

December 15th, 2024 ANNOUNCEMENTS for the East Kootenay Lutheran Parish

EKLP serves the communities of Cranbrook, at Mt. Zion Lutheran;
Elkford, at Immanuel Lutheran; Fernie; and Kimberley.

We are CARED FOR AND CARING IN JESUS' NAME.

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Services



Praise God!

We are holding Sunday services at Mt Zion (Cranbrook) at 10:00 am; and at Immanuel (Elkford) at 3:00 pm.

Please Note: *Our face-to-face worship services at Trinity (Fernie) are on hold until further notice. Please join with either our Cranbrook or our Elkford congregations. Please visit our website www.eklutheran.ca for updates on all our locations & inspirational resources.*

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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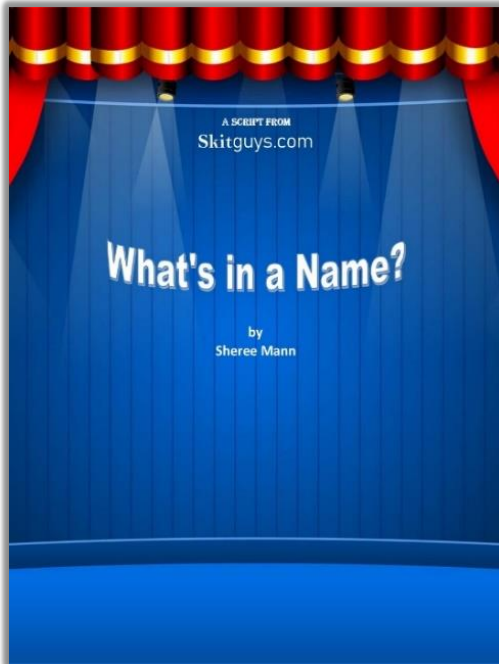
Pastor Gordon Henry has faithfully served over 3 years for the East Kootenay Lutheran Parish and will be Presiding over his Final Service On December 29th before he retires.

Please join us in celebration of this man of God our Father who has taught and inspired so many of us through The Lord, Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit.

Thank you Pastor Gordon Henry for your service.



Christmas Eve Play & Service is Being Held at Mt Zion Lutheran Church December 24th at 7:00 pm.





Please join us for our last Advent Service
As We Explore the Gifts of Hope, Peace,
Joy and Love
The service will be on held December 18th
at 6:30 pm

MT. ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Communion Service:** Being held on December 22nd at 10:00 am.
- **Sunday Prayer Meeting:** In Pastor's office at 9:00 am.
- **There will be no Hot Dog/Friendship Food Bank Sunday in December.**
- **Thursday Prayer Meeting:** Being held at 1:00 pm.
- **Mount Zion Leadership Meeting:** Not being held in December.

Pastor's Schedule

December 15 – Mt Zion 10:00 am Service of Praise {Pastor Josh}

December 15 – IMM No Service

December 22 – Mt Zion 10:00 am Communion Service {Pastor Josh}

December 22 – IMM Christmas Eve candlelight service 3:00 pm {Pastor Josh}

December 24 – Mt Zion Christmas Eve candlelight service 7:00 pm {Pastor Josh}

December 29 – Mt Zion 10:00 am Service of Praise {Pastor Gordon}

December 29 – IMM No Service

Scripture Readings – Sundays

December 15th “Third Sunday in Advent”

Zephaniah 3:14-20, Philippians 4:4-7

December 22nd “Fourth Sunday in Advent”

Micah 5:2-5a, Hebrews 10:5-10

December 29th “First Sunday after Christmas”

Exodus 3:1-3a, 11-15, Colossians 3:12-17



Please pray for: *Gwen M, Marvin and Marilyn B, Marge B, Bill & Bruni L, Penny T, Jill S, Joy M, Colleen B, Elke & Peter H, Brenda & John J, Sheilah M, Irene S*

The EKLP would like to extend our best wishes for a holy and blessed Christmas to everyone. Our wish is that everyone is filled with peace, love and laughter at Christmas and throughout the New Year.

Thank you to all the volunteers within our parish at all our congregations. We are so grateful for how you have served faithfully this past year. Whether it's leading bible studies; serving coffee; setting up for worship; playing music; folding service bulletins, or any one of the countless other (usually unseen) tasks that keep our parish running, we are grateful. Thank you so much for all you do!

The EKLP wishes all of you all the joy in heaven and on earth this festive season! We hope you really celebrate **Christmas** the best way possible.

