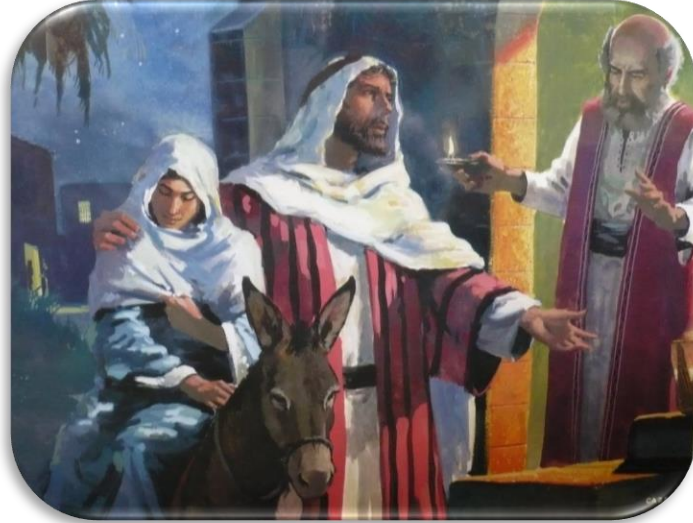




# SHARON MORAVIAN CHURCH

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**Sunday, December 24, 2023**

**Fourth Sunday in Advent**

**9:30 a.m.**

**Welcome:** With eager minds and hearts we meet for worship today, on this Fourth Sunday of Advent. Welcome to all, whether you are here in the sanctuary or connecting by way of our livestream. The promise to us is that God will meet the expectant heart here, to comfort, guide and to bless. Welcome.

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**WATCHWORD:** The Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is His name.  
*(Luke 1:49)*

**Provincial Theme 2023:**

***“SHIFT: Reclaiming Our Identity, Renewing Our Purpose,  
and Re-Igniting Our Passion”***

*The name of the Lord is a strong tower;  
The righteous run to it and are safe.  
Proverbs 18:10 (NKJV)*



## ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude

Introit – Choir

Invitation to Worship

Opening Hymn: 75 – *“All Glory Laud and Honour”*

Liturgy – The Fourth Sunday in Advent (CMP Liturgy Book p.96)

**WORSHIP IN TITHES & OFFERINGS**

Offertory Sentence: *“O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.”* – Psalm 136:1.

Offertory Hymn: 55 – *“In Bethlehem one Glorious Night”*

Prayer of Dedication of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Doxology: *“Thanks, Thanks, I Give You Thanks”*

Welcome, Celebrations & Notices

Hymn 57 – *“Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning”*

Ministry of the Word:

First Scripture Reading: 2 Samuel 7:1 – 11, 16

Second Scripture Reading: Romans 16:25 – 27

Choir Anthem – *“Gabriel’s Message”*

Sermon – – *Rev. David Ince*

Prayer of Commitment & Intercession

Hymn 65 – *“Love Came Down at Christmas”*

The Benediction

Organ Postlude



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## Organ Prelude

## Introit

## Invitation to Worship



## Opening Hymn: 75 –

All glory, laud and honour,  
To thee, Redeemer, King,  
To whom the lips of children  
Made sweet hosannas ring.  
Thou art the King of Israel,  
Thou David's royal Son,  
Who in the Lord's name comest,  
The King and blessed one.

The company of angels  
Are praising thee on high,  
And mortal men and all things  
Created make reply.  
The people of the Hebrews  
With palms before thee went;  
Our praise, and prayer, and anthems  
Before thee we present.

To thee, before thy passion  
They sang their hymns of praise;  
To thee, now high exalted  
Our melody we raise.  
Thou didst accept their praises;  
Accept the prayers we bring,  
Who in all good delightest,  
Thou good and gracious King.



## THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

*All standing*

Therefore, the Lord shall give a sign;

***Behold a virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call His name Immanuel.***

For unto us a child is born,

***Unto us a Son is given.***

And his name shall be called Wonderful Counsellor, the Mighty God;

***The Everlasting Father, and the Prince of Peace.***

***Tune: UNIVERSITY – # 49***

Hark the glad sound! The Savior comes,  
The Savior promised long;  
Let every heart prepare a throne  
And every voice a song.

