



Our Vision: God-Dependent, Jesus-Rooted, Spirit-Led
Our Mission: To fully love God and all people for God's Kingdom, pleasure and glory.
Our Values: Scripture, Prayer, Generosity, Diversity, Community, Creativity, Outreach, Justice, Love

Worship Service
February 24, 2019

Morning Service: 10:30am
The Connection: 6:00pm
Glimpse of Glory: 7:00 pm

THIS WEEK ...	COMING UP ...
Monday	Event Calendar for Feb/March is available at the Welcome Desk.
Tuesday	Dining Deeper - Saturday, March 2 or Sunday, March 3. You should have received a call from your host regarding details for the Dining Deeper group you're in. If you haven't heard anything or have questions, please call the main office at 306-477-1234.
	Mental Health Matters CoffeeHouse/Fundraiser - Saturday, March 2 at 7pm. Drinks & desserts by donation. Live music, silent auction. Proceeds to CAMH (Centre for Addictions & Mental Health).
	Membership Class - Sunday, March 3 at 3:30pm. Contact Brendon at bgibson@ebap.ca if you have questions.
	Ash Wednesday Service - March 6 at 7:15pm. Mark your calendars!
	Men's Breakfast - Saturday, March 9 at 8am. See the flyer at the Information Centre for details.
	Baptism Class - Sunday, March 10 at 4pm. Contact Brendon at bgibson@ebap.ca if you have questions.
	Week of Prayer - Monday, March 11 - Friday, March 15. Keep posted for more information.
	Soup 'N' Buns - Wednesday, March 13 at 6pm. See the flyer at the Information Centre for details.
	Awaken Prayer Gathering - Thursday, March 14 at 7:15pm. See the flyer at the Information Centre for more information.
	Family Dance - Saturday, March 16, 6:30-8:30pm. Save the date! See the flyer at the Information Centre for details.
Wednesday	
Thursday	
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Sunday	



The Connection is a community within the broader Emmanuel family. The Connection's community gathering is at 6:00pm on Sunday evenings. Everyone is welcome.

Information For Your First Time At Emmanuel

Infants, Toddlers, Preschoolers, Kindergarten-aged – Our enthusiastic volunteer staff is eagerly waiting to care for your infants (from birth up to 23 months), 2 & 3 year olds, 4 year olds & 5 year olds. These rooms are open at 10:20am for your convenience. All children in these age groups must be escorted to their rooms in the Nursery/Preschool hallway and signed in. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, call EBC Early Childhood Director Jan Smith at 306-477-1234, ext 121.

Children – Grade 1 through Grade 6 – will be invited to join their FaithKids & Connect leaders for an exciting time of music, games, and stories. Please accompany them to meet their leaders if it is their first time. **Grade school children will need to be picked up & signed out by their parents/guardians.**

Hearing Assistance - Devices are available at the Welcome Desk. Ask an usher for instructions.

Scent Free Area – Several people in our church family are extremely allergic to even mild amounts of scents from perfumes, colognes, and hair products. The first three rows on the right side of the Sanctuary (close to the baptismal tank) is now designated a Scent-Free area on Sunday mornings. Your co-operation is greatly appreciated.

Visitors – Please do not feel obligated to participate in the Offering – We invite you to fill out a WelcomeCard and place it in the Offering as it goes by. Information about our regular programs can be found on the EBC at a Glance card in the pews.

For more information on our programs and our church community, check out www.ebap.ca and The Connection website at www.theconnection.ca

NEWS & NOTES

New at the Information Centre this week:

- * **Ash Wednesday Service - Wednesday, March 6 at 7:15pm**
- * **Family Dance Party - Saturday, March 16, 6:30-8:30pm**

Congratulations to Dervan and Jodine Bryan on the safe arrival of their baby boy, Jehu David, on Friday, February 15. Jehu is a brother to Odhalia.

