



March 4, 2018

“Oh come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!” Psalm 95:6

Today's Service

Gathering for Worship

*Prelude ... Dorothy Nussbaum & Vicky Snyder
Welcome & Announcements*

Worship in Song ... *The Alan Ellingsgaard
Team*

Worship in Giving

*Offertory Ministry ... Morris Heffel
Dismissal for Bible Classes
First Service – Bible classes for all ages
Focus on Mission ... Barnabas Family
Ministries Team*

Worship in Prayer ... *Pastor Brent
Worship in the Word ... Pastor Brent*

Worship at the Lord's Table

*Songs of Communion
Benediction*

Worship in Witness & Service

*“Jesus said to them again, ‘Peace be with you.
As the Father has sent me, even so I am
sending you.’” John 20:21*

Our Prayer Ministry Team

Our Prayer Ministry Team is available to pray for you this morning. We invite you to come to the front row at the end of the service and one of our team members will pray for you.

Today

- **Today's FBC Mission Family Prayer**
Focus: Allan & Caulene Bussard, serving with *Integra* in Slovakia and with *Malaika* in Kenya
- **Toddler Care for Ages 8 months to 2 years** is provided during the service on the lower level in the west side of the church building.
- **Sunday School for all ages** is dismissed after the offering in the first service. FYI for those in Adult Sunday School class, we will be meeting in the Fellowship Hall, and also note that there has been some rearranging in the classrooms upstairs only.
- **Busy Boxes**...A reminder to parents of young children that there are "Busy Boxes" at the welcome centre if you need one for your child at the beginning of the service.
- **Coffee Is On**...Please join us in the Fellowship Hall between the first and second service for a cup of coffee and a time of fellowship. This will be a great opportunity to connect with friends to catch up, make a plan to get together during the week and to connect with fellow church goers that you have not yet had a conversation with. We are looking for people to help with setting up and cleaning up, please call or text Kalen Loewen at 403-507-3590
- **Hymn Sing at 6:00pm**
Everyone welcome! Join us to sing the hymns we all love. Special guest: Kevin & Kim Elias, Carstairs, AB. Hymn Sing Band (Sounds of Praise) will begin playing at 5:30pm. Everyone Welcome!

Next Sunday

Worship at 9:15 & 11:00am

The Brent Reilly Team will lead us in songs of praise and **Cindy Palin** will present an offertory. We will share in a **Parent & Child Dedication service** and **Pastor Brent** will bring a message from God's Word.

This Week

Child & Parent Dedication

Sunday, March 11

We are planning a service of dedication for Sunday, March 11. If you would like to dedicate your child to the Lord and yourselves to his or her nurture toward faith in Christ, please speak to Pastor Brent about your desire to be a part of this service.

Service of Believers Baptism

Sunday, March 18

If you are a believer in Jesus Christ but you have not been baptized according to Christ's command in Matthew 28:18-20, please take the opportunity on March 18 and be baptized in obedience to God's Word. If you want to be baptized, please speak with one of the pastors today.

Night of Worship Sunday, March 18 at

6:30pm

Come for fellowship, singing, prayer and refreshments (please bring a plate of squares to share). For further information please contact Trina Matchullis at 403-556-9091.

Everyone Welcome!

DISCIPLESHIP EXPLORED

...is an eight-week
study through the
Book of

Philippians that explores the meaning of Paul's words, "For to me to live is Christ..." (1:21). It's designed for those who are new believers and for those who want to ground their Christian life in the basics of the Gospel. The study will be held here at the church on **Wednesday evenings at 7pm** beginning **March 21** and concluding on **May 16**. For more information, speak with Pastor Brent. If you plan to attend, please sign the list at the Welcome Centre.

Family Driven Faith

A 2-day conference with Dr. Voddie

Baucham

Friday, March 23 at 7pm

Saturday, March 24, 9am to 3:30pm

First Baptist Church, Olds

Cost is \$30 per person

For more information please contact Pastor

Greg at 403-556-3219 or

gstirling@firstbaptistolds.ca or see the bulletin

insert. Tickets available at the church office.

