

August 15, 2021



*The purpose of Bethany Baptist Church is to bring glory to God by making disciples who reflect the character and priorities of Jesus Christ.*



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**Today - Sunday, August 15**

10:30 a.m. Worship Service [Live Streamed]

Martin Scholz

**No** Sunday Evening Prayer Time

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### Nursery

Nursery open but unsupervised.

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### Important Notes!

1. Please contact the church office with any questions, concerns, or comments.
2. If you wish to have a CD of the service please contact the church office.
3. Donations may be made online on the church website [www.bethanybaptist.ab.ca](http://www.bethanybaptist.ab.ca) (click on donate in upper right). Also by mail or dropped off at the church office.
4. We are looking for volunteers for our audio/visual team for Sunday services, contact the church office if you are interested.

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### Financial Summary -- January 1 to July 31, 2021

Cash Balances	Jan 1	Receipts	Payments	Transfers	July 31
General	209,448	157,448	156,290	(17,500)	193,106
Missions	15,180	42,377	46,495		11,062
Benevolent	10,400	50	250		10,200
Camp	0	815	490		325
Facilities	43,078	0	39,321	17,500	21,257
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>278,106</b>	<b>200,690</b>	<b>242,846</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>235,950</b>

## Upcoming Events

**Monday, August 16**

### Summer Women's Bible Study

1:30 p.m. at the church  
(basement)

Women of all ages are welcome to join the study "Names of God" by Kay Arthur of Precept Ministries. This session is being facilitated by Marilyn Kowalchuk. Please bring your Bible, a notebook and pen. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Marilyn.

**Wednesday, August 18**

### JH & SH Youth

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Contact Erik Babbitt for location.

**Sunday, August 22**

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

[Live Streamed]

Tom Smith

**Sunday, August 22**

### Sunday Evening Prayer Time

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the church

**September 3-5**

**FAMILY CAMP** at Camp Little Red  
Signup sheet and other info. is in the lower foyer.

**Payment needs to be made at church office by August 27.**

**Food items that need to be brought for Friday Night Wiener Roast need to be signed up for by August 29.**

**Sunday, September 19**

### Pastor Dennis & Ruth Burriss'

### Retirement Celebration

Watch for details!

**Sunday, September 26**

12:00 p.m. Discovering Bethany  
Newcomers Lunch at the church

**Signup list in foyer.**

**Sunday, November 7**

### Bethany Baptist's 90th Anniversary Celebration

If you have any memories, stories, or photos or are interested in taking part in planning, helping, and/or sharing ideas for this event, \*Contact Michelle Wallace.

### Psalm 18

### The LORD is My Rock and My Fortress

1. I love you, O LORD, my strength.
2. The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.
3. I call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised, and I am saved from my enemies.

## Prayer Opportunities

**Pray for our Missionaries.  
Refer to your "In the Fold"  
Missionary Prayer Cards.**

- **Acute Health Needs:**
- **Children:** Awana Ministry
- **Fellowship Prairies Church:** Mayerthorpe Baptist, Mayerthorpe, AB

To send a Prayer Request or join the Prayer Line: Phone or email the church office

## Small Groups Ministry

Coordinator: Martin Scholz - 403-346-8026

- **Rempel** - call: Ken (Tuesdays 1:30 p.m.) Fellowship Hall at the church
- **Scholz** - call: Martin & Lorna (Two Sundays per month after the service)
- **Shortt/Reeve** - call: Doug & Joan/Don & Patricia  
(Wednesdays 1:30 p.m.) Fellowship Hall at the church
- **Smith** - call: Tom & Tina (Wednesdays 6:30 p.m.)
- **Street** - call: Dave & Laurel

As a way to serve and shepherd our church family better, the Elders Board would like to invite your prayer requests, comments, and questions to the Elder associated with your last name **or email to** [elders@bethanybaptist.ab.ca](mailto:elders@bethanybaptist.ab.ca).

### Elder Shepherding Groups

A-C (Pastor Peter Erratt); D-G (Lyndon Unger); H-K (David Street); L-O (Tom Smith);  
P-R (Don Collier); S-Z (Dennis Burriss)

### Donation Policy

The spending of funds received by Bethany Baptist Church is confined to Church approved programs and projects. Each gift designated toward an approved program or project will be used as designated with the understanding that when any given need has been met, or the specified program or project cannot be reasonably carried out or has not been approved, designated gifts will be used where needed most. Where appropriate, an official receipt for tax purposes will be issued as soon as possible after the year end.