He comes the prisoners to release,  
In Satan's bondage held.  
The gates of brass before Him burst,  
The iron fetters yield.

He comes the broken heart to bind,  
The bleeding soul to cure,  
And with the treasures of His grace  
To enrich the humble poor.

***Philip Doddridge (1702 – 1751)***

This is what the Lord says: I will shake all nations and the desire of all nations shall come and I will fill this house with glory, says the Lord.

***Arise, shine for the light is come and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.***

***Tune: HAGEN – # 281 Moravian USA Hymnal***

***(Solo):*** Morning Star, O cheering sight!  
Ere Thou cam'st, how dark earth's night

***(All):*** Morning Star, O cheering sight!  
Ere Thou cam'st, how dark earth's night!

***(Solo):*** Jesus mine,

***(All):*** In me shine;

**(Solo):** In me shine,  
**(All):** Jesus mine;  
Fill my heart with light divine.

*Bennet Harvey (1829 – 1894)*

Behold I lay in Zion a foundation stone, a tried stone, a precious corner stone, a sure foundation. He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest.

***And the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father, David.***

He shall reign over the house of Jacob forever:

***And of his kingdom there shall be no end.***

Wherefore God has highly exalted him:

***And given him a name which is above every name.***

At the name of Jesus every knee shall bow;

***And every tongue shall confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.***

*All seated*

**Let us pray:**

Fulfill in us, O Lord, your purpose to spread the proclamation, “Jesus is Lord”. May your glory be revealed in us as we prepare once more for the coming of your light into the world. Grant that we may not only receive the light and the peace you bring, but also share it with others. Loosen hearts of stone and bend wills of steel. Speak peace to every soul. Act even now, O Lord, for with you nothing shall be impossible; through Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

Oh, how my soul praises the Lord.

***How my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour!***

For he took notice of his lowly servant, and from now on all generations will call me blessed.

***For the Mighty One is holy, and he has done great things for me.***

He shows mercy from generation to generation to all who fear him.

***His mighty arm has done tremendous things! He has scattered the proud and haughty ones.***

He has brought down princes from their thrones and exalted the humble.

***He has filled the hungry with good things and sent the rich away with empty hands.***

He has helped his servant Israel and remembered to be merciful.

*For he made this promise to our ancestors, to Abraham and his children forever.*

*All standing*

*Tune: HYFRYDOL – # 192*

Come, thou long-expected Jesus,  
Born to set thy people free,  
From our fears and sins release us,  
Let us find our rest in thee.  
Israel's strength and consolation,  
Hope of all the earth thou art;  
Dear desire of every nation,  
Joy of every longing heart.

Born thy people to deliver,  
Born a child and yet a king,  
Born to reign in us forever,  
Now thy gracious kingdom bring;  
By thine own eternal Spirit  
Rule in all our hearts alone;  
By thine all-sufficient merit  
Raise us to thy glorious throne

*Charles Wesley (1707 – 1788)*

We are witnesses of the dawning of the Great Light come into the world.

*May we as we depart from worship today set our faces always on the Son and  
announce through our living, the Advent of the Messiah. Amen*



### **Worship In Tithes & Offerings:**

**Offertory Sentence:** *“O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.” - Psalm 136:1.*

### **Offertory Hymn: 55 –**

In Bethlehem one glorious night  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Some shepherds nearly die with fright;  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Dem hear dat in a cattle pen,

Cum dung to all a we;  
Was born de Saviour of all men  
Cum dung to all a we.

*Cum dung, Jesus, cum dung, cum dung.*  
*Cum dung to all a we;*  
*O Lord Jesus, cum dung to all a we.*  
*O Lord Jesus, cum dung to all a we.*

Three wise men see a glowing star,  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Although it was a-shining far,  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Dem bring rich gifts to give dis king.  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Dem also kneel an' worship him  
Cum dung to all a we.

Ole Faro give his men a ring.  
Cum dung to all a we;  
He say, 'Just kill dat newborn King!'  
Cum dung to all a we;  
But God look after him for sure,  
Cum dung to all a we;  
So he will reign forevermore.  
Cum dung to all a we.

