

Sunday, October 22, 2017
10:00 a.m.

Prayer of Invocation

Prelude
Elegy (Walton)

Songs of Praise
*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name #97
*Responsive Reading Psalm 19:1-6, 14
We Fall Down

Reading from the Old Testament
Numbers 11:16-17, 24-29..... Moira Proskin

Anthem
For the Beauty of the Earth (Rutter)

Pastoral Prayer
Emphasis this week: God's World
Nation this week: Russia—Europe

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

Our Offerings & Response
If We're Honest (Battistelli)..... Brooklyn Rand
*Doxology

*Song
God of Grace and God of Glory..... # 292

Sermon scripture
Hebrews 10:24-25

Sermon
Disciples who Connect..... Rev. Norm Derkson

*Song
We Are God's People..... # 283

*Benediction

Postlude
Scherzetto (Walton)

* PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE

CONTRIBUTIONS & ATTENDANCE

<u>Budget YTD</u>	<u>Current YTD</u>	<u>Variance YTD</u>
\$372,453	\$434,655	\$ 62,202

<u>Attendance: English</u>	<u>Ethiopian</u>	<u>Spanish</u>	<u>Total</u>
Oct. 15	176	64	

Hospitalization

If you or a family member are scheduled for a hospital treatment/surgery requiring admittance, please let Pastor Jim know at 403-803-6703 or contact the church office for follow up.



Please refrain from using scented products due to allergies and sensitivities. Thank you!

English Classes (ESL)
Wednesdays & Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.

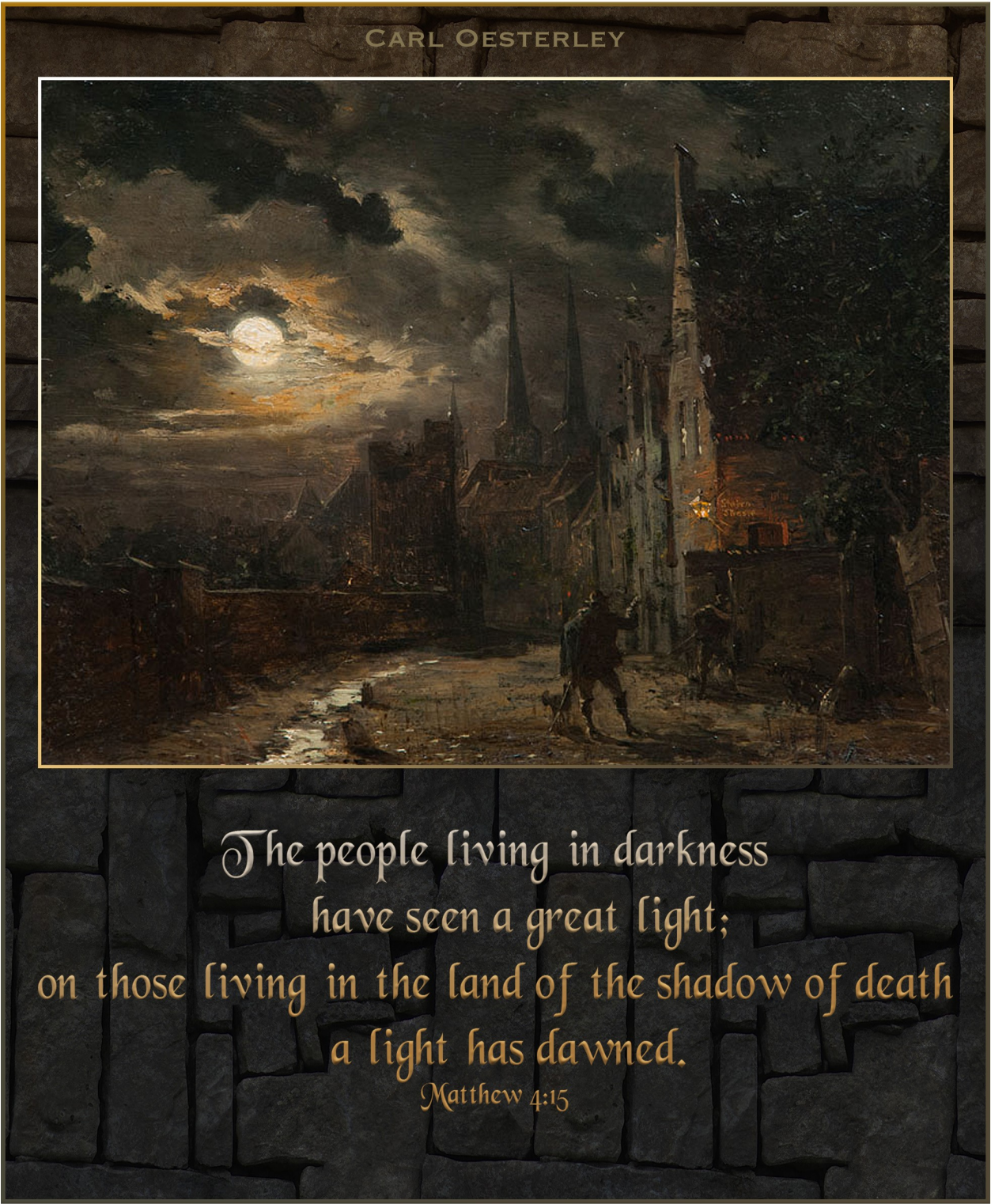
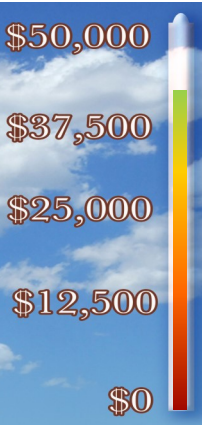
Beginner Spanish Classes
Thursdays at 6:30p.m. in Bethesda

