(Verses 8-13)

## Why is Christ-like love the "More Excellent Way?"

It ensures our ministry comes from a \_\_\_\_\_

|    | and has                       | (Verses 1-3) |
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|    |                               |              |
| 2. | It calls forth an             |              |
|    | that people need desperately. | (Verses 4-7) |
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while all other "great" works will



If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain ~ 1 Cor. 13: 1-3 nothing.



## **WELCOME TO** STURGEON VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

Glorifying God by making Disciples of Jesus Christ at home and internationally.

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## **Welcome to SVBC**



## **New to SVBC? Want to get connected? Need prayer? Has your contact info changed?**

Please fill in the Connect Card in the pew and place it in the Offering Plate or leave it at the Info Centre. We look forward to connecting with you.

## **Today at SVBC**

### **Sunday School**

9:30 am

- Age 3 Grade 4 meet in Room 218
- Grade 5 & 6 meet in Room 213

#### **Adult Sunday School**

9:30 am

- The Discovery Class ~ Prayer Room
- From Creation to Eternity ~ Room 202
- ◆ 13 Fundamentals of Faith ~ Room 203
- Looking at Jesus through Jewish Eyes ~ Room 204

Library ~ Open before & after Service ~ Come check out what's new!

#### **Worship Service**

10:45 am

#### Children's Church

**Dismissed during Service** 

- Preschool Church (Age 3 Kindergarten) ~ Room 217
- Junior Church ~ (Grade 1 3) ~ Room 218
- Grades 4-6 ~ Activity Sheets at the Info Centre
- Pre-teen Church ~ Fireside Room

#### Church Picnic in the Park - June 4th

If you are new to SVBC or been here for a while ... you and your family are invited to our church picnic. Come meet the Pastors, Elders, and Deacons and fellowship with the brother's and sisters! Hot dogs and hamburgers available, children's games, and great music. Bring your own lawn chair and a dish to share.



Please join us after each service for a time of fellowship in the Foyer! All are welcome!

| Upcoming Services |            |   |  |
|-------------------|------------|---|--|
| May 21            | David J.   | <ul> <li>◆ Victoria Day Weekend</li> <li>◆ No Sunday School</li> <li>◆ Office Closed Monday May 22nd</li> </ul> |  |
| May 28            | Pastor Tom | Matthew 23:13-39     Membership Sunday     Last Sunday School   |  |
| June 4            | Pastor Tom | ◆ Summer Service Times begin ~ 10:00 am<br>◆ Matthew 24:1-28<br>◆ Church Picnic ~ Place TBD                     |  |

# What's Happening @ SVBC:

Grad Sunday: Sunday, June 11th. Save the Dates: Grads get your baby & current/grad pictures in to Landon BEFORE Friday, June 2nd! Email to: church@svbc.ab.ca Reminder to mark your calendars ~ wear your Grad Duds for Worship Service. A BBQ at Littmann's will take place in the evening! More details to follow.

HART Thank You! To the Girls Club. Boys Club and LMO of SVBC for their generous donations to the HART Auction on the 29th of April. They raised \$100, \$150, and \$80, respectively, for a total of \$330.00 which will provide a camping experience this summer for 10 children! For some of them this will be a rare opportunity to hear the gospel and enjoy 3 meals a day! God is Good!

#### Introducing the 2017 Summer Staff:

Children's Ministry Intern: Sherry began on Tuesday, May 9th and Summer Admin: Elexa will begin on

Tuesday. May 16th. Please join us in welcoming them aboard!

Debit Giving Now Available: For your convenience, the terminal is available at the Coffee Station! Any questions email: treasurer@svbc.ab.ca

Find the hidden Cross in today's Bulletin !

- +Saturday, May 20th @ 2 pm Bridal Shower for Lisa. Contact the church office at church@svbc.ab.ca to contribute to the aroup aift.
- Thursday, June 1st Bridal Shower for Meagan. Details to come.
- ◆ VBS: July 10 14th ~ SVBC Family registration opens May 1st! See Peter or Sherry for details.

#### Mom's Morning Out:

Are you or someone you know looking to connect with other moms with little ones? Please join us Tuesday mornings from 9:30 to 11:00 in the SVBC gym or at the park for some playtime and conversation! For more information contact the church office at 780.458.3777 or email church@svbc.ab.ca

Visitation Team: We are looking for a few people to help provide rides to some of our members who do not have transportation to come to church on Sunday morning. Please contact Pastor Serge for details at pastorserge@svbc.ab.ca

Office Closed: Monday, May 22nd Enjoy your Victoria Day Weekend!



### Grade 7 - 12 are Invited!

Last Bible Study—this Wednesday 6:45 pm

for 180 Bible Study @ the Dietzmann's

Fridays 7 pm for great activities!

More details: svbc.ab.ca/ministries/youth





#### **Next Youth Event:** Grade 6 - 12

Ice Blocking @ Snake Hill

Friday, May 26th ~ 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm See svbc.ab.ca/ministries/youth for details



Resources available: Weekly Bulletin: svbc.ab.ca/news

Discipleship: svbc.ab.ca/pages/discipleship Written & Audio Sermons: svbc.ab.ca/media

Family & Marriage: sybc.ab.ca/ministries/family-marriage-ministry

RightNow Media: rightnowmedia.org For free invite email church@svbc.ab.ca

Free Wi-Fi available Network: Free-WiFi-SVBC



