

March 19, 2023



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, March 19

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

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

Pastor Peter Erratt

6:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Prayer

Mark 6:14-29

The Death of John the Baptist

¹⁴ King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some said, "John the Baptist has been raised from the dead. That is why these miraculous powers are at work in him." ¹⁵ But others said, "He is Elijah." And others said, "He is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old." ¹⁶ But when Herod heard of it, he said, "John, whom I beheaded, has been raised." ¹⁷ For it was Herod who had sent and seized John and bound him in prison for the sake of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because he had married her. ¹⁸ For John had been saying to Herod, "It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife." ¹⁹ And Herodias had a grudge against him and wanted to put him to death. But she could not, ²⁰ for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he kept him safe. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed, and yet he heard him gladly. [See passage for verses 20-29]

Nursery

Available during the service, supervised room downstairs
Unsupervised room at the back of the sanctuary with audio

Children's Church

[Ages 4-8] Downstairs in the Fireside room

Today:

Libby F.
Hannah D.
Jayden B.

Next Week:

Pastor Jerid K.
Tessa D.
Maddy W.

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, March 22
Men's Prayer Breakfast
6:30 a.m. at the church

Wednesday, March 22
Seniors 65+
“Growing in Christ - Serving with Joy”
9:30 a.m. Coffee
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Group Time
Martin Scholz will be reporting on the S. Africa Green Sleeves land project.

Wednesday, March 22
JH & SH Parent Appreciation Night
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
See website events for details!

Thursday, March 23
No SH Youth

Thursday, March 23
Choir Practice
7:00 p.m. at the church

Friday, March 24
No Women's Biblical Foundations Bible Study Class

Friday, March 24
Ladies Event
6:30 p.m. at the church
Signup list in foyer.

Sunday, March 26
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Pastor Peter Erratt [Live Streamed]
Baptism
Supervised Nursery
Children's Church [Ages 4-8]
6:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Prayer

Tuesday, March 28
Bethany Kid's Club
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the church
Ages 5 to Grade 5
Contact Pastor Jerid for information.

Saturday, April 1
Men's Breakfast
8:00 a.m. at the church
Join us for breakfast and fellowship.
Cost is \$5.00 to cover the cost of breakfast and coffee. **Contact Pastor Peter or Pastor Jerid if you plan to attend.**

Friday, April 7
Good Friday Service
10:30 a.m. at the church

Saturday, April 8
Easter Egg Hunt
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
See website events for details!

Sunday, April 9
Choir Easter Cantata
10:30 a.m. at the church

Tuesday, April 18
Discovering Bethany Baptism Class
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the church

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**Discovering Bethany Membership Class**  
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. at the church  
**Signup lists in foyer.**

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**Sunday, April 30**  
**Newcomers Lunch**  
12:00 p.m. at the church  
**Signup list in foyer.**

## Prayer Opportunities

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

- **Acute Health Needs:**
- **Ministry:** Seniors
- **Fellowship Prairies Church:** First Baptist, Lloydminster, SK

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

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## Life Groups Ministry

If you are interested in leading and/or hosting a Life Group, contact Coordinator:  
Martin Scholz - 403-346-8026.

The following groups meet on a variety of different nights and locations.  
See link <https://www.bethanybaptist.ab.ca/ministries/life-groupsinfo>.

- **Archibald,** Tim & Michelle
- **Collier,** Don & Jan
- **Erratt,** Pastor Peter & Nancy
- **Klassen,** Pastor Jerid & Emma
- **Scholz,** Martin & Lorna
- **Smith,** Tom & Tina
- **Street,** David & Laurel

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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-B (Cory Leniuk); C-D (Pastor Peter Erratt); E-G (Lyndon Unger); H-J (David Street);  
K-N (Tom Smith); O-R (Don Collier); S-Z (Dennis Burriss)

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