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CHRISTMAS DAY
9.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
10.00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist.

SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
Christmas I
9.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
10.30 a.m.—Church School and Nursery.
10.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA TRINITY CHURCH, ACTON
Minister: The Rev. Gordon B. Turner, B.A., B.D.
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Christmas Eve, Friday, December 24, 8 p.m.—Service of Lessons and Carols.

SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
10.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
10.00 a.m.—Church School for all ages. Also nursery.

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SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
9.45 a.m.—Church School withdrawn (this Sunday only).
9.45 a.m.—Minister's Confirmation Class for Teen-agers.
11.00—Post-Christmas Worship. Sermon theme, "Christmas-in-Particular". Everyone Most Welcome

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SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7.00 p.m.—Evangelist Service.

Tuesday, 8.00 p.m. — Prayer Service and Bible Study.
Thursday, 6 p.m.—Crusaders.
Thursday, 8.00 p.m. — C.A.S.

Isa. 1: 18 — Come now, let us reason together, saith the Lord; though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.

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SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
Sunday Worship Services at 10.00 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.
Pre-School Sunday School during the morning service.
Nursery during both services.

This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. (Ps. 118: 24)
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SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
10.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Choir Practice.

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SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
11.00 a.m.—Worship & Church School. Sermon subject, "We Have Seen His Star."
Visitors are Welcome at All Church Gatherings at the Church on the Hill

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH ROCKWOOD

SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
9.30 a.m.—Rector, Rev. K. Cardwell.
9.30 a.m.—Church School. Pre-School - Grade 3.
Children's Fellowship, every Thursday, 4.00 - 5.00 p.m., St. John's Parish Hall - Grade 4 to Grade 8.

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MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
81 Maple Ave., Georgetown
Pastor: Rev. Robert C. Lohmes

SUNDAY, DEC. 26th, 1971
Here is our sincere invitation to the whole family to attend church.

9.45 a.m.—Sunday School. All ages.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Service.
7.00 p.m.—Evening Evangel. Georgetown 877-6665



SHUCKS, SANTA, you hadn't oughter, says Teresa Dunn at the Firefighters' Christmas party Sunday at the fire hall.—(Staff Photo)

Six churches send Christmas greetings

Six prominent Canadian church leaders issued Christmas messages to the general public this year. A tape carrying the messages is being sent to broadcasting stations across Canada, the first time in ecumenical history they have joined in issuing the message.

Rt. Rev. Dr. A. B. H. Moore, Moderator, The United Church of Canada, President: The Canadian Council of Churches

"Christmas, 1971, takes place in a world of human misery and conflict. We sometimes wonder if we can, with any reality, wish each other a Merry Christmas. Yet Jesus came into the same sort of world nineteen centuries ago. He entered that world as love made flesh and hope made visible. Still he comes to us in the same way. We observe Christmas by receiving and giving that love and by living in the light of that hope. As we observe this season, so may its joy become ours."

Reverend Dr. Earl Treusch, General Secretary of the Lutheran Council in Canada.

"Now in the Advent Season we observe a God who is coming. The climax of the season comes in the birth of him who is called, among other names, Emmanuel, God with us. Our God is, therefore, not confined to the remoteness of outer space but he is with us in our world, our humanity, our lives, our joys and our sorrows. We don't go to him but he comes to us. Are we prepared to welcome him, to be open to him? This is the question of the ages and is asked of each one of you."

Reverend Dr. R. Fred Bullen, General Secretary of the Baptist Federation of Canada

"Why is the whole world different at Christmas? It is because of the Good News. God is with us. Christmas cannot be brought to life — it is here, a living reality. Have you seriously considered making this Christmas truth a permanent factor in your life? Our prayerful Christmas wish is that every person in this favored land will respond to life's superlative benediction — GOD IS WITH US."

Bishop W. Power, President of the Canadian Catholic Conference

"Jesus Christ was born so that all men may be free and live life more abundantly. After 2,000 years we are still struggling to bring this about. Christmas is here to remind us the struggle is still worthwhile and still the greatest challenge to man. Merry Christmas to everyone!"

Rt. Rev. E. W. Scott, Primate, Anglican Church of Canada.

"Peace on earth among men of goodwill. So reads an Eastern translation of the Biblical verse which we in the West usually translate 'Peace on earth, good-will to men'."

The Eastern form reminds us that goodwill is essential if peace is to be real. The peace of God is possible only because of God's goodwill to man, and this is given expression in the birth of Jesus Christ. May Christmas 1971 bring to you and me a deepened awareness of God's goodwill towards us as persons so that we may be enabled to become men of goodwill on a deeper level than ever before. God bless you all!"

Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacDonald, Clerk of the Assembly of the Presbyterian Church.

"It is a great privilege to send a word of greeting on behalf of the Presbyterian Church in Canada to those who are joined this day in celebrating the birthday of the Christ child. May the message of peace which He proclaimed so long ago be heard above the tumult of our daily lives, and the noise of the warfare, and to you and yours we send the sincere wish of the Presbyterian Church that this may be a Merry Christmas, and 1972 a Good New Year."

'Welcome Christmas at Trinity'
A Traditional Service of Lessons and Carols

CHRISTMAS EVE
Friday December 24 at 8.00 p.m.

Presented by Choir and Readers of Trinity United Church Acton

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A pageant, narrated by the junior choir, was presented Sunday evening at Knox church to an appreciative audience of parents and friends. The Sunday School children enacted the Christmas story under the direction of church school superintendent Rev. Gerald Hennie. The platform of the church was layered with straw, with a manger, for the scene.

Mrs. Mann directed the junior choir members who sang, and presented choral readings to accompany the tableaux on the platform.

The congregation joined in some of the carols. Ted Hansen played the organ.

At the close of the program the Rev. McKenzie presented each child with a candy cane from the Sunday School.

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