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## Bible Reading

Matthew 2: 1 - 12

### The Gift

The Magi had journeyed long and hard to reach the place of birth – not really knowing where they were going, guided by a star. This was a journey of faith into the unknown, trusting that God was guiding them, and when they got there they offered and presented the best they had: their treasures, their gifts, themselves to the little one who would one day gift His life as the Saviour of the World. Like the wise men, we journey to the birthplace of Jesus too but with the knowledge that the Babe of Bethlehem became the Saviour of the World.

So today on this 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Advent we reflect upon what gift we can offer the Lord in response to His great love for us?  
Our obedience? Our love? Our devotion?  
Our very selves?

Welcome to  
**Knox Presbyterian  
Church, Morrinsville**

**22 December 2019**



*Do join us for morning tea  
following our service*

*We use grape juice for communion  
not alcohol*

*We seek to enable people to learn through God's  
Word and our actions, and so develop a  
Christ-centered community*

WORD-BASED ~ MISSION-MINDED ~ SPIRIT-LED

## Rosters

<b>Door Duty</b>	Jan	5	Bev Reid & Fatima Lock
		12	Bev Reid & Fatima Lock
		19	Dyan & David Robins
		26	Dyan & David Robins
<b>Sound Desk</b>	Jan	5	Nathan Bateson
		12	Nathan Bateson
		19	Bob Lowe
		26	Nathan Bateson
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Jan	5	Lynne McInnes & Maureen Gordon
		12	Garth & Joyce Smith
		19	Janice Bell & Valerie Bell
		26	???????
<b>Flowers</b>	Jan		Ways & Means
<b>Cleaning</b>	Jan	10	Elaine Ralph
		24	Jackie Cantley
<b>Lawn Mowing</b>	Jan		David Robins

All rosters for February onwards will be out during January.

## Calendar

January 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th are all Services as normal  
No Communion during January

## Morrinsville Healing Rooms

for urgent requests during the holidays please ring  
0211837806



## Advance Notices

- ◆ **Dec 24th Baptist Church Pizza in the Park**  
BYO Pizza - Howie Park from 6pm - Christmas Eve celebration
- ◆ **Combined Christmas Day Service** is at the **Baptist Church** starting at **9:30am**
- ◆ There will be **NO** service at Knox on the 29th December
- ◆ We are not celebrating Communion during January 2020

Sandra will be taking Annual leave from the 26th December until 13th January for **urgent matters** please contact John Reid.

The **Office** will be closed on the 27th & 31st December

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*For  
unto  
you is  
born this  
day in the  
city of David  
a Savior, which  
is Christ the Lord*  
*Luke*  
*2:11*



## CAMPBELL HALL

Working Bee 14th January 9am to tidy up and paint the stage. See Glenys for details