

9:30 **SUNDAY SCHOOL****10:30** **WORSHIP SERVICE****Prelude****Invocation****Welcome & Announcements****Praising**

Invitation to Worship

Gathering Prayer

Song: *Here in this place*

HWB#6

Song: *Praise the Lord, sing hallelujah*

HWB#50

Children's Time

Dismissal for Junior Church

Offering

Scripture reading: Ezekiel 37:1-14

Song: *Kyrie eleison*

HWB#144

Engaging

Reflection: Lament

Question: What do you lament?

Song: *From the depths of sin*

HWB#136

Reflection: Restoration

Question: What do you long to be restored?

Song: *Breathe on me, breath of God* (v. 1-3)

HWB#356

Reflection: New Life

Question: What are your hopes and dreams?

Song: *In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful*

Voices Together insert

Sending

Sharing and Prayer

Song: *Awake, arise, O sing a new song*

HWB#56

Farewell Blessing

Preacher: Anita Schroeder Kipfer**Worship Leader:** Mary Martin**Musicians:** Barb Draper, Mary Frey Martin, Julia Schroeder Kipfer,
Vernelda Weber**Church Greeters Today:** Orville & Mary Martin**Church Greeters Next Week:** Richard & Norma Bauman**Coffee Hosts:** Laurel & Gerald Martin

Children of all ages are invited to Jr. Church. We ask that parents/guardians accompany very young children as needed.

An unstaffed nursery is available during the worship service.

The sermon portion of this worship service is being videotaped and

put on our website. The complete service is shared only with subscribers to the Floradalian mailing group. If for any reason you would not like a portion of the service to be included, please contact the AV person.

A warm welcome to our visitors this morning.

We hope our time of worship together has been an encouragement to you.

God bless you and we hope to see you again!

Christian Education Options – 9:30 Sunday mornings

- Adult Bible Study – boardroom
- Drawing class – Room 12
- Christian Education Variety - Room 9

Christian Education Variety Schedule**Today - Local heroes of faith - Elmeta Bowman****Nov. 24 - Local heroes of faith - Martin & Selina Frey****THIS WEEK AT FMC****Jim will be away starting Sunday and returning Wednesday p.m.****Today – 11:45-12:30 – Choir Practice** – multi-purpose room**Tuesday – December calendar items due to the office.****Wednesday – 6:30 – Church Council****Thursday – 7:00 – Hopping Thursday** – children's program for SK-Gr. 8**Saturday – 7:00 – Songs of Advent and the Birth of Jesus with John B.**

Miller & Friends. Featuring Steve Martin, Donna McLellan, Joe Orlando and Andrea Weber Steckly. A \$10 cash donation is appreciated at the door. For more information see www.johnbmiller.ca.

Sunday – 10:30 – Jim Loepp Thiessen preaching: Blessed are those who mourn? Navigating our grief. There will be an opportunity to remember deceased loved ones.

LOOKING AHEAD AT FMC**Nov. 29 – 8:00 – Men's breakfast at Crossroads**

Nov. 30 – 12:00 noon – Area Seniors Fellowship Christmas Banquet at FMC. Entertainment: Chord Spinners Chorus. Ticket Required: \$25 per person can be purchased from Darrell and Florence Jantzi.

Dec. 4 - Women's Fellowship Christmas Banquet at Bonnie Lou's Café. Punch at 6:00 pm with dinner to follow. RSVP to Karen Bender, Norma Bauman or Bonnie Martin. Cost is \$25.00.

ADDITIONAL FMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Community Christmas Carol Sing** will take place at Woodside on the evening of Dec. 8. **Practices will be Sundays after church from 11:45-12:30 in the multi-purpose room, beginning today.** See Merri-Lee after the service today if you would like copies of the music.

Thank you to our church family for your love and support when my brother Clayton passed away. It is a great comfort to be around people who care. God's blessings to you all. **Melinda & Homer Martin**



Advent and Christmas Services

Saturday November 23 at 7:00 p.m.

“Songs of Advent and the Birth of Jesus” with John B. Miller & Friends at FMC. A \$10 cash donation is appreciated at the door. Please join us after the concert for hot chocolate and cookies.

Sunday December 1 at 7:00 p.m.

Gale Presbyterian Church, 10 Barnswallow Dr., Elmira. For many people this is a difficult time of year because of a loss – the death of a loved one, the loss of a job, the loss of health, an unhealed relationship, or past or present hurts. This is a special invitation to you to attend a quiet, reflective service which offers comfort and hope.

Sunday, December 8 at 7:00 p.m.

Community Christmas Choral Celebration at Woodside Bible Fellowship, 200 Barnswallow Dr., Elmira. Elmira and District Church choirs join together and share a joyful evening of anthems and carolling. Bring your voices and join in this festive holiday tradition.

Christmas Eve at 7:00 p.m. – Join us at FMC for Christmas Eve Service.

LOOKING AHEAD in the COMMUNITY

November 21- 7:30-8:30 am - Please join us for the **MEDA Waterloo**

Network Hub breakfast at Fresh Ground Café, 256 King St. E., Kitchener, ON. We will hear from Joe and Stephanie Mancini from the Working Centre who will share about their new project, the Water Street House. Payment will be accepted at the event (cash payment preferred); \$15 adults / \$10 students. No RSVP required.

November 27 – 7:00 p.m. – **Schneider Male Chorus in concert with King**

Street Brass present “Spirit of the Season” at First United Church, 16 William St. W., Waterloo. Tickets: Adults \$20, students \$15, children 12 and under free. To book online: www.schneidermalechorus.ca

November 30 – 7:00 p.m. (Doors open at 6pm) - **The Skit Guys**, very well

known throughout the USA and Canada for their comedy will be at the International Gospel Center, 35 Charles St. E, Kitchener. Tommy Woodard and Eddie James are The Skit Guys and have been best friends since high school. Think of them as the wise guys in class who had everyone laughing and managed to make a career out of it. They've been teaching God's word using comedy and drama for over twenty years and we're excited to have them. \$20/person - Tickets required and may be purchased online at www.gospelcentre.net

See announcement sheet for other announcements.



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