Cum dung, Lord, an' go no more.  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Cum dung an' stay upon dis shore  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Yes, cum dung, Lord, please go no more,  
Cum dung to all a we;  
Oh, cum dung Lord forevermore,  
Cum dung to all a we.





## Prayer of Dedication of Tithes & Offerings

### *Thanks, thanks, I Give You thanks*

*Thanks, thanks, I give You thanks  
For all You've done  
I am so blessed  
My soul is at rest  
O Lord, I give You thanks.*



## Welcome, Celebrations & Notices



### Hymn 57 –

Brightest and best of the sons of the morning!  
Dawn on our darkness and lend us thine aid!  
Star of the east, the horizon adorning,  
Guide where our infant Redeemer is laid!

Cold on his cradle the dewdrops are shining;  
Low lies his head with the beasts of the stall;  
Angels adore him, in slumber reclining,  
Maker and Monarch, and Saviour of all!

Say, shall we yield him, in costly devotion,  
Odours of Edom, and offerings divine?  
Gems of the mountain and pearls of the ocean,  
Myrrh from the forest, or gold from the mine?

Vainly we offer each ample oblation,  
Vainly with gifts would his favour secure;  
Richer by far is the heart's adoration,  
Dearer to God are the prayers of the poor!

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## Ministry of the Word:

### First Scripture Reading: 2 Samuel 7:1 – 11, 16

1. And it came to pass, when the king sat in his house, and the LORD had given him rest round about from all his enemies;
2. That the king said unto Nathan the prophet, See now, I dwell in an house of cedar, but the ark of God dwelleth within curtains.
3. And Nathan said to the king, Go, do all that is in thine heart; for the LORD is with thee.
4. And it came to pass that night, that the word of the LORD came unto Nathan, saying,
5. Go and tell my servant David, Thus saith the LORD, Shalt thou build me an house for me to dwell in?
6. Whereas I have not dwelt in any house since the time that I brought up the children of Israel out of Egypt, even to this day, but have walked in a tent and in a tabernacle.
7. In all the places wherein I have walked with all the children of Israel spake I a word with any of the tribes of Israel, whom I commanded to feed my people Israel, saying, Why build ye not me an house of cedar?
8. Now therefore so shalt thou say unto my servant David, Thus saith the LORD of hosts, I took thee from the sheepcote, from following the sheep, to be ruler over my people, over Israel:
9. And I was with thee whithersoever thou wentest, and have cut off all thine enemies out of thy sight, and have made thee a great name, like unto the name of the great men that are in the earth.
10. Moreover I will appoint a place for my people Israel, and will plant them, that they may dwell in a place of their own, and move no more; neither shall the children of wickedness afflict them any more, as beforetime,
11. And as since the time that I commanded judges to be over my people Israel, and have caused thee to rest from all thine enemies. Also the LORD telleth thee that he will make thee an house.
16. And thine house and thy kingdom shall be established for ever before thee: thy throne shall be established for ever.



## Second Scripture Reading: Romans 16:25 – 27

25. Now to him that is of power to stablish you according to my gospel, and the preaching of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the mystery, which was kept secret since the world began,
26. But now is made manifest, and by the scriptures of the prophets, according to the commandment of the everlasting God, made known to all nations for the obedience of faith:
27. To God only wise, be glory through Jesus Christ for ever. Amen.



### Choir Anthem – “Gabriel’s Message”



### Sermon – – Rev. David Ince



### Prayer of Commitment & Intercession



### Closing Hymn: 65 –

Love came down at Christmas,  
Love all lovely, Love divine;  
Love was born at Christmas;  
Star and angels gave the sign.

Worship we the Godhead,  
Love incarnate, Love divine;  
Worship we our Jesus,  
But wherewith for sacred sign?

Love shall be our token,  
Love be yours and love be mine,  
Love to God and all men,  
Love for plea and gift and sign.



