Emmanuel BAPTIST CHURCH

www.ebap.ca

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
September 12, 2021

10:30am

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. 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 for children has resumed. **The Nursery** (yellow) is open (but unsupervised) for children aged 0-2. A **Preschool Class** (green) is available for children aged 2-5. **Gradeschool Children (Grade 1-6)** taking part in Sunday School will enter the facility at the main entrance at the front & proceed to the end of the hallway to sign-in before going upstairs.

Youth Ministry - Tuesday Night Youth (Gr. 7-12) runs from 7-9pm. Contact Rachel at rachel@ebap.ca for more info.
On the 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month, ***MUSE for grade 7-12*** youth will run. ***MUSE will resume on Sept 19.***

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. ***Keep posted for the fall start-up date.***

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: ***Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays, 7:15-7:45am and Tuesdays & Thursdays, 12:15-12:45pm.*** For login information, please contact Brendon at bgibson@ebap.ca or 306-341-0195.

Community Prayer - Fridays at 7am in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome to join us as we pray for the needs in our church family, city, nation & abroad.

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. **ReConnect tonight (Sunday, September 12) at 6pm.** All are welcome!

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 Jordan Reimer! We appreciate everything you did for Emmanuel this summer … in particular, your hard work & enthusiasm with Kids Camp.

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Some agencies in Saskatoon that are looking for help:

The Bridge on 20th - TODAY'S needs: socks, underwear, hygiene items, fall jackets & sweaters. Sorry, but we are short of space so if not listed above, we are not able to accept those donations at this time. Kitchen: coffeemate, sugar, carrots, celery & onions. Staff Positions Available: Donor Relations & Women's Ministry Coordinator - Are you interested in joining our team, but not sure what role is the right fit for you? We'd love to hear from you!
Contact office@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*?clid=Cj0KCQjwjcfzBRCHARIsAO-1_OoKEiAacqhQhNWQNW3Mr9Y0UNVCrIvV9zGt1zTFsnzWTtTgn0Mime8aAlZTEALw_wcB

Saskatoon Food Bank - We appreciate all food donations. Our most wanted items are: baby food & formula, whole grain pastas & cereals, canned fruits & vegetables, canned protein, 100% fruit juice, peanut butter, 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/

The Lighthouse - Socks wear out faster than any other article of clothing and are the number one clothing need of the homeless. Check this link for the latest updates. Monetary donations are always accepted.
https://www.lighthousesaskatoon.org/donate/

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 Sept 5, 2021	$ 122,833
Actual Offerings as of Sept 5, 2021	$ 100,741
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Capital Fund Offerings as of Sept 5, 2021	$ 2,595

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.

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 **Emily Zacharias (Block).** She continues to be on several waiting lists for treatment & relief of pain. It is a day-to-day journey & the hope is that sometime soon a health professional will be able to connect the dots to give Emily a return to health.
2. Praise God that **June Lu's mom** in China has completed chemotherapy treatments & anticipates a month of radiation starting in a weeks time.
3. Please pray for relief & healing for **Fiona Reid-Anekie** who is living with significant abdominal pain for which the doctors have not been able to determine a cause. Pray that she will have access to further tests soon.
4. Several of our **Senior Adults** are currently in housing transitions. Please pray for them as they adjust.
5. Please pray for **Lois May** who has been released from the hospital & is recuperating at home.
6. Praise God that 5 month old **Anika Martin's** surgery to repair a congenital heart defect went very well. Please pray for a good recovery for her.
7. Continue to pray for **Jennifer Reimer (Jordan's mother)** as she deals with pain that is a result of her living with the incurable condition called Gastroparesis, worsened by Arthritis. Jennifer is thankful for God's faithfulness, for the Emmanuel community, & for her family.
8. There are several other people in our church family who need continued prayer for health concerns. Please remember **Sadie Robson, 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 Mouland)
- The Bridge on 20th, Saskatoon (Linda Walker)
- IVCF-International Students, Saskatoon (Gerry & Shirley Falk)
- Hope Restored, Saskatoon (Joeline Magill)
- Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre, Saskatoon (Anne-Marie Hughes)
- 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)
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