



Worship Service
June 13, 2021

10:30am

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

WAYS OF CONNECTING AT EBC ...

For the following information & much more, please check out our website: www.ebap.ca

Morning Service - Our Sunday morning service meets on-site for those who are able to join us. All persons attending are required to register on our website, www.ebap.ca. Please click on the banner that says, "Sunday AM Service, Registration Required." Registration will help us keep within the limits of our current seating capacity; it will also make it easier for contact tracing, in the event that one of our attendees tests positive for COVID-19. In addition, we also provide a live-stream of this service which can be accessed through our website. If you do not currently receive our emails and would like to, please contact the office, info@ebap.ca.

Children's Ministry - Our in-person programming has resumed on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month. **Next class June 13.** You will need to register any children who plan to attend in advance (main Sunday AM Service registration page). **Children** taking part in Sunday School will enter the facility at the main entrance at the front. Beverly will meet you at the main entrance & escort you to your class upstairs.

Youth Ministry - Tuesday Night Youth (Gr. 7-12) Currently, youth will be offered in-person & over Zoom. Those attending in person will need to pre-register each week through the website. For more information such as the Zoom login, contact Rachel at rachel@ebap.ca.

On the 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month, **MUSE for grade 7-12** youth will run. **Next class June 20.** You will need to register any youth who plan to attend in advance (main Sunday AM Service registration page). **Youth** taking part in MUSE will enter the facility at the main entrance at the front. To ensure a safe flow of traffic, we ask that you follow the directional arrows on the floor.

Senior Adult Ministry - The EBC Senior Adult Ministry is committed to connecting with & caring for our senior adults. In particular, connecting with those who are shut-in is extremely important during this season of COVID-19. Brendon Gibson is providing pastoral care to our seniors. Please contact Brendon with any questions or concerns, 306-477-1234, x129.

Women's Ministry - Women of all ages are invited to participate in **Heart Matters Women's Bible Study** via Zoom on **Tuesdays from 9:30-11am**. Please contact Laura at lauramonchuk@gmail.com or 306-230-5033 for more information. **Heart Matters is done for the season. Keep posted for the fall start-up date. Laura plans to host online one-hour get-togethers on July 13 & August 10 to help stay connected throughout the summer.**

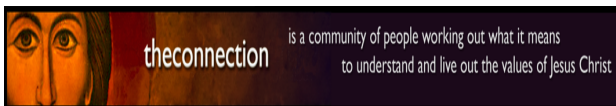
If you would like to connect with other women in the EBC community, please join the **Ladies Zoom Time on Thursday afternoon from 1pm-2pm**. If you have questions about this conversation time, please email Xulin at xulinguo@gmail.com or Barb at barbbarr@shaw.ca.

Care Ministry - For those in need of Practical Care Supports such as food & supplies or requests to the Care Fund, or for Mental Health Supports, please contact Kari at 306-477-1234, ext. 133 or kari@ebap.ca.

If you are looking for ways to help, we are accepting donations of sealed & labelled freezer meals as well as items for the Food Pantry. Please contact Kari if you would like to contribute.

ESL Coffee & Conversation - Sunday Morning (Intermediate Class) 8:30am via ZOOM. For login information, please contact Rob Arthur at rearthur@sasktel.net.

Prayer Ministry - Online Prayer is available at the following times: **Tuesday-Friday, 7:15-7:45am; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12:15-12:45; 9:15-9:45.** For Login information, please contact Brendon, bgibson@ebap.ca or 306-341-0195.



The Connection is a community within the broader Emmanuel family. In the absence of our regular Sunday evening community gathering we've created **the connection liturgies** at www.theconnection.ca. A weekly liturgy will be posted every Sunday. Sunday evenings at 6pm there will be an **Open Small Group** at the church for those who would like to attend.

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

Thank you! Thanks to everyone who wrote, called, emailed, texted, prayed, brought meals, treats, cookies, etc to us during the last 9 months or so. My family really appreciated all of it during this journey. A special thank you goes out to all the staff who were there for all of us during those difficult times - helping us to move forward.
Murray Sloboda & family

Survey Reminder: If you haven't yet completed the Survey regarding CBWC's Identity Statement & proposed motions for Assembly 2022, please do so before June 21. To access the survey, please click <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/X5HHWC3>. We want to hear from you!

Statement from CBWC - In response to the recent discovery of the remains of 215 children at the site of the former Kamloops Residential School, the Canadian Baptists of Western Canada has released the following statement:

The CBWC joins with the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc to mourn the deaths of the 215 children discovered in an unmarked mass grave at the site of the Kamloops Indian Residential School. We pray for all Residential School Survivors & intergenerational survivors as this awakens afresh layers of trauma endured for generations.