### The Benediction



## Organ Postlude



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Today: *Veronica Leacock*

Advanced: *Roseanne Eversley (25<sup>th</sup>), Shamia Corbin & Merville Franklyn (27<sup>th</sup>), Curtis Drakes, Joan Lewis & Chanel Rock-Waithe (28<sup>th</sup>), Steven King & Edwin Sandiford (29<sup>th</sup>)*



*Congratulations to Bro. Terry & Sis. Norma Meek who will celebrate their 34<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary on December 27, 2023.*



### MORAVIAN BIRTHDAY SONG

With Thy presence, Lord, our Head and Saviour,  
Bless them all we humbly pray;  
Our dear heavenly Father's love and favour  
Be their comfort every day.  
May the Holy Ghost in each proceeding,  
Favour them with his most gracious leading;  
Thus shall they be truly blessed,  
Both in labour and in rest.



## OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE & INVOLVEMENT

- ✚ Today: Divine Worship at 9:30 a.m.
- ✚ This Week:
- ✚ Office Hours – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. (D. C. Moore Centre).
- ✚ Monday: CHRISTMAS DAY – worship at 5:00 a.m.
- ✚ Tuesday: PUBLIC HOLIDAY – BOXING DAY.
- ✚ Next Sunday: Divine Worship at 9:30 a.m.
  - ✚ Watchnight Service at 10:30 p.m.



## **Activities in the Month of December 2023:**

✝ Worship on Christmas Day – Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 a.m.

✝ Watch-Night Service – Sunday, 31<sup>st</sup>, 10:30 p.m.



## **NEWS, INFORMATION & REMINDERS**

1. Thanks to all who supported our Missionary Festival. We have collected so far, \$10,578.60 on our way to our target of \$13,000 for 2023. If you have not made your contribution as yet or returned your collection box, you can still do so. Direct contributions can also be made and contributions in memory of loved-ones. Funds raised will go towards local missions, and to missionary endeavours across the region and the world through the various mission organisations of the Moravian Church.
2. February 10, 2024 will be Sharon's 225th Anniversary of the first laying of a cornerstone here at Sharon. A committee has been at work and the activities planned so far include:
  - ✝ 225th Anniversary Service – February 11, 2024 – 4:00 p.m.
  - ✝ Fun Day – April 1, 2024
  - ✝ “The George Ramsay Memorial” Lecture – Thursday, May 16, 2024
  - ✝ Anniversary Dinner & Gala – Date to be confirmed.
3. The PEC (Provincial Board) announces:
  - ✝ The Provincial family expresses condolences to Rev. Vera Waithe and family of the Barbados Conference on the death of her brother Feliston Gilkes. Bro. Gilkes died on Sunday, December 3rd in Canada after a brief illness. He was 56 years old. Please remember the family in prayer, especially his wife Sandra and their sons Kofi and Kymani.
4. We are thankful for your financial support.
  - ✝ We do need your ongoing support so that we can maintain our ministry, our facilities and paying property insurance. So we ask for your continued faithfulness in giving as you are able.
  - ✝ You are reminded that labelled envelopes can be dropped into the slot in the front door of the Manse.
  - ✝ Generally, those who would give electronically can do so by direct deposit to our account at Scotiabank, Warrens – 40274. You can also give via SurePay at a walk-in kiosk or using your online account. At SurePay you can make payments anonymously to the Moravian Church (*Account No: 1765-1768-0000, Name: Sharon Moravian Church*), or if you need your donations recorded for tax purposes and you have a box of envelopes; make payments to the Moravian Church (*Account No: 1765-1768-0-*

[your 3-digit envelope number], Name: Your Name). Visit [www.sharonmoravian.info/giving-monetary](http://www.sharonmoravian.info/giving-monetary) for these details.

5. Remember to listen to the Moravian Radio Programme: “Moravian Voice” on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m. on Life 97.5 FM.

✝ Our radio broadcast ministry Moravian Voice has been on the air for some 32 years, since Wednesday, July 18, 1990. We rejoice that we have been able to offer this ministry and we are thankful to all our listenership and all who hosted and provided content over the years. We are thankful to our congregations which faithfully sponsored the programme.

✝ We invite you to tune in for inspiration and information to enable you in your Christian walk and service.

✝ Moravian Voice will also be available on Instagram ([www.instagram.com/moravianvoice/](https://www.instagram.com/moravianvoice/)) and the YouTube Channel of the Moravian Church Barbados Conference (<https://youtube.com/c/TheMoravianChurch-BarbadosConference>).

