Upcoming Sermons

This week, in Revelation 5, we shall see Heaven in suspense, waiting for the entry of Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God. Why does he reveal himself to the world in this way, what does it mean for us, and what are we left with, by the end of chapter five?

Next week, we shall celebrate the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, God with Us, Emmanuel.

If you would like a digital copy of Pastor Jim's sermon on Sunday morning, please let him know.

New To First Baptist Church?

On the backs of the chairs, we have communication cards you can use to ask questions, let us know you were here today, or even to write out a prayer request. You can give your completed card to one of our church leaders.

Our toddler room is located off the foyer and staffed for the entire service for ages 1-3. A mom's nursing room adjoins this room. Children age 4 to 9 are dismissed from the service closer to the sermon for an age appropriate teaching time that is lots of fun. Pizza Boxes are available in the foyer filled with color and activity pages for children who wish to remain in the service.

Following the service, please feel free to join us in the gym for coffee and treats and to get to know one another.

Ministry Opportunities/Schedules

Worship: Dec 15–Pastor Chris's Team Dec 22–Corinne 's Team Dec 29-Pastor Chris's Team Power Point: Dec 15–Dan Dec 22–Don Dec 29–Don Sound Board: Dec 15-Terry Dec 22-Stuart Dec 29–Mark Dec 15– Luke Livestream: Dec 22–Tina Dec 29–Jason Coffee Time: Dec 15–Potluck Dec 22–Guido Dec 29–Kate Greeter: Dec 15–Alberto & Lorna Dec 22–Blaine & Marylin Dec 29–Vivian Toddler Time: Dec 15–Tina, Anna Dec 22–Vikita, Skye Kid's Church: Dec 15–Cathy, Janelle Dec 22–Aaron. Wolens

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FBC Elders

Love One Another...John 13:34



The Lamb of God Scripture - Revelation 5:1-14 Speaker: Pastor Jim Galbraith December 15, 2024





PRAYER Grow your faith and trust in God by rooting your life in prayer each day.

Health Needs: Ellen: Vern: Kim

Mission Partners: Northern Canada Evangelical Mission Albert & Barb Heal

First Baptist Church Dauphin **Community Organizations:** Salvation Army Outpost

Churches in our Community: New Life Indian Alliance Fellowship

CBWC Heartland Churches:

(Dauphin, MB Rev. Loralyn

Lind (Senior Pastor)

Families of FBC: Ken & Twylla; Brian & Margaret

Staff & Elders of FBC: Jim Galbraith (Lead)

This Week (December 16th-22nd)

Monday	7:00 pm	The Road A.A. Meeting	
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Northern Lights Al-Anon	
Wednesday	1:30 pm	Bible Study and Coffee time	
Thursday	7:00 pm	Youth Group	
Friday	6:00 pm	Staff & Elders' Christmas Party	
Saturday	3:00 pm 7:00 pm	ESL Class Ukrainian Service	
Sunday	9:30 am 10:30 am 2:00 pm 6:00 pm	Sunday School Worship Service Karen Service JRAM Service	

Church Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Pastoral staff may also be in the office in the afternoon please call ahead to see who's in the building 306-764-5869.

OUR PURPOSE IS TO REACH, TEACH, NURTURE, AND EQUIP PEOPLE TO EXALT JESUS AS LORD. HERE ARE SOME WAYS THAT YOU CAN JOIN IN ON WHAT GOD IS DOING HERE AT FIRST BAPTIST

DVENT The season to focus on the virtues of Jesus: Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love.

Advent reading: This morning we invite up Guido & Tina to share the Advent reading as we light the candle of Joy.

Christmas Choir: Parents: The final practice for the children's church Christmas choir is Sunday December 22 at 10am. Please plan to come to church early that day if you are able! If you have any questions please contact Mark or Naomi Klumpenhower.

Our Daily Bread: The devotional books will not arrive until after the postal strike. Please note that Our Daily Bread Ministries Canada offers the daily devotional, among many other valuable resources on their website ourdailybreadministries.ca and the Our Daily Bread Ministries app.

Staff Appreciation Gift: Each year we give a monetary Christmas gift of appreciation to our staff. We are doing that again this year. Gifts will be collected by Peter or Albert Heal until Wednesday, December 18th.

Monthly Potluck: Join us after the worship service today for our monthly potluck lunch. Everyone is welcome.

A Verse to Think About: Luke 2:9-11

An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord."

How wonderful it must have been for the shepherds to receive the news that a Saviour would be born. Today we have the joy of knowing that not only did our Saviour come, but that He will come again. As we light the 3rd candle of Advent, let us reflect and rejoice over everything the Lord has done. Naomi Klumpenhower; Equipping Elder



STEWARDSHIP Updates on our church finances.

Monthly Financial Update: November 2024

-	Revenue	Expenses	Balance
November	35,150.36	22,546.58	12,603.78
YTD Totals	264,281.18	267,119.90	-2,838.72

We had very good income in November. However, we still have a negative balance of \$2,838.72 and are still \$14,562 short of our full 2024 budget goal.

Christmas Special Offering: The Elders have decided that the Christmas Special offering should go toward the General Fund of FBC, as was the Thanksgiving offering we feel our priority is to make up the deficit in the budget.

December Benevolent Offering: The December Benevolent offering (s) will go toward Christmas hampers!

Offering Envelopes: Do not throw out your extra offering **envelopes:** We are not ordering new envelopes this year but rather recycling the ones we have. If you have excess at home please reuse them or bring them to the church, the date is not an issue, your number is all we need! For those who are out, let Debbie Heal know, via text or calling (306-961-9113) and she will give you as many as you need.



REACH Take time to invest in relationships and invite someone to church.

Reaching Out Street Ministry has a tote in the gym for collecting: blankets, winter jackets, hoodies, socks, boots for men & women.

Warm Hands: Please donate a pair of adult mittens or gloves to hang on the Christmas tree in the lobby. Your generosity will help keep someone's hands warm this winter. Thank you for sharing the gift of warmth and kindness! Together, we can make the season brighter for those we serve through Reaching Out Street Ministry.