuesdays, 10am, Parlour

Alpha: Tuesdays, 6:30pm, Vestry

Miriam Ross ABW: Wednesday, Dec 2, 2pm, Parlour

Friendly Fellowship: Thursdays, 10am, Parlour

Sanctuary Choir: Thursdays, 6:30pm, Sanctuary

Cantata Choir: Thursdays, 7:30pm, Sanctuary

Men's Vocal Ensemble: Friday, Dec 4, 1:30pm, Sanctuary

kidzQuire: Fridays, 3:30pm, Sanctuary

EDGE Youth Group: Fridays, 6:30pm, Room 23

Facilitated Session with Dr. Mark Jefferson: Saturday, Dec 5, 10am, Lower Hall

Praise & Worship Team: Saturdays, 4pm, Sanctuary

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