

MISSION SUNDAY 2026

FEBRUARY 8 • BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH

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

SCHEDULE

9:00 AM Q&A Panel with Our Missionaries

10:30 AM Worship Service

12:00 NOON Potluck with Our Missionaries

6:00 PM Prayer Meeting

Nursery is available in the supervised room downstairs or the unsupervised room in the back of the sanctuary with audio

Main Speaker Today
Phil Webb

BBC Supported Missionaries who are joining us today:



Martin & Lorna Scholz



Rod & Donna Black



Phil & Deene Webb



Kevin & Micaela Miller

Our Other Supported Missionaries:



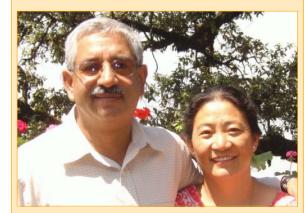
Andrew & Tanja Rokeby



Ric & Darlene Munro



Jon & Christina Malpass



Tony & Tsering Malik



Vance & Korelei Nelson



Jim & Cathy Hansen

OUR ELDER SHEPHERDING GROUP

A-B → Lyndon Unger

C-D → Tim Archibald

E-H → David Street

I-M → Pastor Peter Erratt

N-R → Tom Smith

S → Cory Leniuk

T-Z → Dennis Burriss

According to the first letter of your last name, feel free to bring any questions or concerns to your assigned elder or email them at elders@bethanybaptist.ab.ca

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PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

- Health Needs: Lorraine Hort, Gord Rue
- Email us your prayer requests or to join the Prayer Line!

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

Mission Ministry

Pray for the mission board members who faithfully care for our supported missionaries. May God give them wisdom to help the church commit to the Great Commission. Pray for the missionaries that they may be strengthened in every way—spiritually, emotionally, and physically—so they may serve with courage, perseverance, and joy. Inspire them with a genuine love for the people they reach and a steadfast commitment to Your Kingdom. To God be the glory.

JOIN OUR LIFE GROUP

EVERY SUNDAY AFTERNOON

- Tim & Michelle Archibald

EVERY OTHER SUNDAY

- Martin & Lorna Scholz
- Tom & Tina Smith
- Peter & Nancy Erratt

EVERY WEDNESDAY

- Don & Jan Collier
- David & Laurel Street

EVERY THURSDAY

- Mark & Shannia Guenther

EVERY OTHER THURSDAY

- Lyndon & Leah Unger

UPCOMING EVENTS

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 10

6:30 pm Adventure Club
6:30 pm Youth Group

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 11

6:30 am Men's Breakfast
9:30 am Seniors' Ministry

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 13

9:30 am Ladies' Bible Study
6:30 PM Youth Night

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 15

No Sunday School
10:30 am Baptism

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 20

6:30 pm Men's Night

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 21

2 pm Baby Shower for Zenith

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 22

10:30 am Baptism

MONDAY FEBRUARY 23

7 pm SLB Meeting

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 27

6:30 pm Ladies' Night

Satan doesn't mind if we just stay busy with church activities. But when we begin to reach the lost, grow new believers, and then equip them to go and repeat the process, we become targets for the enemy.

– Dann Spader, 4 Chair Discipling

GOT QUESTIONS ARTICLE

What does the Bible say about world missions?

The Bible does not use the phrase “world missions,” but God is certainly missions-minded ([Luke 19:10](#)), and His love extends to all the world ([John 3:16](#)). The salvation of all nations is a concern for every Christian, based on at least three factors presented in Scripture:

First, world missions is important because God is the Creator of all people; second, God cares about all people equally; and, third, God desires all people to be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth about Jesus Christ ([1 Timothy 2:4](#)). Because of God's attitude toward the people of the whole world, we know that world missions—the evangelization of all the people of the world—is a worthy goal. God sent His Son into the world to fulfill this prophecy: “The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned” ([Isaiah 9:2](#)).

World missions has its foundation in Jesus' command to His disciples to go into all the world and “make disciples of all nations” ([Matthew 28:19](#)). This is exactly what the disciples endeavored to do. In Syrian Antioch, Paul and Barnabas were “set apart” by the Holy Spirit and called for a special work ([Acts 13:2](#)). That work was to evangelize Cyprus and Asia Minor.

