

Sunday, April 16, 2017
10:00 a.m.
Easter Sunday

- Prelude**
Alleluia (Mozart arr. Meredith).....Acclamation
- Greetings & Announcements**
- Call to Worship**
- *Songs of Praise**
Christ the Lord is Risen Today
Responsive Reading.....Psalm 19:1-10
You are my King (Amazing Love)
- Reading from the Gospels**
Luke 24:1-12.....Madelyn Ripley
- Anthem**
Raise Joys and Triumphs High (McDonald)
- Pastoral Prayer**
Emphasis this week: Our City and Our Nation
Nation this week: China—Asia
- Solo: I Know That My Redeemer Liveth (Handel)**
.....Soloist: Lisa Fernandes
(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)
- Our Offerings & Response**
Alleluia, Jesus is Risen (Johnson).....Acclamation
**Doxology*
- *Song**
Rejoice the Lord is King#228
- Reading from the Gospels**
Luke 24:36-48
- Sermon**
Seeing in Believing.....Rev. Norm Derkson
- *Song**
Thine is the Glory.....# 227
- *Benediction**
- Postlude**
Jesus Christ is Risen Today (arr. Powell)
.....Bruce Clark, organ
- * PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE**

CONTRIBUTIONS & ATTENDANCE

<u>Budget YTD</u>	<u>Current YTD</u>	<u>Variance YTD</u>
\$133,019	\$188,445	\$ 55,426

<u>Attendance: English</u>	<u>Ethiopian</u>	<u>Spanish</u>	<u>Total</u>
April 9	160	73	

Baptism Sunday—May 7th

If you would like to be baptized,
please contact Pastor Jim at
403-803-6703.

Thank you Stephanie

Stephanie Gilligan has resigned from
her position as Office Administrator
here at First Baptist Church to pursue
other work.
We want to wish her well in the future
and express our heart felt gratitude
for her service over the last ten years.



We are seeking to fill this position,
preferably from within the church fam-
ily. If you are interested please send
your resume to Pastor Norm at
nderkson@firstbaptistcalgary.net
and/or to Dave Holten at
dholten@shaw.ca.



Now Mary stood outside the tomb crying. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb and saw two angels in white, seated where Jesus' body had been, one at the head and the other at the foot. They asked her, "Woman, why are you crying?" "They have taken my Lord away," she said, "and I don't know where they have put him." At this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not realize that it was Jesus. He asked her, "Woman, why are you crying? Who is it you are looking for?" Thinking he was the gardener, she said, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will get him." Jesus said to her, "Mary." She turned toward him and cried out in Aramaic, "Rabboni!" (which means "Teacher"). Jesus said, "Do not hold on to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father. Go instead to my brothers and tell them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'" Mary Magdalene went to the disciples with the news: "I have seen the Lord!" And she told them that he had said these things to her.

John 20: 11-18

Monday, April 17

Tuesday, April 18

10:00 a.m. Watercolour (Open Door)
10:00 a.m. Walking Club (Open Door)
11:00 a.m. Exercise (Open Door)
12:00 p.m. Badminton (New Gym)
12:30 p.m. Fun Bridge (Open Door)

Wednesday, April 19

10:30 a.m. Exercise (Open Door)
12:30 p.m. Ping Pong (Open Door)
12:30 p.m. Cribbage (Open Door)
1:00 p.m. Vintage Bronze (Underwood)
1:00 p.m. Barnabus—women (Bethesda)
7:00 p.m. ESL (300,302,306,307, Fireside)
7:00 p.m. Prayer (Chapel)

Thursday, April 20

10:00 a.m. Music Appreciation (Open Door)
10:30 a.m. Stitching Post (Open Door)
12:00 p.m. Badminton (New Gym)
12:30 p.m. Hymn sing (Open Door)
12:30 p.m. Scrabble (Open Door)
5:30 p.m. Handbells: Acclamation (Underwood)
6:30 p.m. Beginner Spanish (Bethesda Lounge)
7:00 p.m. Handbells: Tintinaires (Underwood)
7:00 p.m. ESL (300,302,306, 307, Fireside)
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir (Fellowship Hall)

Friday, April 21

10:00 a.m. Memory Improvement Games (Open Door)
12:00 p.m. Bridge Club (Open Door)
12:30 p.m. Ping Pong (Open Door)

Saturday, April 22

Sunday, April 23

9:40 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Room)
10:30 a.m. Ethiopian Service (Chapel)
11:00 a.m. Morning Service (Sanctuary)
12:15 p.m. Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)
2:00 p.m. Induction Service (Sanctuary)
3:00 p.m. Indonesian service (Chapel)

Ushers needed!

Due to our growing multi-generational community, we are looking for ushers to help out our current ushers. If you like meeting new people, please contact Steve Warrington.

Sunday, April 23rd

We will have a combined service with the Hispanic congregation on Sunday, April 23rd at 11:00 a.m. Our Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon will follow in Fellowship Hall. Pastor Norm's induction service will be held at 2:00 p.m. in the sanctuary.

You are invited to an event honouring our amazing volunteers!

Sunday, April 23rd
Fellowship Hall

A fun gathering, featuring the talents of our music staff.

Lunch (sandwiches and dessert) will begin at 12:15.

Please inform the church office if you have food sensitivities or allergies.

Card of Thanks

Thank you to my church Family for your sympathy cards and prayer following the passing of my dear husband, Bob Pow.

Nellie Baker

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

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Pastors

Norm Derkson
Jim Atkinson
Jonathon Shierman
Eijiro Campo
Nardos Kebede (Ethiopian)

Carey Institute will start the Spring course here at First Baptist Church from Saturday, April 22: BIBL 101/501 INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The purpose of this course is to provide students with a broad overview of the background and content of the Old Testament as well as providing students with the theological and hermeneutical framework for understanding its message and ongoing relevance for the Christian. The students will explore the major themes, persons and moments that make up the grand story of the Old Testament while paying attention to its historical, covenantal and theological contexts and its ongoing place in the life and teaching of the Church.

Instructor: Jeff Logan, CELTA, CAGS, PhD(c)

For more information or to register contact nadiahinds@gmail.com or call: 587.433.8410



Welcome Visitors

In order to meet you, we ask you to fill in one of the visitors cards located in the pews, and put it in the offering plate or deliver it to one of the ushers.

At the same time, 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.

Hospitalization

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

Encouragement cards for your use are in the pews.