

# Queensway Free Methodist Church



**Pastor Brian Hornibrook**

**4397 Dorchester Road**

**Niagara Falls, ON.**

**(905)356-7800**

**queenswayfmc@gmail.com**

**queenswayfmc.ca**

**Also find us on YouTube & Facebook**

**We are so glad you are here!**

**We exist to know Jesus intimately,  
and to make Him known.**

**May God grant His abundant blessing upon you.**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent December 15, 2024**

**Prayer on Entering the House of the LORD**

LORD God You are our strength and our song; You have given us victory. With joy we drink deeply from the fountain of salvation!

Let all God's people shout His praise with joy! For great is the Holy One of Israel who lives among us. Amen.

Welcome & Prayer	Pastor Brian
Worship Leaders	Fim, Sheila, Brian
Songs of Worship	<i>Hope of Israel</i> <i>What Child is This?</i> <i>All the World Awaits</i>
Morning Prayer	Monique
Announcements and Praise Moments, Offering & Kid's Church	
Scripture Reading	Wayne Isaiah 12:1 – 6 ~ pg. 1067
Song of Worship	<i>Joy to the World</i>
Message	Pastor Brian "The Advent of Joy"
Closing Song of Worship	<i>In the Bleak Mid-Winter</i>
Head Usher / Greeters	Claude / Tom & Jan
Sound / PP	Howard / Shawn

Please join us following worship this morning in the hall downstairs for Birthday Cake, refreshments and fellowship.

We'd love to see you.

This week's host is **Charles and Elaine**.

## **Birthday Celebrations for December**

Please join us for a piece of birthday cake following worship and to wish a Happy Birthday to those celebrating a birthday this month: Tom; Martina; and Susan Stead

### **We are glad you're here!**

It is our joy to extend a warm welcome to all who are joining us for worship this morning. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we would be delighted if you would fill out one of the welcome cards so we may acknowledge your visit.

## **This Week in the Life of Queensway**

**Secretary Office Hours:** Wednesday & Friday 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

**Pastor Brian's Hours:**

**Days Off:** Monday & Saturday

**Office Hours:** Tuesday to Friday 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

\* If you need to reach Pastor Brian on his days off or when he's on holiday, please contact Ros Croucher at 289-968-4735 or via email: [rosalindmcroucher@gmail.com](mailto:rosalindmcroucher@gmail.com). Thank you.

## **Queensway Family Prayer Focus**

This week's prayer focus is **Shawn George**; please remember him as you pray for our Queensway family.

## **Free Methodist Church Prayer Focus**

This week's prayer focus is **Cole Lake FMC**, Godfrey ON. – Please pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ as the PLTF discerns God leading for them during this season of transition, and as they prepare their congregation profile.

## **Pastoral Concerns**

For any Pastoral concerns, please contact Pastor Brian at 289-547-7103 or [pastorbrianqfmc@gmail.com](mailto:pastorbrianqfmc@gmail.com)

## **Prayer Chain**

If you would like something placed on our prayer chain, please contact Judy Dow.

## **Prayer Meeting**

**Tuesday at 7 p.m.**

**Via Zoom**

Contact Judy Dow

## **Hybrid Bible Study**

**We'll be taking a break until the New Year**

Contact Pastor Brian

## **The Live Nativity is Coming!**

Spread the word! The Live Nativity is next Sunday, Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup> from 12:30 – 4:30. The sign-up sheet is in the Welcome Center. We are looking forward to another great year of this gift/outreach to the community.

## **Food Pantry**

In partnership with Niagara Worship Centre, we are collecting items for their Food Pantry. Their most requested items are breakfast cereal, peanut butter, pasta, canned foods, granola bars, juice boxes and fruit cups. Please place grocery items in the crate located in the upper lobby here at QFMC. Thank you for your generosity as you give over the next several weeks.

## **Socks & Mittens for the Soup Kitchen**

Niagara Falls Community Outreach, also known as The Soup Kitchen, is requesting donations of good quality socks and mittens which they will give away to clients. Please place items in the bin in the upper lobby at QFMC. Thank you for your kind generosity!

## **Mitten Tree**

In partnership with The Salvation Army, we are collecting mittens, gloves, hats and scarves to help local children keep warm this winter. Please place your items under the Christmas tree in the sanctuary here at QFMC. Thank you for your generosity!

## **Benevolent Fund**

Here at QFMC the Care Commission relies on donations as we assist individuals/families in financial difficulty. If you would like to support the ongoing work of the Care Commission, please mark your envelope Benevolent Fund. Thank you!

## **Peninsula Orchestra Christmas Concert**

As you know, Jan plays cello with the Peninsula Orchestra and they are having a concert on Monday Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. at Trillium United Church, 415 Linwell Road in St. Catherines. Tickets are \$5 at the door.

## **Christmas Eve Service**

We will be celebrating our Saviour's birth on **Christmas Eve, Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.** with a service of Carols and Lessons. We invite you to come and enjoy the beautiful message of Christmas in Word and song. We encourage you to invite family and friends to join you for this wonderful time of worship.