

Bay Roberts Seventh-day Adventist Church

Our Church At Worship

December 20, 2025

Family Christmas Program



Music Prelude		
Welcome		Pastor Leif Koester
Opening Prayer		Abegail Koester
Congregational Hymn	Joy to the World	Hymn #125
Scripture Reading	Luke 2: 1-20	Celene Biggs
	Angels We Have Heard on High	Church Group
Offering	Church Budget	
	Mary Did You Know	Svjatlana Stagg
	Hark the Herald Angels Sing	Eden Chafe
	In the Bleak Midwinter	Paul & Anne
	Away in a Manger	Isaac Chafe
Story	A Christmas Truce of 1918	Eden Chafe
	Silent Night	Abegail Koester
Story	Christmas Long Ago	Jane Smallwood
	Jesus Loves Me	Haven Chafe
Homily of Hope		Pastor Leif Koester
	Christmas Hallelujah	Church Group
Music Postlude		Instrumental

Sunset: This Week: 4:13 pm. Next Week: 4:17 pm.

This Sabbath: Deacon: Lamonte Stagg

Next Sabbath: Sermon: Pastor Leif Koester
Offering: Newfoundland Advance
Deacon: Albert Wilson

Announcements

Happy Sabbath! Welcome to our church service today. At this special season of the year, it is our prayer that we will be able to see and understand the amazing truth of the incarnation of Christ a little more. God bless you as you worship!

Sabbath Reflection: "The story of Bethlehem is an exhaustless theme. In it is hidden "the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God." Romans 11:33. We marvel at the Saviour's sacrifice in exchanging the throne of heaven for the manger, and the companionship of adoring angels for the beasts of the stall. Human pride and self-sufficiency stand rebuked in His presence." **A Call To Stand Apart** Pg. 6 E.G. White

Do you have a Prayer request? Please write your request on the prayer card provided and place in the Prayer box on the guest table.

Please remember to silence your mobile devices during Sabbath School and Worship Service to avoid unnecessary distractions. Thank-you.

This Sabbath our church is hosting a very special Christmas Inspired Worship Service. All are invited to a Fellowship meal following the Service.

All are invited to join us at 2:00 pm this afternoon at the Bay Roberts Retirement Centre for special program for the residents.

Donation Deadline: December 31 is the last date for tithes and offerings to be included on your 2025 charitable donations receipt for tax purposes.

Starting Monday, January 12th, our midweek Bible Study will transition to a special island-wide Zoom series on the Book of Revelation. This Mission-led study will be held weekly at 7:00 pm. Information on how to join will be provided soon.

1st Quarter Church Participation Schedules will be available next Sabbath.

O'Shaugnessy House are accepting the following items: Toiletries, personal care items, throw blankets, bath towels, twin sheet sets, pajamas, slippers, Christmas treats and crafts and small gift cards. For more information contact Debbie Marsh.

For any concerns, inquiries, or pastoral support please contact Pastor Leif Koester by calling 680-7789 or email lkoester@nladventist.ca.

AdventistGiving allows you to return your tithe and offerings anytime online via your computer or mobile device. Visit www.bayrobertssda.org and click Online Giving link.

Thank you for remembering our Community Food Bank via the basket in the foyer.

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Remember in Prayer: Laura Swain's family as they grieve; Marjorie Gosse, Justina Stagg, Brian Farewell, Gerry Harlos, Pastor Leif & Abegail and their ministry; Our shut-in members; for those convalescing at home and in hospitals; for those lonely and grieving; for the Lord's leading in our lives and in our church; church leaders at all levels; For a strong, focus on ministry!