These children were precious in the eyes of God. Their lives & the gifts that they had to offer were stolen from their communities & their families. We lament this irreplaceable loss, acknowledging & repenting of the ways that the Christian church enacted the state mandated policies of assimilation.

We know that lament is not enough & there is a need for just action as well. We are reminded of our commitment to the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples which guides us as a framework for reconciliation & we call for renewed commitment to the TRC [Calls to Action](#).

Today though, is the time to express sorrow & pledge again our solidarity with Indigenous peoples in Canada. We lament together. We stand with you.

Some agencies in Saskatoon that are looking for help:

The Bridge on 20th - TODAY'S needs: deodorant, shavers, underwear, shoes (runners). Sorry, but we are short of space so if not listed above, we are not able to accept those donations at this time. Kitchen: sugar, margarine & brown paper rolls for hand drying. When COVID measures came in, we were saddened to no longer be able to include volunteers in the ministries of The Bridge. But that's changing... ***we're now in a position to invite more volunteers to join us!!*** Anyone interested in applying is invited to contact our Volunteer Coordinator Carla at 306.382.2855 or emailing volunteer@thebridgesaskatoon.com <http://www.thebridgesaskatoon.com/>

Canadian Blood Services - Donors are needed every day. Help fight COVID-19, register to donate convalescent plasma (previously confirmed positive for COVID-19). Or make a financial gift in support of research. CBS is always looking for people to donate blood. https://myaccount.blood.ca/en/donate?gclid=Cj0KCQjwjcfzBRCHARisAO-1_OoKEiAacqhQhNwQNW3Mr9Y0UNVCrIvV9zGt1zTFsnzWtTgn0Mime8aAlZTEALw_wcB

Saskatoon Food Bank - We appreciate all food donations. Our most wanted items are: infant formula, whole grain pastas & cereals, canned fruits & vegetables, canned meats & beans, 100% fruit juice, hearty soups & stews. Food donations can be taken to most grocery stores or directly to the Food Bank at 202 Avenue C South. Cash donations are also accepted. Donate today at: <https://saskatoonfoodbank.org/> <https://www.facebook.com/yxefoodbank/>

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 **Wally Walko** as he is in the hospital being treated for some health concerns.
2. **Jordan Reimer's brother, Timothy's**, surgery went well & he is slowly recovering. Please pray that strength & mobility will return to his arm.
At the end of May, **Jordan's mother, Jennifer** (48 years old), was slotted in for multiple emergency appointments to undergo investigative testing. This testing will continue through the month of June. She has been experiencing significant pain in her stomach & abdomen, & the urgent response from her doctors could indicate the return of cancer. Please pray for wisdom for the physicians as they search for answers, & courage & peace for Jennifer as she once again faces uncertain health challenges. She has felt cared for & loved throughout her battles with cancer & is thankful for the ongoing support she continues to receive.
3. Please continue to pray for **Emily Zacharias (Block)**. She did not experience much relief from the recent pain blocker, but is on a waiting list for an implanted nerve stimulator to help reduce her pain.
4. Please pray for **Mary Mason** who is dealing with significant health concerns.
5. Pray for **June Lu's mom** in China as she receives chemotherapy.
6. **Henry Dick's niece, Lindsay**, is now home & her cancer is in remission. Lindsay & her family appreciate all the prayers on their behalf & are confident that the prayers have helped in her recovery. Thanks to God for His mercy & healing touch!
7. There are several people in our church family who need continued prayer for health concerns. Please remember **Sadie Robson, John Arendt, Susan Schellenberg & Scott Fitzsimmons**. Also, please pray for those who care for them during this season of their ongoing health requirements.

Pray for our partners at home and abroad:

Overseas:

- Rev. Andre, Rev. Gato (Rwanda)

Close to Home:

- The Quest at Christopher Lake (Dyan Moulard)
- 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)
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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 June 6, 2021	\$ 655,278
Actual Offerings as of June 6, 2021	\$ 607,422
Deficit	\$ (-47,856)
Capital Fund Offerings as of June 6, 2021	\$ 149,182
Line of Credit as of Jan 25, 2021	\$ 0

DONATE TO EBC:

THROUGH INTERNET BANKING

We can now offer e-Transfers to bookkeeper@ebap.ca. Or 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.

ON-LINE GIVING

www.emmanuelbaptist.ca/giving

ON SUNDAY MORNINGS

If you've come with an offering or you're prompted to give during worship, you're invited to take it to one of the two **Offering Boxes** located in the sanctuary near the exit doors.