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Printed carpet
An ample flatweave rug in muted plaid introduces soft texture underfoot. Ross plaid rug in Celadon Cream. \$24/sq.ft. Through Elizabeth Eakins.

Handsome side table
A dark wood table provides contrast and storage. Vita table. \$829. At Union Lighting and Furnishings.



Old world sconce
Create soft lighting with detailed candle sconces in a warm gold finish. Visual Comfort Chart House fluted-horn double sconce. Approx. \$424. At retailers across Canada.

Elegant art
Hung low, a solitary piece of art adds visual interest. Framed antique reproduction. \$390. At Barrymore.



Timeless tub
For enduring elegance, choose a classic white clawfoot over a more modern fixture. Roll-Top tub. \$1,596. At Ginger's.

Classic Comfort

Warm up a bathroom with a mix of soft textiles and pattern.

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There's nothing more luxurious than a warm, relaxing bath on a cold winter night, and this cosy yet sophisticated bathroom invites you to indulge. Carefully crafted by New York designer Matthew Patrick Smyth, the space exudes warmth through a mix of classic patterns, textures and vintage finds. Traditional elements, like the antique candle sconces and small-print Casa di Whitney wallpaper by Tyler Hall, are decidedly English country, but the dark wood flooring and side table add urban appeal. In place of a bathmat, a soft flatweave rug adds elegance, while a tiny oil painting hung low injects one-of-a-kind charm and purposely invokes escapist thoughts. At the heart of the room, a generous antique white clawfoot tub, fitted with a vintage-style telephone faucet, conjures thoughts of long, rejuvenating soaks.

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Vintage faucet
Retro-style fittings complete the eclectic-trad look. Michael S. Smith For Town collection nickel deck-mounted bath set (left), \$2,121, through Kallista; Chrome deck-mounted faucet (right), \$888, through Sign of the Crab.