

Sunday, March 12, 2017  
10:00 a.m.

In observance of Lent, we will refrain from  
applauding during the Church Service.

- Prelude**  
*Ricercare* (Frescobaldi)
- Greetings & Announcements**
- Call to Worship**
- Songs of Praise**  
\**Here I Am to Worship*  
\**Responsive Reading*.....Psalm 54:1-7 (page 406)  
\**Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken*.....# 278
- Scripture Reading**  
*Matthew 4:1-11*  
(pages 682 and 683 in the pew Bible)  
.....Alec Kerfoot
- Music Ministry**  
*Heaven's Gonna Be My Home* (Williams/Barrett)
- Pastoral Prayer**  
*Emphasis this week:* Our Congregation  
*Nation this week:* Brazil – Latin America  
(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)
- Our Offerings & Response**  
*Great is Thy Faithfulness* (arr. Jay Rouse)  
.....Brent Krawchuk  
\**Doxology*
- \***Song:** *Grace Greater Than Our Sin*.....# 201
- Preparing Through God's Word**  
*Faithful Son*.....Rev. Eijiro Campo
- \***Song:** *How Deep the Father's Love for Us*
- Reception of New Members**  
Sam & Moira Proskin  
Dave & Myrna Dyck
- Communion**  
\***Song:** *The Bond of Love*..... # 281
- \***Benediction**
- Postlude**  
*Toccata in A Minor* (Sweelinck).....Bruce Clark, organ
- \* PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE

CONTRIBUTIONS & ATTENDANCE

<u>Budget YTD</u>	<u>Current YTD</u>	<u>Variance YTD</u>
\$88,679	\$148,754	\$ 60,075

<u>Attendance: English</u>	<u>Ethiopian</u>	<u>Spanish</u>	<u>Total</u>	
March 5	140	15	58	213

Many thanks to everyone who generously gives of their time, money and energy throughout the year.

A specific thank you to all those who supported the Coldest Night of the Year sponsored walk. We raised an amazing \$2,900 for charities helping to alleviate hunger and homelessness in our city.

Thank you Alan Hood, Doreen Spurgeon, Hilary Meakin, Maggie Kern, Moira Proskin, Pascal Andri-amanambina, Stephanie Elmendorf Marino and others!

NOTICE OF MEETINGS

Today!

The First Baptist Church Fellowship of Calgary, Alberta Annual General Meeting will be held after the morning service.

The First Baptist Calgary Foundation AGM will take place at the same time.

Soup and a sandwich will be served.



What you decide on will be done,  
and light will shine on your ways.  
Job 22:28



**Monday, March 13**

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

**Tuesday, March 14**

10:00 a.m. Watercolour (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, March 15**

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—men ( Baraca)  
1:00 p.m. Barnabus—women (Bethesda)  
7:00 p.m. ESL (300,302,306,307, Fireside)  
7:00 p.m. Prayer (Chapel)

**Thursday, March 16**

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, March 17**

10:00 a.m. Memory Improvement (Open Door)  
11:30 p.m. Soup & Bun (Open Door)  
12:00 p.m. Bridge (Open Door)  
12:30 p.m. Ping Pong (Open Door)  
7:00 p.m. Ministry Open House (Fellowship)

**Saturday, March 18**

9:30 a.m. Women's Ministry Breakfast

**Sunday, March 19**

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)

**Pre-service prayer in the  
Prayer room at 9:40 am.**

**All ladies invited!**

The Great Canadian  
Bible Study is Sat. Mar 18  
\$8 each.



Please join us for breakfast  
at 9:30 a.m., with a Bible Study to  
follow.

Bible Study by Faye Reynolds  
Led by Janice Dyck

Breakfast made by our FBC Men's  
Ministry as a fundraiser for their  
current project.

Signup today at the Welcome Desk!

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

March 18: Women's Breakfast

April 2: Core Concert  
April 8: Men's Breakfast & Prayer  
April 23: Volunteer Appreciation  
Luncheon  
April 29: Chinese Opera Concert

May 6: Men's Breakfast & Prayer  
May 6: Women's Breakfast

June 3: Men's Breakfast & Prayer  
June 3: FBC Choir & Handbell  
Concert  
June 4: Seniors Luncheon  
June 10: Senior Ladies Tea

July 9: Stampede Sunday

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**Pastors**  
Jim Atkinson  
Jonathon Shierman  
Eijiro Campo  
Nardos Kebede (Ethiopian)

**Remember when...**

Mary Babowal is compiling a book with stories from you, our congregants,  
about our Manse. As you know, the Manse sustained considerable dam-  
age during a recent fire and Mary would like to  
preserve some of its his-  
tory. She has received  
some great submissions  
so far—keep them com-  
ing!



Please contact her direct-  
ly at 403-255-7024 with  
your memory of the  
Manse.

**YOU ARE INVITED - MINISTRY OPEN HOUSE**

On **St. Patrick's Day, Friday, March 17th**, Alan Hood will be presenting  
his latest photos on trauma healing from DR Congo plus an overview of his  
work from around the world. I hope you will be able to join us for a time of  
encouragement as we present the impact of Bible translation and our part in  
this ministry.

RSVP 403-828-5020 (text or phone) or email [alan.loverna@gmail.com](mailto:alan.loverna@gmail.com), so  
we can confirm numbers. Please come, even if you have to decide at the  
last minute, or come just for the presentation.

Schedule: 7:00 - 7:30 Dessert & Coffee,  
7:30 - 8:30 Presentation & Questions  
8:30 - 9:00 Fellowship