

# Welcome to Aldergrove Alliance Church



## Christmas Eve Service

Please join us this Tuesday at 6pm for our Christmas Eve service. Carols, special music and Christmas readings from Matthew and Luke.

## Christmas Hampers

If you would like to prepare and deliver a Christmas hamper to a family that could use a little help this Christmas, please pick up a "suggested" shopping list from the Welcome Centre table in the lobby. Go and shop for your family, deliver the hamper, keep your receipts and AAC will reimburse you. This gives our hamper ministry a relational warmth and touch and opportunity to follow up and care. You can also purchase grocery gift cards and give them to your family/ friend.

## November Financial Report

General Fund: 35,902.75	Budget: 35,759.09
Expenses: 38,608.86	
Variance: (2706.11)	
G.F. Year To Date: 398,291.74	Budget: 393,349.99
Expenses: 404,213.39	
Variance: (5,921.65)	
Benevolence: 1,335.00	Year: 8,645.00
Global Advance: 5,220.00	Year: 34,650.00
(Missions)	

### NEXT SUNDAY AT AAC:

- 9:30-10:15 am Sunday School
- 9:30-10:15 am Singing Class (Gymnasium)
- 9:45-10:15 am Pre-Service Prayer (Room 207)
- 10:30 am Message: "Grumbling or Gratitude" - Pastor Doug (Exodus 15:22-17:7)

# Family News and Events

## Christmas Goodie Bag Thank You

A **BIG** thank you to John and Karen Hait and the Laird family for their help with our Christmas goodie bags. Thank you folks for your help with this important ministry.

## ★ Year End Giving 2019

Please note that to be receipted for 2019 donations you must have your cheque/envelope to the church on Sunday December 29 or to the church office by Tuesday December 31 at 2:00pm so your gift can be recorded and deposited. Any donations received after this date will be recorded as giving for 2020.

If you mail your donation, please note that the envelope must be post-marked 2019 in order for us to record and receipt it. If you mail your donation after that date and the cheque is written with a 2019 date, we will not be able to receipt you. We hope you understand that these are the regulations established by the Canada Revenue Agency which as a registered charity we must abide by and strictly adhere to. Thank you for your understanding and support. We appreciate your gracious generosity to AAC and our ministries.

### Serving you today

Music: Mike, Amaris and Danae Henry

Seeds (0-2): Melissa & Derrick Hait

Sprouts (3-4): Andrea Maxwell; Micah M

Saplings (Gr.K-1): Julia Johannesson

Rooted Kids (Gr.2-6): In the service for "His Name is Jesus"

Coffee: TBA

### Serving you next Sunday

Music: Shane and Tara Moews

Seeds (0-2): Alison and Sarah

Sprouts (3-4): Evelyn Sinclair and Catriona P

Saplings (Gr.K-1): Julia Johannesson

Rooted Kids (Gr.2-6): Pastor Heather; Riley M and Anna D

Coffee: Ruth Finnie

## Praying For Our Church Family

Pray for the AAC board of elders as they meet to conduct AAC business. Pray for wisdom, a real sense of togetherness, for our finances and planning for 2020. The board consists of; Roy Campbell, Dave Hiebert, Alan Radnai, Brian Pederson, Steve Laird, Darryl Loewen and Pastor Doug.

## Praying for Our International Workers



**Silk Road** – Praise God with **Don and Betty** as they celebrate the completion of a Bible translation done in a local dialect. Pray it will open many opportunities for locals to read and understand the Good News. Pray with them as tensions rise around them and as NGOs shut down due to the unrest. Pray for the refugees who depend on these organizations for aid.

**Senegal** - Pray with **Katie Bowler** that Ramona would know that Jesus is more powerful than anything or anyone. Praise God that people were blessed by the women's retreat, the Christmas service, and the seminar on hearing God's voice.

**Asian Spice** – Pray with **Bob and Karin** for the Christmas party with their Rohingya friends. Pray that the love of God and truth of Jesus will be clear to all. Pray that eyes will be opened to spiritual truth that lives will be set free.

**Serbia** – Praise God with **Danny and Vera Kuranji** for the men in the rehab center who are having their lives transformed. Praise God for Dako who, after two years in the program, is not shy any more and is not living in shame.

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**December 22, 2019**

**Message by Amaris Gray &  
the AAC Choir**

*His Name is Jesus*



**Advent**

**The Angel's**

**Candle: Peace**

Our vision is to be a *growing community of believers*  
who *reflect the character of Jesus Christ*  
so that others come to *know and experience God*

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