



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
March 15, 2020

Morning Service: 10:30am
The Connection: 6:00pm

THIS WEEK ...

Monday		
Tuesday	Heart Matters Jr/Sr Youth (Grade 7-12)	9:15am 7:00pm
Wednesday	Forever InMotion ESL	9:00am 7:00pm
Thursday	Scooters Elders Meeting C&C Doc Night Bilingual (Chinese/English) Bible Study	9:15am 6:45pm 7:00pm 7:00pm 7:00pm
Friday	Community Prayer Forever InMotion Youth Event (Grade 7-12)	7:00am 9:00am 6:15pm
Saturday	Family Dance Party	6:00pm-8:00pm
Sunday	ESL Sunday Bible Study Morning Service The Connection	9:00am 9:00am 10:30am 6:00pm

COMING UP ...

Event Calendar for **March/April** is available at the Welcome Desk.

Membership Class - TODAY at 3:30pm. Contact Brendon at bgibson@ebap.ca if you are interested.

Family Dance Party - Saturday, March 21, 6-8pm. See the flyer at the Information Centre for more information!

Mental Health Matters CoffeeHouse/Fundraiser - Saturday, March 28 at 7pm. Keep posted for details!

Baptism Class - Sunday, March 29 at 4pm. Contact Brendon at bgibson@ebap.ca if you are interested.

Worship Collective rehearsals - begin Monday, March 30. Details to be announced!

Stations of the Cross - Monday, April 6 - Thursday, April 9 (9:00am-9:00pm daily). Mark your calendars!

Holy Week
Palm Sunday - Sunday, April 5
Maundy Thursday Service - Thursday, April 9 at 7:15pm
Good Friday Service - Friday, April 10 at 11:00am
Easter Celebration - Sunday, April 21 at 10:30am
 See the flyer at the Information Centre.



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 18 months), toddlers (18 months - under 3 years old), 3 & 4 year olds & 5 year olds (kindergarten). 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 Director of Children's Ministry, Beverly Toth at 306-477-1234, ext 143.

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

As a church community, we acknowledge that we are beneficiaries of Treaty 6 and that we gather on the traditional homeland of the Indigenous and Métis peoples.

NEWS & NOTES

New at the Information Centre this week:

- * **A Holy Week Journey ...**
- * **Kids Camp Volunteer form**

THE CONNECTION COLLECTION - As a way of paying specific attention to the needs of our neighbours, we'll be packing hygiene kits at The Connection on Sunday, March 15. Please check out the list of suggested donations on the flyer at the Information Centre or contact Kari at kari@ebap.ca for more information.

Hope Restored Canada's prayer theme for March 2020 is Wisdom. You are invited to join us in prayer & worship on Monday, March 16 at 7-8:30 pm in the sanctuary at Emmanuel to pray for God's wisdom for HRC as we address sexual exploitation in our city. Interested in learning more? Feel free to reach out to Jodi Kozan at prayer@hoperestoredcanada.org or call 371-4673(HOPE) to be added to a prayer email list.

Artists Against Hunger - help your local food bank provide emergency nutrition for those who need it most - **Sunday, March 28**. See poster in the foyer for details.

CONGRATULATIONS to Elya & Caleb Lam on the birth of their daughter, Meira Anne Sum-Noi, on March 3. She weighed 6lbs13oz. Big sister Raeda & brothers Jacek & Benon are so excited to welcome her to their home!

Big News at The Quest at Christopher Lake! New Managing Director, Dyan Moulant! Camper Registration now open! Staff Applications now open! For more details, visit www.questnet.ca. AGM scheduled for Saturday, April 4 ... everyone welcome!

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 or
guest@EBC (no password).

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 March 8, 2020	\$ 502,823
Actual Offerings as of March 8, 2020	\$ 504,826
Reserve	<u>\$ 2,003</u>
Capital Fund Offerings as of March 8, 2020	\$ 88,392
Line of Credit as of March 1, 2020	\$ 152,841

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. **Laurel Smith's daughter, Jodie (40)**, in BC, had her surgery on February 19 & everything went great. Praise the Lord! Thank you for your prayers & concern!
2. Pray for **Stephanie Peachey** as she recovers from back surgery on February 5.
3. Please pray for **Wilf Henseleit's** health & strength as well as **his family** as they support him.
4. **Cathy Gallagher**, who attends Heart Matters, has requested prayer for **her family** as her husband suddenly passed away from a heart attack on January 28.
5. Please pray for **John Arendt** whose health has improved a little. He is now back at home.
6. Pray for **Harvey Just** whose health has been declining.
7. Praise Jesus! The doctors have told **Jordan Reimer's mom, Jennifer**, that she is cancer-free! She is still battling quite a bit of pain every day as well as her COPD is the worst it's been. Please continue to pray for management of both the pain she's experiencing & the COPD.
8. Please pray for the needs of **Emily Block & Sadie Robson** as they continue to struggle with health issues.

Pray for our partners at home and abroad:

Overseas:

- Rev. Andre, Rev. Gato (Rwanda)

Close to Home:

- The Quest at Christopher Lake (Dyan Moulant)
- The Bridge on 20th, Saskatoon (Linda Walker)
- IVCF-International Students, Saskatoon (Gerry & Shirley Falk)
- Hope Restored, Saskatoon (Joeline Magill)
- 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)
- The Quest at Christopher Lake (Dyan Moulant)
- Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre, Saskatoon (Cathy LaFleche)
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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