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## *Third Sunday in Advent* *December 11, 2022*

*Masks are optional.*



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**FAVOURITE HYMNS:**

Let Pastor know your favourite hymns by writing them on the pink slips of paper provided in the pews and place them on the offering plate.

**Logan Acolyte**    **Dec. 11:** Macie Russwurm  
                          **Dec. 18:** Cole Broughton

**Office hours:** **Monkton** – Wed. & Fri.: 8 – 12  
                          **Tavistock** – Sunday: 3 – 4

**Logan Office hours** will be by appointment only. Please feel free to give Pastor a call if you wish to meet with him and he will be more than willing to set up a time whenever it is most convenient.

**Pastor Ballenthin** will be leading a Bible Study at Logan in the basement on Wednesday mornings at 10:00 am. All are welcome.

**Bible Study in Tavistock** at 3pm in the church sanctuary.

**Lutheran Hour** for next Sunday morning, Dec. 18:

**"Gestures of Hope"** Lutheran Hour Speaker:

Dr. Michael Zeigler shows how even the smallest acts of kindness can go a long way, by God's grace.

(Isaiah 7:14) Hear this inspirational message on 820 CHAM at 8am or 920 CKNX at 9am next Sunday morning. Streaming audio and podcasts at [www.lutheranhour.ca](http://www.lutheranhour.ca)

**Redeemer Financial News:** 2022 has seen a reduction in offerings. We are called to be good stewards of God's gifts. (Matthew 25:14-30) The Lord provides all that His family - His Church - needs to preach, teach, and administer His sacraments. He does so by blessing His people with resources to share with the Church and by giving them generous and willing hearts to support His work in our midst. (Acts 20:35) Based on the gift each one has received, use it to serve others, as good managers of the varied grace of God. (1 Peter 4:10)

Please prayerfully consider how the Lord has richly blessed you and as you are able, increase your offerings accordingly.

May He so continue to bless us here now in this time of need so that we can continue to be a gathering of God's people for years to come.

**Upcoming Events:**

**December Services**    **9:30 am - Logan**  
                                  **11:00 am - Redeemer**

**Christmas Eve Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>:**

Logan Candlelight Communion at 7:00 pm

Redeemer Candlelight Communion at 8:30 pm

**Christmas Day:**

**JOINT** Worship at Logan at 10:30 am