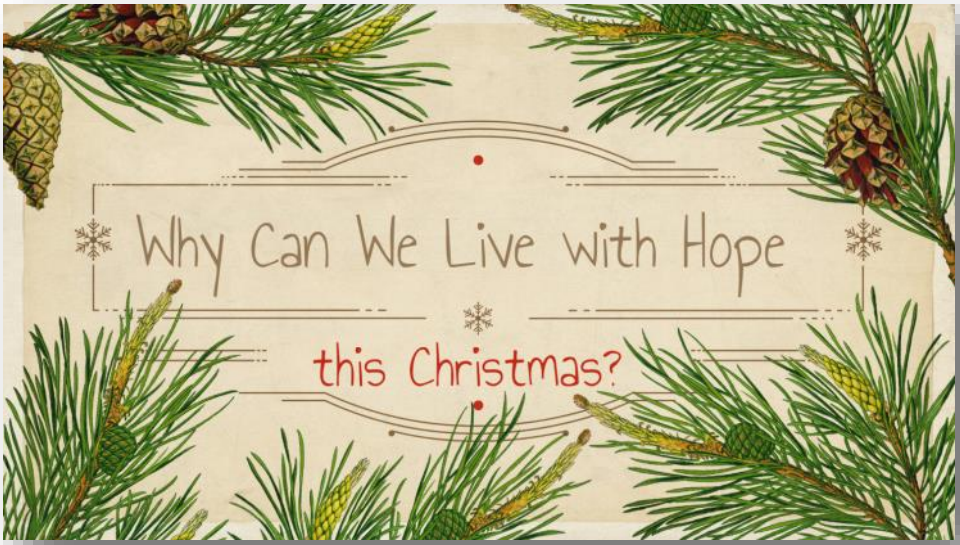
Welcome to
Sturgeon Valley Baptist Church

December 6, 2020



"Behold the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall call His name Immanuel. (Which means God with us.)"
-Matthew 1:23-

Sturgeon Valley
Baptist Church

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Be Hope Project!

As a church, we want to bring hope to those around us this Christmas season. As such, we encourage you to bless a neighbour in any small way (shovel driveway, make cookies, etc.), take a quick video/picture of the blessing, and send it to Miss Holly. We will share these deeds together as encouragement in the coming weeks!

Email: childrensdirector@svbc.ab.ca with your submissions!

Kids Christmas Pageant!

Calling all SVBC Kids; join us for our online Christmas Pageant!
Dec. 20—6:00PM
We want singers, actors, dancers, Scripture readers, and more!
Please contact Miss Holly at
childrensdirection@svbc.ab.ca

Feeling Isolated, Alone or Disconnected?

We have something that can help! We have launched some small groups that will provide opportunity to connect with others before Christmas for encouragement and prayer!

Whom is this for: ALL Adults – young to older
When: Various days of the week (call office for information-780.458.3777)
Time & Commitment: once a week or every other week, time varies dependent on group (until Christmas)
Where: Most groups will be online with some meeting here at the church, following all protocols
Why: To give you opportunity to connect and be encouraged by one another

If you are interested in participating, please give your name and contact info to one of the staff or email the church office at church@svbc.ab.ca

For more information, check out our website at www.svbc.ab.ca

Grieving with Hope at Christmas

December 6th and 13th via Zoom ~ 6:30 - 7:15PM

Have you experienced the loss of a loved one, your job or stability, mental health? This online event will provide some answers on how to grieve. To find out more info and to register, go to www.svbc.ab.ca, click on 'Events', then click on 'Grieving with Hope at Christmas'.

If you have any questions, contact Pastor Serge at 780.458.3777 by or email pastorserge@svbc.ab.ca during office hours.

Christmas Eve Service

Please join us this year for our Christmas Eve service. This year, as things are a little different, we will be hosting an In-Person and online Live-stream of the service.

Service Start Time: **6:00PM**

Please register for the event on our website ahead of time if you plan to attend in-person. Registration at www.svbc.ab.ca/events

Staff Christmas Boxes

As Christmas approaches, many of us enjoy taking the opportunity to thank our Pastors & Staff and their families. As such, gift boxes are available under the Christmas Tree in the Foyer for anyone wanting to give a gift. Thank you for your kindness and generosity.

Ways to Give

1. **Interac e-Transfer:** From your online banking, add financial@svbc.ab.ca as payee, no security question needed. For those new to e-Transfer, click on the 'Give' button on our website for instructions.
2. **Online Giving through Canada Helps:** Click on the 'Give' button on the top of our website at www.svbc.ab.ca
3. **Debit Giving:** Stop by the church during regular Office Hours.
4. **Mail-in or Drop-off:** Cheque or cash may be dropped off in the church Mail Box, dropped off at the church during regular hours, or mailed to: Sturgeon Valley Baptist Church, 51 Woodlands Rd., St. Albert, AB T8N 3Y5

Thank-you for your financial support of our Ministries here at SVBC.
Office Hours: Tuesday through Friday; 9 am – 4:30 pm

Why Can We Live with Hope this Christmas? Pt. II

Pastor Tom
December 6, 2020

~ Matthew 1:18-25

God has _____ and continues to _____.

What do we learn about the Son in this passage?

What does it reveal about God's desire to speak to His people?

How can we discover what God says to us today?

1.Refocus on…

- God is…
- God is…
- God promises…

2. Remember God…

3. Test…

4. Trust God to….

5. When waiting,...