

Please pray for our seniors who are residents at Mount View Lodge:

Helen Dyck, Madeline Hall, Catherine Smith

Sunrise Encore: Jake & Helen Siemens, Dorothy Unger Whitewater Way: Hilde Unger

Church Supported Missionary...

Paul & Tanya Gericke: Camp Falcon Rock Developers, ROMANIA

Email: rootsromania@gmail.com

Please pray...

- for safety for the Gericke's as there are wolves and dogs that can put them in dangerous situations when going for walks.
- PTL that the camp is getting rented out for various kids programs, a Youth Leader Conference and a place to take English lessons.
- for the Gericke's, as Christmas can be a time when you miss family and friends.

Church of the Week...

Creston Baptist Church—Creston, BC

Senior Pastor: Rick Bettig (Phylis)

Pastor of Family Ministries: Raphael Gaudio (Sylvia)

Youth Pastor: Lucas Branstetter (Carrie)



NAB Intercessor—December Prayer Requests...

- ⇒ Lift up to God the next generation of leaders in your church. Pray for their growth as men and women of God and as servants of Christ, filled with the Holy Spirit.
- ⇒ Pray for NAB missionaries Paul and Tanya Gericke as they celebrate their wedding anniversary. Ask God to strengthen their faith and their marriage as they work with Camp Falcon Rock in Romania.
- ⇒ Pray for regional ministers Dr. Jim Leverette and associate Dr. Terry Fossen (Alberta Baptist Association). Ask God to continue to give them wisdom as they serve the pastors and churches in our area.

NAB TRIENNIAL CONFERENCE

in Edmonton, AB— July 26th-29th

Early bird registration until Jan.31st, 2018

nabconference.org/triennial

Pray for the continued planning and preparation for this NAB family gathering.

Visit Us
ONLINE

If you've missed a Sunday, view the church bulletin and listen to the sermon on our website: eastoldsbaptist.ca

December 17, 2017

"To know Christ and to make him known"

East Olds Baptist Church



Welcome to our
Church Family Christmas Celebration!
Mary Had a Little Lamb!
..."That's My Story and I'm Sticking to It!"

East Olds Baptist Church

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Phone: 556-2821 Fax: 556-3161 Church Email: eobc@xplornet.ca

Website: eastoldsbaptist.ca

Pastor: James Rosenberger 403-586-5086 (cell) eobcjames@xplornet.ca
eobcyouth@xplornet.com

Church Office Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 9-12am

Welcome to East Olds Baptist Church

Are you visiting with us?

Please fill out a **Visitor WELCOME Card** found in the pew.

Worship in Song: Barry Weiss
 Welcome & Announcements
 Worship in Giving
 Special Music: Toni Newsham
 Lighting of the Advent Candle: Lynnette Nisbet
 Worship in Song
Mary Had a Little Lamb...
"That's My Story and I'm
Sticking to It!"
 Our greeters today are Luke &
 Mike Van Asselt.



An **unsupervised nursery** is available for children 0-3yrs
 in **KidZone(Rm3)**—**Snuggle Room** for moms & babies

EOBC...a place to grow together!

Today...

- **WELCOME** to our special **Church Family Christmas Celebration!** **EVERYONE** is invited to a potluck dinner immediately after the service. We have plenty of food to share!

This Week...

- **Church Office Hours: 9am-12pm, Tuesday & Thursday**— Karen will be in the office Tuesday and **Friday**
- Monday.....**Pastor's day off**
- Thursday.....7:30am, **Men's Prayer Time**
- Saturday.....**Church Cleaning:** Verhoef's
- Sunday.....**NO** Sunday School, **11am, Family Worship** with Pastor James
7pm, **Christmas Eve Candlelight Service**
Greeters: A&N Wearmouth **Coffee:** A Poulsen
Nursery: N Wearmouth **NO LKT**—clipboards available


Coming Up...

- Sunday, Dec. 31st: **NO** Sunday School, 11am **Family Worship**
- Sunday, Dec. 31st: 2:30pm, **Lodge Service**
- Sunday, Dec. 31st: 6-8pm, **Food, Fellowship & Fireworks!** **EVERYONE WELCOME!**

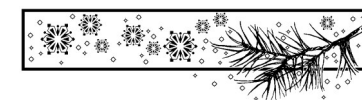
Children & Family Ministries...

- **NO** Sunday School classes on **December 24th and 31st.**
- **Awana Clubs** resume **January 9th**

Youth Ministries...

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- ⇒ Sunday, Dec.31st: 6-8pm,
 All youth are welcome to fireworks
 at the church!
 - ⇒ Watch for more upcoming
 Youth Events in the new year!

Women's Ministries...



Sunday, December 31st 6-8PM

NEW YEAR'S EVE!

Hotdogs, hot chocolate and potluck
 snacks served at the church followed
 by a smaller fireworks show
**Bring your favorite game to
 play & invite your friends!**
EVERYONE WELCOME!

FINANCIAL UPDATE-NOV 2017

Budget to date: \$ 189,796.86
 Giving to date: \$ 159,019.57
 Budget Shortfall: **-\$ 30,777.29**

FROM THE TREASURER...

Please have your
EXPENSE CLAIMS
 in to Donna Poulsen
 ASAP!

Just a reminder regarding
Gifts and Tithes

⇒ please make your cheques
 payable to **EOBC.**
 Designate **General Fund OR**
Building Fund on your envelop.

Prayer & Praise...



Person of the Week: Helen Dyck

PRAYER CHAIN: If anyone has a prayer request and wants it
 on the **Prayer Chain**, call **Madeline Hall** at 403-559-2332

- Pray for our **senior shut-ins** and **those of our church family dealing with health concerns**—Helen Dyck, Tillie Erickson, Madeline Hall, Jake & Helen Siemens, Marlene Wipf
- Pray for those who are experiencing the pressures brought on by **financial difficulties**, especially during this Christmas season.
- Pray for those who have experienced **the loss of a loved one** this past year, as Christmas is often a difficult season.
- Pray for safety for those **who will be traveling** during the Christmas holidays.