Eventually, Paul's missionary work took him to Europe. Always, Paul strived to be a pioneer in world missions: “It has always been my ambition to preach the gospel where Christ was not known, so that I would not be building on someone else's foundation” ([Romans 15:20](#)). Paul preached the gospel “from Jerusalem all the way around to Illyricum” (verse 19); he had plans to go to Spain (verse 24), and he eventually made it to Rome. The book of Acts showcases the missionary fervor of the early church and emphasizes the necessity of world missions.

God does not show partiality to one race or nation above another ([Acts 10:34-35](#)). The Bible says that, without Christ, we are all in the same spiritual condition: all have fallen short of God's glory and are under Adam's curse. Everyone—every race, every person, every nationality—needs to hear the gospel. Everyone needs the righteousness of God that comes through faith in Jesus Christ. “How . . . can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can anyone preach unless they are sent?” ([Romans 10:14-15](#)). The offer of grace is extended to all; God cares about all people equally.

We should pursue world missions because God desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth ([1 Timothy 2:4](#)). The offer of salvation is made to “whosoever will” ([Revelation 22:17, KJV](#)). “Is God the God of Jews only? Is he not the God of Gentiles too? Yes, of Gentiles too” ([Romans 3:29](#)). Revelation describes the new, heavenly city of Jerusalem as a place where all nations will walk in the light of the Lamb and where the glory of all nations will dwell ([Revelation 21:22-27](#)). God cares about all nations, and representatives of all nations will be present in heaven.

The angel gave the Bethlehem shepherds “good news that will cause great joy for all the people” ([Luke 2:10](#)). When we support world missions, when we share the good news of the redemption that is in Jesus Christ, we glorify God, who says, “How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring good news, who proclaim peace, who bring good tidings, who proclaim salvation” ([Isaiah 52:7](#)).

December Financial Report

General Fund Donation	Monthly Budget	Received
	\$32,829	\$79,144

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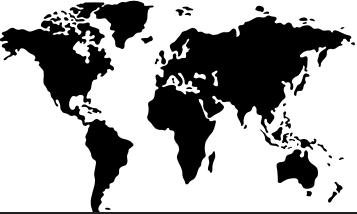
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Kids Sermon Notes

Rod & Donna Black

What mission organization do Mr. & Mrs. Black work with?



Where do they live?

Circle all the activities Rod & Donna were involved in:

- Arts outreach
- Leadership development
- Media production
- Coaching leaders in disciple-making ministries
- Building spaceships

Draw 1 interesting things you learned about their ministry:

A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, intended for a child to draw something related to the ministry of Rod and Donna Black.

Kevin & Micaela Miller

What mission organization do Mr. & Mrs. Miller work with?



Phil & Deene Webb

What mission organization do Mr. & Mrs. Webb work with?



Where do they live?

Circle all the activities the Millers are involved in:

- Raising up disciples
- Equipping and training people to follow Jesus
- Transforming families and communities through the Holy Spirit
- Building schools and hospitals
- Launching rockets

Where do they live?

Circle all the activities Phil & Deene are involved in:

- Helping Calvary Baptist Church become a family of congregations
- Leadership training and discipleship
- Children's ministry development
- Coaching missionaries and church leaders
- Launching rockets

Draw 1 interesting things you learned about their ministry:

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Martin & Lorna Scholz

What mission organization do Mr. & Mrs. Scholz work with?



Where do they live?

Circle all the things Martin & Lorna were involved in:

- Teaching and sharing God's Word
- Jail ministry
- Taking care of street children and families
- Helping start churches in the Philippines
- Teaching sustainable living and gardening
- Launching rockets

Draw 1 interesting things you learned about their ministry:

Name: _____

BBC Supported Missionaries

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Find the following words in the puzzle.

Words are hidden → and ↓

MALPASS
HANSEN
MILLER
NELSON

ROKEBY
SCHOLZ
BLACK
MALIK

MUNRO
WEBB