New Members Seminar

The next seminar will be held on April 10, 17

& 24 at 7pm

Coming Events

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Small Groups

Sunday

12:30pm...**Sr. High Guys Fellowship & Bible Study** – contacts are Dylan

Kwok 403-507-7040, James

Hamilton 1-587-325-4712, and

Bryce Parrott bwcp14@gmail.com

7:00pm...**Young Couples Bible Study** –

at the home of Matt & Sarah

Priddle. Contacts are Matt Priddle

at 403-507-9196 and Sarah Priddle

at 403-507-0486

Monday

9:00am...**Women's Bible Study** – Coffee's on at 9 and Child Care is provided.

This semester we will do an audio study by Jen Wilkin of the Book of Judges. Contacts are Esther

Kary 403-507-0619; Doris Kary

403-556-5510; Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870

10:00am...**Seasons Olds Encore Bible Study** –Contact are Gordon

Quantz 403-994-3651 and Wayne

Snyder 403-335-3500

11:00am...**Seasons Olds Bible Study** –

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335-3500

1:30pm...**Silver Lynx Bible Study** – at
Bonnie Robbs (75, 5210 65 Avenue)
403-556-3829

7:00pm...**Olds Bible Study Group** – at
Ben & Charity Trites – 30 Lake
Ridge. Contact is Greg Hamilton
403-337-3001

Tuesday

2:00pm...**Afternoon Adult Bible Study** –
in the Fireside Room. Contacts are
Glenn and Dorothy Nussbaum 403-
556-8125

7:00pm...**Evening Bible Study** – Fireside
Room. Contacts are Gordon / Lily
Kirby 403-507-8785 and
Nathan Munchinsky 4037911949

7:00pm...**College and Career Bible
Study** – in the Board Room in
Centennial Village at Olds College.
Contact is Micah Schut at 250-804-
5685

7:00pm...**Young Adults Bible Study** – at
Ryan & Dylana Kary's. Contact is
Ryan Kary at 403-556-5508 or
ryan.m.kary@gmail.com

7:00pm...**Shields Bible Study** – The
study will be Fruit of the Spirit.
Contacts are Doug & Joanne
Shields 403-335-3919

Wednesday

8:45am...**Mothers Who Care** – in the
Prayer Room. Contact is Debby
Crawford 403-556-8156

2:00pm...**Small Group Bible Study for
Seniors** – Fireside Room. Contacts
are Pastor Norm 403-556-3219 and
Wayne Keillor 403-507-2426

7:00pm...**Sing & Share Bible Study** – at
Virginia Bouwman's 404 Silverthorn
Close. Contacts are Virginia
Bouwman 403-556-2130 or John
Campbell 403-556-2030

7:30pm...**East Didsbury Prayer Group** –
Contacts are Wayne & Vicky
Snyder 403-335-3500

Thursday

- 10:00am...**Mount View Lodge Residents Bible Study** – at the lodge. Contact is Betty Evans 403-556-2359. or amoffat@firstbaptistolds.ca
- 10:00am...**Creative Interruptions** – in the Fellowship Hall. Contacts are Debbi Rempel 403-507-0365 and Stacey Hickok 403-507-5850
- 7:00pm...**Sierra Bible Study Group** – Contacts are Steve Nedoshytko (H) 403-507-0073 (C) 403-968-7401
- 6:45pm...**Intergenerational Life Group** – at the home of Gary and Beth Wiens 2025 20 Avenue, Didsbury. Contacts are Dallas and Jylisa Lammiman 1-587-284-4856 or jylisa@shaw.ca
- 7:00pm...**Youth** Contact is Pastor Andy at 403-556-3219 or amoffat@firstbaptistolds.ca

Church & Community

Leaders Needed for Spring Camp

Spring Camp is coming up April 16-20. Pastor Greg needs 5 leaders to help run the program. If you are interested in helping there will be a meeting Friday March 9th in Pastor Greg's office at 4pm.

El Salvador 2018 Team Organizational Meeting

We are having an El Salvador information meeting on **Sunday, March 4 at 3:00pm** at the home of Dave & Dale Anderson (10 Lake Ridge). This is for anyone interested in joining our next trip this fall. For more information please call Dave & Dale at 403-556-8797.

New Adult Bible Class

Starting **February 11, 9:00 to 10:30 AM** in the Fellowship Hall: '**Interlocked**' is a 50 lesson Genesis-to-Revelation study. It draws many truths from the Bible's events to form an integrated biblical framework that will help us disarm common deceptions thrown at believers by popular culture and media. The study helps us interpret life from God's perspective. It will enlarge our appreciation of God, His Sovereignty and His Glory. If you need child care contact Pastor Greg 403-556-3219 or gstirling@firstbaptistolds.ca or Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870.