Open Door Seniors (Check calendar)

Manse Restoration

We are so grateful to God for all of your generous donations totaling \$42,528. Our goal is to reach \$50,000.

Please join us in reaching our goal, and designate your gifts for this project as: Manse Fire Restoration Fund.



The people living in darkness
have seen a great light;
on those living in the land of the shadow of death
a light has dawned.
Matthew 4:15

WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Monday, October 23

10:00 a.m. Men's Bible Fellowship (Baraca)
6:00 p.m. FBC Youth Bell Team (Underwood)

Tuesday, October 24

9:30 a.m. Torah Classes (Baraca Room)

Wednesday, October 25

7:30 a.m. Prayer (Chapel)
1:00 p.m. Vintage Bronze (Underwood)
2:00 p.m. Barnabus Bible Study (Prayer Room)
7:00 p.m. Prayer (Chapel)

Thursday, October 26

5:30 p.m. Handbells: Acclamation (Underwood)
7:00 p.m. Handbells: Tintinares (Underwood)
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, October 28

9:40 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Room)
10:00 a.m. Morning Service (Sanctuary)
10:30 a.m. Ethiopian Service (Chapel)
11:30 a.m. Congregational Meeting (Fellowship)
11:30 a.m. Youth Bible Study (West Wing)
11:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study (Connections)
1:00 p.m. Hispanic Service (Sanctuary)
1:00 p.m. An hour of prayer (Fellowship Hall)
3:00 p.m. Indonesian service (Chapel)

Congregational Meeting

After the service today, please join us for sandwiches in the Fellowship Hall. We will have a congregational meeting to discuss the direction of First Baptist Church.

**An HOUR of prayer**

Join us, as a whole church family, on October 29th at 1:00p.m. for an hour of prayer in the Fellowship Hall. We will have sandwiches for those who stay after the am service for the prayer.

PRAYER

Pre-service prayer in the
Prayer room at 9:40 am.

Wednesday 7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
join us to pray in the Chapel.

Financial Planning Session

The FBC Foundation is planning a breakfast for adult members and adherents, on Saturday, November 4th, from 9:00am to 12:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP, or sign up in the Underwood Room or at the church office.

**Cleaning Day**

Everyone is welcome to join us on November 4th for the afternoon, to work together to clean our church, so the Sanctuary is ready for Christmas. If you come to the Financial Planning Session you can join us after it. Many hands make light work!

Concert Choir Rehearsal

Concert Choir rehearsals have begun! If you would like to sing in the Christmas concert on December 10th, please come and rehearse with us on Thursday nights from 8:30 to 9:30. Last date to join us is November 2nd.

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Welcome Visitors

If you are a visitor to First Baptist Church this morning, we want to welcome you. Please fill in one of the visitors cards located in the pews, and put it in the offering plate or deliver it to an usher. If you have any prayer requests please put them in the offering plate or prayer bowls at the front of the sanctuary or on the balcony.

After the service, please join us for fellowship and coffee in the Underwood Room.



If you are interested in buying the *Daily Bread* devotional by Scripture Union, please call Marlene Albertson at 403-273-2432.

**Pastors**

Norm Derkson

Jim Atkinson

Eijiro Campo (Hispanic)

Nardos Kebede (Ethiopian)

Shoebox Packing Party

Please plan on attending the fourth annual Shoebox Packing Party.

Saturday, November 11 at 2:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Keep an eye out on good deals for toys, hygiene items, and clothing for the shoeboxes. If you have questions or would like ideas please contact Patti Lemp at p.lemp@shaw.ca or 403-283-0130. Bins to drop off items you have bought are in the Underwood Room and the Church office. If you would prefer to make a donation to cover the shopping or the shipping costs of the shoeboxes. Please make cheques payable to **First Baptist Church** with a memo line of **OCC Fund**. Thank you!



Encouragement cards for your use are in the pews.

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.
1Thessalonians 5 :16-18