

## Remember in Prayer

**At Home** Louise Beland, Peter & Bev Dickie, Emerson Graham,  
Bob Handspiker & family, Nicky (Bradley) Lewis,  
Wendy (Carter) Marshall, the Parry family, Rodney Stark,  
Myrtle Theriault, Pam Wood

**Hospital** Maggie Beveridge LaFlair, Sarah Flight, Tracie Shaw

**TVT** Murray Foster, Irma Peck, Reta Thurber, Alfie Warner,  
Amelia Whalley

**Dayton** Marina Outhouse

**Bridgetown Baptist Congregation and Pastor Steven Hopper**

## Coming Events

Tues, 24		office closed
Fri, 27		office closed
Sun, 29	10:00 am	choir rehearsal
	11:00 am	worship service

**Christmas Eve Service**  
**Digby Baptist Church**  
**6:30pm, Sunday, December 24, 2024**  
Greeters: Brian and Coreen Buckler  
Worship Leader: Pastor Alex McMorine

This special bulletin has been donated by Bonnie Van Tassel & Stan Locke in memory of dear loved ones.

Flute Prelude Margo Nesbitt  
Welcome  
**Carol** *O Little Town of Bethlehem (#155)*  
Prayer  
Candle Lighting Don & Cairine Robertson  
**Candle Lighting Carol** *A Candle Is Burning*  
Combined Choir *When He Came*  
Scripture Reading Isaiah 7:14, 9:7 Myra Edwards  
**Carol** *O Come O Come Emmanuel (#133)*  
Scripture Reading Luke 2:1-7 Bonnie Van Tassel  
**Carol** *What Child Is This? (#150)*  
Scripture Reading Luke 2:8-16 Alex McMorine  
Sermon Jesus, the Promised King with Us  
Solo *O Holy Night* Margo Nesbitt  
**Carol** *Silent Night*  
Benediction  
Postlude

## Christmas Prayer

Almighty God,  
creator of all worlds and peoples,  
have pity on us;  
come to us that we might be saved  
not of our merit, but of your unquenchable love.

You,  
having all glory  
became incarnate in the dishonor  
of a defeated line of kings;  
having all riches  
became incarnate in the poverty  
of the working class;  
having all illumination.  
became incarnate in the darkness  
of night and obscurity;  
having all power,  
became incarnate in the weakest form  
of human life – an infant.

Meet us in our need;  
our shame, our poverty,  
our darkness, our foolishness,  
our emptiness, our weakness.

And then...  
become incarnate in us.

Let your servants depart in peace, O Lord,  
full of the vision of your salvation,  
ready to make it plain before all the faces of the  
earth

We pray through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Adapted from a prayer by Paul A. Richardson**