Women's Retreat at Gull Lake Centre

A Women's Retreat for all ages and stages is being hosted at Gull Lake Centre on April 13 – 15, 2018. Lynn Cole from Brownfield, Alberta along with her five daughters will lead is in the topic of "Finding Joy in Everyday Life". We want to provide a fun and worshipful weekend for you share in with a friend, daughter or granddaughter as well as a time to engage God's Word together. Register with Faye Reynolds by email – freynolds@cbwc.ca and the cost is \$200. Please call Jean Brown for more information at 403-335-4189.

Come & Go Tea for Susanna and her Parents Kenton & Andrea Wiens

Meet Susanna & Greet Her Parents Come & Go Tea on Sunday, March 25th 3:00 – 5:30pm. We will be meeting at the College Green Clubhouse on 20th Ave. (between 16th & 17th Streets) in Didsbury, AB 3:00 – 5:30pm. Gifts are optional! But is you really want to: cash or gift cards are preferred as they will be flying. If buying clothing things 9months or larger, small toys, books, etc. Gift cards to Toys R Us or Chapters or Westcoast Kids. Any questions call Meryl Matchullis at 403-335-3006 or 403-556-5871

KOW (Kids Own Worship) Suspension

The CE Committee has decided after reviewing historical attendance at KOW during the 2nd service, that at this time in the life of our Church body, there are too few children consistently attending KOW to carry on with this ministry. Therefore, starting March 4, the KOW ministry for ages 2-5 will be suspended during the 2nd service, but may be reactivated as a Fall ministry. Please note, the Toddler Room will continue to minister to children 6 months to 2 yrs.

We also urge both current KOW workers, and others, that there are opportunities to serve in classes during the Sunday School (1st service) hour

Snacks Needed for GEMS and CSB

We have new sign-up sheets for club snacks for January through to the end of our GEMS/CSB school year end on April 11. The sheets will be at the Welcome Desk each Sunday, so you can sign up for a date that's convenient for you. Details will be on those sign-up sheets. If you have any questions, please contact Renee Stirling at 403-586-5199. Thank you!!!

Financial Update to February 28, 2018

Budget to date	\$112,270.00
Giving to Budget	\$ 97,560.67
Actual Spending	\$122,100.55

2017 Tax Receipts

Your 2017 Contribution Tax Receipts are now available. You will find the receipt in your Family File Folder in the foyer. If you don't have a "Family File Folder", contact the church office. If you have any questions about your receipt contact Stan Neufeld at 403-335-8969.

March Shoebox Item-of-the-Month

Shoebox items-of-the-month for March are: children's hats, toques, gloves, and mittens. Shoebox donations can be placed in the red container in the church foyer marked "Operation Christmas Child". Thank you.

Needed:

Donations of flannelette material, wool & yarn, stuffing for teddy bears, blankets, buttons, and lace is needed for the Romania Knitters group. Please contact Renate Tauber at 403 507-8888 or drop them off at the Church Office during office hours.

Prayer Ministry

A 'Prayer Box' has been made available (located on the desk in the Fireside Room) where anyone is free to put their prayer request on a card provided. If it is preferred to be a confidential request, the card can be put in a sealed envelope (also provided). All requests will be prayed for multiple times.

Pre-Service Prayer

Everyone is welcome. We meet in the Prayer Room 20 minutes before each service. Come to pray for our church and service. If you would like prayer please join us.

Ministry Opportunities

Substitute Helpers needed for Toddler Room

The Toddler Room is in need of 4 or 5 commissioned workers who would be willing to fill in on short notice. You would not be on the regular schedule – this would be a substitute list. Please contact Joanne Shields at 403-335-3919 for more information or to volunteer.

Helpers Needed For...

- Age 2 class in Sunday School
- Age 2/3 class in KOW (2nd service)
- Age 3/4 class in KOW (2nd service)

For information please contact Brenda Lytle
403-556-6870 or Pastor Greg 403-556-3219

Hall Monitors Required

I am looking for hall monitors to help during the Sunday School time as well as during KOW in the Preschool area. If you are interested please talk with Pastor Greg.

Contacts

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