✝ You can email your comments and requests to: [moravianvoice@gmail.com](mailto:moravianvoice@gmail.com)



### Provincial Theme 2023:

*“SHIFT: Reclaiming Our Identity, Renewing Our Purpose, and Re-Igniting Our Passion”*

*“Broadly speaking, renewing identity speaks of who we are as Christ-followers; renewing our purpose speaks to why the church exists; re-igniting our passion speaks to our willingness to share our faith with others. – Chairman of PEC*



### PRAYER NEEDS:



1. Our Shut-ins: Sis. Aileen Bowen, Sis. Thora Moore, Sis. Patterson Williams

2. The Sick/Recovering:

✝ Of our congregation: Sis. Ansonia Cox-Burgess, Sis. Shanna King (USA), Sis. Lelia Gibbs

3. The Bereaved: We express condolences to and pray for:

✝ Sis. Carmel Downes and the entire Gilkes family on the passing of her brother, Bro. Feliston Gilkes.

4. World Peace



### AVAILABLE (Through the Church Office):

- ✚ Moravian Daily Text 2023: American Paperback Edition – \$25
- ✚ Offering Envelopes for 2023 – We invite each member of the congregation to receive a box of envelopes and thereby seek to faithfully support the work of the church. Please request that a box be provided for you if none has been provided as yet.
- ✚ Sharon Burgundy Shirts: Polos – \$30 / T-Shirts – \$15
- ✚ Copies of Sunday sermons on CD – \$2.00.
- ✚ Books:
  - 📖 Rev. Neilson Waithe: Understanding the Caribbean Worker– \$25; Provocation – \$20.
  - 📖 Rev. Dr. Winelle Kirton-Roberts: Created in Their Image: Evangelical Protestantism in Antigua and Barbados 1834-1914 – \$50.
  - 📖 Rev. Dr. Joseph Nicholas: Baptism Is a Gift of God: As Such It Is More Than Water– \$35.
- ✚ Greeting Cards (\$2.00) and Prints (\$20.00) of a painting of Sharon Church.





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Rev. Erfin Browne

## 2023 CALENDAR

"SHIFT: Reclaiming our Identity, Renewing our Purpose, and Re-igniting our Passion"

### JANUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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### FEBRUARY

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### MARCH

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			05 - Unity Sunday	26 - Theological Education Sunday	31 - USVI Transfer Day	

### ARRIL

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			07 - Good Friday	09 - Easter Sunday		

### MAY

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			18 - Ascension Day	28 - Pentecost		

### JUNE

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			04 - Trinity Sunday			

### JULY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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			01 - Territory Day of BVI Day			

### AUGUST

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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27	28	29	30	31		
			31 - Trinidad & Tobago Independence			

### SEPTEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30
			19 - St. Kitts & Nevis Independence	24 - Day of Prayer for Surviving Spouses		

### OCTOBER

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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			31 - Reformation Day			

### NOVEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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			01 - Antigua & Barbuda Independence	13 - Chief Elder Festival	30 - Barbados Independence	

### DECEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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			25 - Christmas Day			

### MORAVIAN MEMORIAL DAYS

Mar 1: The founding of the Unitas Fratrum at Ustiz, Bohemia, 1457.

Mar 26: The election of the first Minister of the Unitas Fratrum, 1467. The Sun-day nearest March 26 is observed as a day of Prayer for Theological Education.

May 12: The signing of the Brotherly Agreement which marked the Renewal of the Unitas Fratrum at Herrnhut, Saxony, 1727.

Jun 17: The founding of Herrnhut 1722.

Jul 6: The Martyrdom of John Hus, 1415.

Aug 13: The Manifestation of the Holy Spirit at Herrnhut, 1727.

Aug 17: The revival among the children of Herrnhut, 1707.

Aug 21: The departure of the first Moravian Missionaries from Herrnhut, 1732

Sep 16: the experience of Headship of Christ in the Moravian Church, 1741. This date is observed as Ministers' Covenant Day to renew their covenant with God and with one another.

Nov 13: The Proclamation of the Headship of Christ in the Moravian Church, 1741. (Christ as Chief Elder of the Moravian Church.)

Dec 13: The beginning of the Moravian Missions, St. Thomas, V. I., 1732