Advent, Christmas, & Epiphany

Nov 2016 - Jan 2017

We are not alone

We live in God's world

We believe in God
Who has created
& is creating
Who came in Jesus,
The word made flesh
To reconcile & make new
Who works in us
& others
By the Spirit

We trust in God.

We are called to be the church:

To celebrate God's presence

To live with respect in creation

To seek justice and resist evil

To proclaim Jesus, Crucified & risen Our judge & our hope

In life, in death, In life beyond death

We are not alone,

Thanks be to God

A New Creed (1968 & 1982)
United Church of Canada

Foothills United Church

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Advent, Christmas, Epiphany at Foothills United



Beginnings & Endings

We're ending 70 years here: dedicated to God in 1946!

We're beginning a new year:
rededicating ourselves to share:
secure sanctuary
service & study
celebration

Foothills United Church Nov 2016 to Feb 2017 www.foothillsunitedchurch.org

Share

11:30am Every Sunday Coffee & Visiting after Worship

Office Hours Weekly Tues-Fri 10:30am -12:30pm

Food Bank Depot Weekly Tues Wed Fri 9-11:30am

AA 'West End Step & Tradition'
7pm every Saturday

Craft Sale Sat Nov 26, 10am-4pm

Ladies Advent Potluck Tues Nov 29, 5:30pm

KD Lunch for Kids Wed Nov 30

UCW Christmas Supper Sat Dec 3, 6pm

Festival of Christmas Music Sat Dec 17, 2pm

AA Christmas Supper Sat Dec 17, 6pm

Angels of Hope & Light Sun Dec 18, 7pm

Christmas Eve for All Sat Dec 24, 7pm

Christmas Day & New Year's Day Sun Dec 25 & Sun Dec 31 WE ARE OPEN, 9:30am TO NOON!

Worship

10:15am Prelude Music 10:30am Sunday Worship Noon-12:30 Organ Recitals

Advent

Nov 27: Advent 1 - Hope
Buy-Nothing Sunday
Dec 4: Advent 2 - Peace
Communion Sunday
Dec 11: Advent 3 - Joy
Human Rights Sunday
Dec 18: Advent 4 - Love
Carols & Lessons
Angels of Hope & Light
7pm Dec 18, for those feeling loss

Christmas

Dec 24: 7pm Christmas Eve Service for all ages Dec 25: 10:30am Christmas Day Where 2 or 3 are gathered...

Epiphany

Jan 1: New Year's Day
Chaplain Arnie Chamberlain leads
Jan 8: Epiphany Communion
Matthew's Magi
Jan 15: Christian Unity 1
Mending the World
Jan 22: Christian Unity 2
Ecumenical Guest
Jan 29 Lay Sunday
Lay Speaker
Feb 5 Communion
Annual Congregational Meeting

Study

Weekly Bible Study Noon Thurs

Come look at Sunday's scripture In the Minister's Study with Bill

Daily Online Study Read and/or listen daily

www.hereticslikeus.com

Matthew's "Family Christmas" Nov 27 to Dec 31

Why have Christmas, in this gospel?

Genesis: Generations
Jan 1 to Feb 28

A chapter a day, in 1000 word notes

Marthew's "Big Tent Gospel"

Mar 1 Ash Wed to Apr 16 Easter

Lent study 2017

If I/We Die? When I/We Do!

Sun Jan 15 1-3pm Repeated Mon Jan 16, 7-9pm Ensure your patient's rights!

Foothills 2020

Sat Jan 28 9am-noon

Foresight to 2020, with 20:20 hindsight What to conserve from 2017 to 2020 Can't come? Complete a survey, Then attend Feb 5 ACM!

Sermon Notes:

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