December 8, 2019



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, December 8

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

9:00 a.m. Discovering Bethany Baptism Class

10:00 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Pastor Peter Erratt

2:30 p.m. Revera Senior Living

Children's Ministries

Children's Church [Age 4 - Gr. 3]

Workers Today

Next Week

Nancy E. No

Morgan D. Children's

Taia U. Church

Nursery

Supervised downstairs during the service Unsupervised at back of auditorium

Workers Today Next Week

Clarissa P. Stephanie A.

Marionne V. Bethany B.

Eunice V. Jianne V.

Financial Summary January 1 to November 30, 2019					
Fund Balance	Jan 1	Receipts	Payments	Transfers	Nov. 30
General	119,583	290,037	265,285	*(28,723)	115,612
Missions	17,345	68,312	68,567		17,090
Benevolent	10,922	2,315	4,689		8,548
Camp	220	450	670		0

^{*} Transfers: Facilities Fund reserve \$27,500; computer purchase \$1,223

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, December 10

Women of BBC Biblical Foundations Course 9:30 a.m. at the church

Awana & JH Youth 6:30 p.m. at the church \$35 per child or (Max of \$140 per immediate Family) Kindergarten - Gr. 5 Gr. 6-9

Wednesday, December 11

Men's Prayer Breakfast 6:30 a.m. at the church

Seniors 65+
"Growing in Christ Serving with Joy"
9:30 a.m. Coffee
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Group Time
Hot Lunch - \$7

SH Youth 6:30 p.m. at the church

Thursday, December 12

9:30 a.m. Women of BBC Encourage Group [at the Wallace's 403-396-7295] 1:00 p.m. Women of BBC Encourage Group [at the Benke's 403-506-6131]

Choir Practice 7:00 p.m. at the church

Friday, December 13
Men's Night
6:30 p.m. at the church

Saturday, December 14

Children's Christmas Program Rehearsal 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. at the church

Sunday, December 15

9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer
[Fireside Room Downstairs]
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Children's Christmas Program
Pastor Peter Erratt
Children's Christmas Party
following the program
[Ages 4 - Grade 5]
Downstairs in Fellowship Hall

December 22, 29, January 5 No Sunday School

Sunday, December 22

Choir Christmas Musical 10:30 a.m. at the church

Tuesday, December 24 Christmas Eve Service

6:30 p.m. at the church

Consider being a part of our **Christmas Eve Service**. Would you like to provide special instrumental or vocal music, read a poem or Scripture or... Looking forward to hearing from you. Please contact the church office. And thanks in advance!

Sunday School: 87 Attendance Last Week: 171

Prayer Opportunities



Missionary of the Month

Phil & Deene Webb Fellowship International/ Fellowship Prairies Edmonton, AB

- Acute Health Needs:
- Children: Abuse Prevention and Procedures Ministry
- Fellowship Prairies Church:

Raymond Baptist, Raymond, AB

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

Small Groups Ministry

Coordinator: Martin Scholz

- Blankestijn call: Addie & Diana (Fridays 6:30 p.m.)
- Scholz call: Martin & Lorna (Two Sundays per month after the service)
- Shortt/Reeve call: Doug & Joan (Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.)

Don & Patricia

- Smith call: Tom & Tina (Wednesdays 6:30 p.m.)
- Street call: Dave & Laurel

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.