

130th Anniversary

Join us on May 13th with your friends and family to celebrate and thank God for his faithfulness during these 130 years. Pray with us for the spiritual impact of this historic weekend.

Hour of prayer

If you would like to contribute with some baking for our *Hour of prayer*, please contact Jessica at the office.

Directory

We are grateful to all of you who helped us with the Directory.

Please help us make corrections to the directory by informing Jessica of any errors or omission you notice at 403-263-5911 or info@firstbaptistcalgary.net before April 1st.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation.

Encouragement cards for your use are in the pews.

Please refrain from using scented products due to allergies and sensitivities. Thank you!

H Hospitalization

If you or a family member are scheduled for hospital treatment/surgery requiring admittance, please let Pastor Jim know at 403-803-6703 or contact the church office for follow up.

FBC this week

Monday, March 19

10:00 a.m. Men's Bible Fellowship (Baraca)

Tuesday, March 20

9:30 a.m. Torah classes (Baraca Room)

7:00 p.m. Youth (West Wing)

Wednesday, March 21

7:30 a.m. Prayer (Chapel)

1:00 p.m. Vintage Bronze (Underwood)

2:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study (Prayer Room)

7:00 p.m. Prayer (Chapel)

Thursday, March 22

5:30 p.m. Acclamation (Underwood Room)

7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, March 25

9:40 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Room)

10:00 a.m. Morning Service (Sanctuary)

10:30 a.m. Ethiopian Service (Chapel)

11:30 a.m. Youth Bible Study (West Wing)

11:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study (Connections)

1:00 p.m. Hispanic Service (Sanctuary)

3:00 p.m. Indonesian service (Chapel)

CONTRIBUTIONS AND ATTENDANCE

Budget YTD	\$104,808	English	149
Current YTD	\$145,321	Spanish	55
Variance YTD	\$40,514	Total	204

New ESV Pew Bibles

If you would like a personal copy of the ESV Pew Bibles, one can be purchased for \$25. Please contact Jessica at the office 403-263-5911 or info@firstbaptistcalgary.net

I am the true vine,
and my Father is
the vinegrower.

John 15:1



WELCOME TO
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Pastor Norm Derkson Pastor Jim Atkinson
 Pastor Eijiro Campo (Hispanic)

Our prayer is that you will find:

*Real People
 Authentic Worship
 Honest Search for Truth,*

as we gather to meet with God together.

Order of Worship

SUNDAY, MARCH 18 2018

Prayer of Invocation

Prelude
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (Arr. Sanders Cota)
 - Acclamation

***Songs of Praise**
Immortal, Invisible - #25
Responsive Reading - Psalm 57: 7-11 (p. 564)
Mighty to Save

Reading from the Old Testament
1 Chronicles 16:8-11 & 23-31(pp. 408-409)
 Donna-Faye Gould

Anthem
The Lord is My Strength (Raney)

Pastoral Prayer

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

Our Offerings & Response
Lord of the Dance (Arr. Ratcliffe) - Acclamation
 *Doxology

***Song**
And Can It Be? - #203

Sermon scripture
Colossians 2:16-19(p. 1169)

Sermon
Hold Fast to the Head - Rev. Norm Derkson

***Song**
Trust and Obey - #349

***Benediction**

Postlude
Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (Arr. Sanders Cota)
 Acclamation

***PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE**

"We will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word." Acts 6:4



PRAYER

As a church family we gather together to pray and you are welcome to join us:

Sunday: Pre-service prayer
 Prayer room at 9:40 a.m.

Wednesday: 7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
 join us to pray in the Chapel.

Hour of prayer

You can also join us to pray during our *Hour of Prayer* on Sunday March 25th after the am service.

Join us to pray for our family needs:
 Sylvia Thompson, Marilyn Henriques,
 John Teibe, Bart Dailley, Kathleen Irwin.

To be included in our Prayer Chain, please contact Erna: 403-284-3737 (confidential/urgent prayer request)



The Bible

Please contact Pastor Jim at 403-803-6703 if you would like to participate in one of our Bible Studies.

Lunchtime service

We will have our Lunchtime service on Tuesday March 27 from 12:15 to 12:45 in our Sanctuary.
 Everyone is welcome.



OUR CHURCH

Life Together

Youth

FBC youth are getting together on Tuesday, March 20th at 7pm. We will meet in the West Wing. Everyone is welcome to join us for a laid back time together!

Young adults

We are meeting today after the service in the Underwood Room. Find Edward, or call/text at 587-321-0679

Easter Memorial Flowers

Special offering envelopes for Easter memorial flowers are in the pew holders. This is a special way to remember a loved one and decorate the Sanctuary. Please be sure to include the correct spelling for the name of person being remembered. To make a contribution, please return the envelope to the church office or place in the offering plate on or before March 25th. The floral arrangements will be delivered to nursing homes, hospitals, hospices and lodges to brighten the days of those who spend Easter away from family and home. Please contact Mary Babowal for more information at 403-255-7024.

For specific information, please refer to our website:
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