

## Service Information

### We Sing God's Praises (Old Books)

- 114 "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus"  
123 "Infant Holy, Infant Lowly"  
113 "Hail to the Lord's Anointed"  
116 "O Come, O Come Emmanuel"

### We Read God's Word

Our Reader today is Peter Lukey

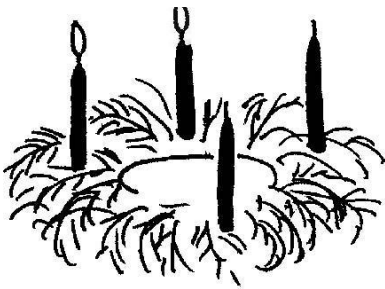
Responsive: Selection # 654

### Scripture Lessons:

- Isaiah 40:6-11 (p. 627 in O.T.)  
John 1:1-14 (p. 79 in the N.T.)

### The Message Today:

"Peace Proclaimed"



*Come  
let us  
Worship*

Welcome to the fellowship of Alberton Church. Today your contributions of non-perishable food items will be shared in our community via Neighbour to Neighbour.

Please join us for coffee in Johnston Hall following the service.

We welcome Annette Colenbrander who is the pianist for our service.

We will be having a service at 7 pm on Christmas Eve. Please invite your friends and neighbours to join us for that service. We will sing the familiar carols and read the Christmas story from the scriptures.



**Alberton Presbyterian Church  
Alberton, Ontario**

**Advent II  
December 10, 2017**

## Our Order of Service

### Instrumental Opening Praise

- Greetings and Announcements
- \* Call to Worship
- \* Hymn:
  - Prayer of Invocation & Lord's Prayer
- \* Children's Hymn:
  - Children's Time
  - (Final verse as children exit.)

- Prayer
- Scripture:
  - Responsive Reading:
  - Scripture Lessons
- \* Hymn:

Sermon:

- Offering
- \* Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Intercession

- Closing Hymn
- \* Benediction Threefold Amen

"Go Now in Peace"

Go now in peace. Never be afraid.  
God will go with you each hour of every day.  
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.  
Know he will guide you in all you do.  
Go now in love, and show you believe.  
Reach out to others so all the world can see.  
God will be there, watching from above,  
Go now in peace, in faith and in love .

### Instrumental Closing

- \* Congregation Standing

## The Alberton Church

"Reflecting God's glory to others."

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We invite you to visit our website at  
[www.albertonchurch.ca](http://www.albertonchurch.ca)



Alberton Church - Advent 2017  
Sunday at 9:30 am

**December 3<sup>rd</sup> - Hope Restored**  
It's overwhelming when hope becomes dim or is lost. Advent reminds us that hope has been and can be restored.

**December 10<sup>th</sup> - Peace Proclaimed**  
Peace is so elusive in our world and even right around us. Advent is about the recovery of peace in our lives.

**December 17<sup>th</sup> - Joy Renewed**  
The celebration of Advent reminds us that when joy fades it can be renewed.

**December 24<sup>th</sup> - Love Gets Personal**  
Christ's arrival demonstrated how personal love can be.

**Christmas Eve - 7 PM**  
With simplicity we read the familiar story and sing the traditional carols.

**December 31<sup>st</sup> -  
Looking Back & Looking Ahead**

**January 7<sup>th</sup>. 2018.**  
We mark Epiphany - the visit of the Magi to the Christ child.