

# Worship Service

## December 15, 2024

Prelude  
Welcome

Song VT 11 *Mountain of God*

Third Candle Lighting

Reflection

Songs VT214 *Savior of the Nations Come!*  
VT 236 *Creator of the Stars of Night* (vv1-3, 6)

Reconciling VT 893

Offering

Scripture - Isaiah 11:1-9  
Meditation

Song VT 212 *Comfort, Comfort, O My People*

Response and Sharing  
Prayer

Announcements

Sending song VT 838 *The Peace of the Earth Be with You*

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Worship leader – Kevin Driedger Message – Kevin Drudge  
Accompanist – Betty Enns

### This Sunday

9:45 Adult Education class: *Stuck Together* chapter 12

11:00 Worship service

Noon Potluck lunch

### This week

Monday 7:00 pm - Contemplative prayer at the church

Thursday 9:30am – Executive meeting at church

### Ahead at Covenant

Tues. Dec. 24, 10:00 pm *Christmas Eve* worship service

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Monday Dec. 30, 5:30 pm

FOOD: bring an *appetizer* tray; beverages provided

GIFT: bring a *wrapped, used book* to contribute  
to the gift exchange

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### Mennonite Church Manitoba (MCM)

#### ***Pray for our Congregations - Springstein Mennonite Church***

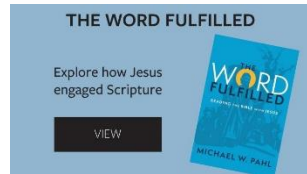
Pray for us now and into the New Year as we continue to connect with our community through: Kids Club, Youth Group, Pickleball, Floor Hockey, Community Club, Blanket Making (MCC), COOL Field (Foodgrains Bank) and Bridge of Hope (Ukraine Furniture Project).

### Mennonite Central Committee (MCC)

This [Christmas](#), choose gifts that change lives. We invite you to explore all the ways that you can share gifts of comfort and joy for the world with [MCC's Christmas Giving Guide](#)! Visit [mcc.org/Christmas](http://mcc.org/Christmas) to see what gifts would delight your loved ones and inspire them to see the change they could spark across the globe.

## CommonWord Bookstore (at CMU)

### **Featured resource: *The Word Fulfilled* by Michael Pahl**



What does it mean to follow Jesus in the way we read Scripture? As Christians, we want to follow Jesus in his teachings and way of life, which were significantly shaped by his reading of the Jewish Scriptures. By exploring how Jesus engaged the Scriptures, we can learn better how we should read our Bibles

today

– following Jesus in the way we read our foundational text. By Mennonite Church Manitoba’s Executive Minister, Michael Pahl. Buy or borrow – <https://www.commonword.ca/go/3820>.



## Advent Messages

### *Isaiah - Oracles of Longing*

- Dec 1 The mountain of the Lord - Isaiah 2:2-3
- Dec 8 Swords into plowshares - Isaiah 2:4
- Dec 15 The wolf and the lamb – Isaiah 11:4-6
- Dec 22 The virgin is with child – Isaiah 7:14
- Dec 24, 10:00pm Christmas Eve service

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