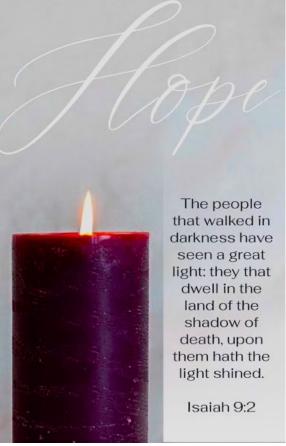
There will be a concert at the Harmony Centre in Owen Sound on Sunday, December 21 at 2:30. The concert is called "Piazzolla and Beyond." The concert will feature performances by Younggun Kim on the piano, Lucia Barcari with the violin, and Amahl Arulanandam playing the cello.

Grey Bruce VON is hosting a 1.5 hour support session called "Grief during the Holidays" on Tuesday, December 16 from 10-11:30 a.m. in Hanover. For more details and to register, call 519-376-5895, ext 2.



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Musical Prelude

Words of Welcome:

Birthdays or Anniversaries:

Announcements:

Advent Reading: Candle of Hope. - John Nixon

Blessing:

Praise and Worship:

Prayer of Adoration and Confession:

Confessional Moment: The Lord's Prayer

Children's Time: The Ten Commandments (Exodus 19, 20)

Children's Music:

Prayer for Guidance from the Holy Spirit:

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 2: 1-5 (NIV)

Sermon



Closing Prayer: "Lord in your mercy ... " & "Hear our prayers"

Offering: "Joyful, joyful" (verse 1)

Dedication: Prayer

Closing Hymn: "Come, Thou long expected Jesus" DB 110

Benedication and verbal amen: Forward in Faith:

The Announcements

Good morning one and all. You are invited downstairs following today's service for a time of refreshment and fellowship.

Our Church's annual Christmas Music Night will be presented this Thursday, December 4 at 7 p.m. The evening will feature local talent. A silent auction will also be taking place with refreshments following the concert. The freewill donations will go to the West Grey Youth Centre.

Many thanks to all who contributed with the Christmas Bazaar yesterday. The success of this event requires much work, many hands and those willing to attend.

Donations of food items, personal hygiene items, and gift cards are being accepted by the Christian Education and Congregational Life Committee as part of a program to help students at three local schools. You will see the Christmas tree at the back of the church along with a list of items needed.

The Bible Study program (BEMA) continues on Wednesday at 6 p.m. Those interested can join any time.

We are planning to participate in the Santa Claus parade this coming Saturday, December 6. Please get in touch with Will (226 974 6265) if you are interested in participating or helping to set it up.

Speaking of the parade, the Durham and District Food Bank will be collecting food donations during the parade. The organization is looking for volunteers to help gather up the donations brought by parade spectators. If you are able to help, please contact Arita Droog, 519-369-6934.

The annual Christmas Luncheon for the ladies of our church is on Monday, December 8 at noon. Anna Hopkins is catering the meal at a cost of \$29 per person. All ladies are welcome to attend and can get a ticket from Rose Patterson, 519-369-3647 or Darlene Hastie, 519-369-3603.

The Truth Seekers will be presenting its Christmas pageant as part of the service on Sunday, December 21.