



WELCOME TO CENTRAL

Renewing Our Community Through the Gospel

TODAY

August 16, 2026

9:45 am | Pre-service Communion (Youth Chapel)

10:00 am | Pre-service Prayer (Youth Chapel)

10:30 am | Worship Service

“Neither Right nor Left—A Parable for our Times”

Luke 15:11–32

Pastor Ben Hall, Lead Pastor Saanich Baptist Church

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August 17–23

Tuesday	 18	Walking Soles (9:30am) Street Teams (5:30–7:30pm)
Thursday	 20	Street Teams (5:30–7:30pm)
Saturday	 22	Men’s Community Group (9:30am)
Sunday	 23	Worship Service (10:30am) Ministry Leaders’ Meeting (12:30pm)

NEWS

Ministry Leaders’ Meeting | August 23 @ 12:30pm. This is meeting for Ministry Leaders, team leaders, and volunteers involved with leadership in any Central Ministry. We will provide a simple lunch, practical training tips, and also take time for a Q&A and table discussions. If you are unable to join that day, we would ask that you please send a representative from your team. They can then report back to your team to keep consistent communication flowing regarding the bigger picture of how teams are working together at Central.

Rooted & Ready | September 5 @ 9:30am. This is a joint ministry team-building and training event for all Central Ministries. We’ll gather for a time of worship, vision, and fun, as well as share a meal and receive ministry specific training as needed. Please plan to join us as we launch our ministry season.

Operation Christmas Child | It’s time to start shopping for your **Operation Christmas Child** shoebox gifts for children around the world! SCHOOL SUPPLIES are on sale in August ~ pencils/pens, ruler, notebooks, crayons, calculator, math set, etc.

Tea at Oak Bay Assembly | August 20 @ 2pm. Come hear retired missionary, Darlene Oppel, speak about her time in Southeast Asia. All ladies welcome, no RSVP needed. Oak Bay Assembly Church is located at 1900 Oak Bay Ave. For more details, contact Virginia Ramiro at 250-386-7342.

Accommodations for Rokebys | Central Missionaries, Andrew and Tanya Rokeby, will be visiting Victoria and are looking for accommodations for their family for September 19–21. Two rooms for them and their children would be ideal. ***Note: The family has cat allergies.* If you are able to house the Rokeby family, please contact Marilyn Miller.

First Wednesdays | First Wednesdays begins October 7. Join us for a shared meal, worship, teaching, and prayer.

CONNECT

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Children’s Ministry | To receive the at-home Kids Church curriculum newsletter, email the office | office@centralbaptistchurch.ca

Central Youth | Subscribe to weekly emails | youth@centralbaptistchurch.ca and Instagram | [@centralyouthvic](https://www.instagram.com/centralyouthvic) for up-to-date information.

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