

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...

Kenton & Sheldina Brunner: SIM, Montreal

Email: kenton@ksbrunner.ca

Please pray...

- for the upcoming **Week of Prayer** (January 14-21, 2018). It is a good thing to commence the new year with prayer and modeling the unity of Christ's church. Kenton and other leaders will organize and attend prayer meetings in various churches during the week. What an opportunity for churches to stand together in united prayer for the Church, Christian leaders and the local neighborhood.

Church of the Week...

First Baptist Church—Golden Prairie, SK

Pastor: vacant

Moderator: Gordon Fritzke



NAB Intercessor—December Prayer Requests...

- ⇒ Thank Jesus for making His home among us and showing us the way to the Kingdom of Heaven.
- ⇒ As you celebrate Christmas, pray for those who, like Mary, Joseph and Jesus, have no place to rest their head, that they might find someplace warm.
- ⇒ Pray for the ministry leaders at your church, that God would grant them patience, endurance and joy in their service.
- ⇒ Pray for those who visited your church for Christmas services without truly understanding the purpose for the holiday. Ask God to open their hears.

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.



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

December 24, 2017

"To know Christ and to make him known"

East Olds Baptist Church



Come to Bethlehem—Part 3
"Meeting Jesus"

Matthew 1:23

- Pastor James Rosenberger

East Olds Baptist Church

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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: Keith Flinn
 Welcome & Announcements
 Worship in Giving
 Lighting of the Advent Candle
 Special Music: Jana Kemmere & Lisa Gardner
 Worship in Song
 (**NO** Little Kid's Time—clipboards available)
 Message
 - *Pastor James Rosenberger*
 Benediction
 Our greeters today are Al and Nina Wearmouth.
 A **supervised nursery** is available for **children 0-3yrs** in
KidZone(Rm3)—Snuggle Room for moms & babies

EOBC...a place to grow together!

This Week...

- **Church Office Hours: 9am-12pm, Tuesday & Thursday**—Karen will be in the office **Wednesday** and **Thursday**
- Monday.....**Christmas Day!**
- Thursday.....7:30am, **Men's Prayer Time**
- Saturday.....**Church Cleaning:** B Loosman
- Sunday.....**NO** Sunday School, **11am**, **Family Worship** with Pastor James
2:30pm, **Lodge Service**
**6-8pm, New Year's Eve—Fun, Food, Fellowship & Fireworks!**
Greeters: J&J Moody **Coffee:** S Deck
Nursery: M Huyzer **NO LKT**—clipboards available


Coming Up...

- Tuesday, Jan. 9th: 6:30pm, **Awana Clubs** resume
- Thursday, Jan.11th: 9:30am, **Ladies Bible Study** (former Mom's Group) Friday, Jan. 12th: 6pm, **Awana Leader's Meeting** at Rosenberger's
- Thursday, Jan. 18th: 7pm, **Church Board Meeting**
- Jan. 28th-31st: **Leader's Retreat at Camp Caroline** for church staff
- Thursday, Feb. 1st: 7pm, **Annual Church Business Meeting**

Children & Family Ministries...

- **NO** Sunday School classes on **December 31st**. S.S. resumes **January 7th**.
- **Awana Clubs** resume **January 9th**
- Friday, Jan. 12th: 6pm, **Awana Leader's Meeting** at Rosenberger's

Youth Ministries...

-  ⇒ Sunday, Dec.31st: 6-8pm,
 All youth are welcome to **fireworks**
 at the church!
 ⇒ Watch for upcoming events!

Women's Ministries...

- Beginning Jan.11th at 9:30am at the church, **Ladies Bible Study** (formerly Mom's Group) "**The King of Glory**" led by Janette Rudd. All ladies welcome!



**FUN,
FOOD,
FELLOWSHIP
&
FIREWORKS!**
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...



Family of the Week: Joris & Riekje Van Delst

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, Madeline Hall, Jake & Helen Siemens, Marlene Wipf
- Pray for **Cheryl Leverette and the family** on the sudden passing of our ABA Regional Minister, **Jim Leverette**. Also keep in prayer his colleagues at the ABA office in Edmonton—Terry Fossen and Andrea Schroth. The Memorial Service for Jim Leverette will be held **Friday, Dec.29th, 2pm at McKernan Baptist Church** in Edmonton. The service will also be live streamed.
- 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.