

Sunday, April 30, 2017
10:00 a.m.

Prelude

Fantasia (Pachelbel)

Greetings & Announcements

Call to Worship

Songs of Praise

- *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*#8
- *Responsive Reading*.....Psalm 53:1-6
- Open the Eyes of my Heart*

Reading from the Gospels

John 10:1-18

Music Ministry

I Dreamed of Rain (arr. Nickel).....Ladies's Chorus

Pastoral Prayer

Emphasis this week: Congregational Sharing
Nation this week: Congo DRC — Africa

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

Our Offerings & Response

Organum Triplex (Perotin le Grand)
**Doxology*

***Song**

You are my King

Reading from the Epistles

2 Corinthians 5:16-21

Sermon

Ministry of Reconciliation.....Rev. Norm Derkson

***Song**

May the Mind of Christ, my Saviour# 390

***Benediction**

Postlude

All Glory Be to God on High (arr. Albrecht)

*** PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE**

CONTRIBUTIONS & ATTENDANCE

<u>Budget YTD</u>	<u>Current YTD</u>	<u>Variance YTD</u>
\$150,755	\$195,697	\$ 44,943

<u>Attendance: English</u>	<u>Ethiopian</u>	<u>Spanish</u>	<u>Total</u>
April 23	145	27	172

Baptism Sunday—May 7th

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

Office Administrator

We are seeking to fill the position of
Office Administrator here at First Bap-
tist Church, preferably from within the
church family. Please join us in prayer
as we are asking God to provide
someone with a ministry heart. If you
are interested please send your re-
sume to Pastor Norm at
nderkson@firstbaptistcalgary.net
and/or to Dave Holten at
dholten@shaw.ca.

Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers to help
out during the Lilac Festival on June
4th. If you would like to help out,
please contact Pastor Jon.
Thank you!



Finally, draw your strength from the Lord and from his mighty
power. Put on the armor of God so that you may be able to stand
firm against the tactics of the devil. For our struggle is not with flesh
and blood but with the principalities, with the powers, with the world
rulers of this present darkness, with the evil spirits in the heavens.
Ephesians 6:10-12

WELCOME TO FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Monday, May 1

11:00 a.m. Exercise (Open Door)
12:30 p.m. Mah Jong (Open Door)
12:30 p.m. Ping Pong (Open Door)

Tuesday, May 2

9:45 a.m. Art (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)
12:30 p.m. Memory Class (Open Door)

Wednesday, May 3

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, May 4

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. Movie Matinee (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, May 5

11:30 a.m. May Dinner (Open Door)
12:00 p.m. Bridge Club (Open Door)
12:30 p.m. Ping Pong (Open Door)

Saturday, May 6

9:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast (Connections)
9:30 a.m. Women's Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, May 7

9:40 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Room)
10:00 a.m. Morning Service (Sanctuary)
10:30 a.m. Ethiopian Service (Chapel)
1:00 p.m. Hispanic Service (Sanctuary)
3:00 p.m. Indonesian service (Chapel)

Encouragement cards for your use
are in the pews.

HOME MISSION
GROUP meeting on
Monday, May 1.



Speaker from Next
Step Ministries will
give presentation.
Please bring your designated femi-
nine hygiene donation and/or at
least 2 journals plus your receipts.
Any questions call Cindy at
403-238-2533 (leave message).
New members always welcome!

The Norman Dabbs Mission Group
will meet on Tuesday, May 2 at
1:00 p.m. in the Underwood Room.

Our speaker will be Dennis Shier-
man who is the Vice President of
Development for OneBook, a global
ministry providing God's Word for
people in their own language.

All ladies are invited to attend.

All Ladies Invited to:
Women's Breakfast
Sat. May 6 9:30 a.m.
Speaker: Pam Biluk
Music: Alyssa Dyck
Where: Fellowship Hall

Join us for fun, food, fellowship.
Sign up today at Information Desk
in Underwood Room.
For more info call:
Maggie 403-251-0609

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Nardos Kebede (Ethiopian)

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 bal-
cony.

After the service, please join us for fellowship and coffee in the Under-
wood Room.



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 or Mary Babowal.

Hospitalization

If you or a family member are
scheduled for a hospital treat-
ment/surgery requiring admit-
tance, please let Pastor Jim at
403-803-6703 or the church of-
fice know for follow up.