Call for Conscience Campaign - Churches in Saskatchewan have been invited to participate in a campaign to encourage the Provincial Government to enact legislation to protect the conscience rights of healthcare professionals who object to participating in Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD). To participate in the campaign, please visit <https://www.canadiansforconscience.ca/saskatchewan>.

2018 Tax Receipts - You should have received your 2018 Tax Receipt via email. If you haven't requested the email format, your receipt has now been mailed out.

CBWC Assembly - Resilience, The Gathering 2019 - May 23-25 in High River, AB. As a church, we can send five voting delegates to participate. If you are interested in attending & representing Emmanuel as a delegate, please contact Brendon at bgibson@ebap.ca. For more information on Assembly, please go to www.cbwc.ca/assembly

Coffee Bar - Donations of baking are always welcomed. Please label your donation "Coffee Bar" & leave at the main office. Thank you.

Bus Ministry - We're looking for drivers! Please contact Robin if you're interested in serving in this way (robin@ebap.ca).

NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY MORNING? If you need a ride to church for the 10:30am service, we have a Van Ministry to help you out! Please note that we can only do pick-ups on the east side of the river. Phone 306-477-1234 & press 4 to leave your pick-up information. See the flyer at the Information Centre for more information.

EBC Wi-Fi

We now have public Wi-Fi in our sanctuary.
Look for EBC Sanctuary - password *ebcsk4330*.

KINGDOM GIVING THROUGH EBC

The Bible calls us to give to the Lord generously, sacrificially, and joyfully. We are grateful for your support of the ministry of EBC through tithes and offerings, and through the use of your time and gifts in service to the Lord and His kingdom. If you ever have any questions regarding our finances, please feel free to contact our treasurer at elders@ebap.ca.

Budgeted Offerings as of February 17, 2019	\$ 469,993
Actual Offerings as of February 17, 2019	\$ <u>491,397</u>
Reserve	\$ <u>21,404</u>
Capital Fund Balance as of February 17, 2019	\$ 47,959
Mortgage Balance as of February 1, 2019	\$ 99,442

PRAISE & PRAYER

If you would like prayer for yourself or someone you know, please contact the church office with your concerns.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." ~ Phil 4:6

1. Please pray for **Cynthia Nelson & family** as they grieve the death of her sister, Cheryl.
2. **Emily Block** continues to make meaningful progress & appreciates your prayers.
3. Pray for **Lois May** as she struggles with an ongoing pulmonary condition. Pray for her husband, **David**, as he supports her.
4. Pray for **Brianne Guenther & family** as her mother has been diagnosed with lung cancer.
5. Pray for **Colleen Basky** as she recovers from surgery.
6. Please pray for **Jordan Reimer's mom, Jennifer**, as she continues with treatments for her cancer.
7. Continue to pray for the **Robson family** as they walk alongside **Sadie** as she struggles with seizures.
8. Pray for **Robin Crich** as he continues to struggle with health concerns.

Pray for our partners at home and abroad:

Overseas:

- Rev. Andre, Rev. Gato (Rwanda)

Close to Home:

- The Quest at Christopher Lake (Conrad Kruger)
- The Bridge on 20th, Saskatoon (Linda Walker)
- IVCF-International Students, Saskatoon (Gerry & Shirley Falk)
- Hope Restored, Saskatoon (Jodi Kozan)
- Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre, Saskatoon (Cathy LaFleche)
- LeaderImpact (Arlene Jorgenson)
- Canadian Baptist Ministries (CBM)
- Canadian Baptists of Western Canada (CBWC)
- Carey Theological College

Donations to the following can be made through EBC: (please designate on your offering envelope)

- The Bridge on 20th, Saskatoon (Linda Walker)
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DONATE TO EBC:

THROUGH INTERNET BANKING

Contact Jan at 306-477-1234, ext 126 or bookkeeper@ebap.ca for an identifier code & create EBC as a Payee under your Bill Payments option.

THROUGH INTERAC

You can also donate through Interac with the terminal at the Welcome Desk.

ON-LINE GIVING

www.emmanuelbaptist.ca/giving