



*“I AM”*

John 8:56-59

Pastor Harry Kelm

September 3, 2017

***WELCOME TO GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH!***

If you would like to find out more about our church or ministries, please visit our Welcome Centre located in the foyer. If you are visiting with us today, please take and fill out a Guest Card from the pew rack. You can place it in the offering plate as it passes or bring it to the Welcome Centre. We would love to hear from you!

## *Info For Everyone*

***Next Generation Investors Wanted!*** — The Kidz BLOX Team has some positions open in the fall and is looking for some dynamic individuals who would like to join this “investors” club. If interested please contact Pastor Alice.

***Kidz BLOX Training*** — All those involved in Kidz BLOX, valuable and mandatory training is on Saturday, September 9 from 9 am— 12:30 pm.

***GriefShare*** — Meets weekly for seven weeks, starting September 10 and is led by people who have experienced grief. There are encouraging, information packed videos by grief recovery experts plus a discussion time as you walk the long path through grief toward healing and hope for the future. For more information or to attend call the church office.

***GBC Young Adults*** — If you are between the ages of 18 and 30, you are invited to join a brand new group led by Pastor Tony and Steph. They will be hosting events focused on building relationships, Bible study, and worship/teaching. The first event is a BBQ on September 16. If you would like to join this group, please contact Pastor Tony.

***GBC Men's Group*** — Hey guys, are you looking to connect with other men on the journey toward loving and living like Jesus? We invite you to join our Men's Group beginning on Monday, September 18 at 7pm here at the church. We hope to see you there!

***Courageous Grandparenting*** — The hearts, minds, and souls of your grandchildren are at risk! On Saturday, September 23 from 9 am— 3:30 pm at Brentview Baptist Church there is a seminar for courageous grandparents. Register at [brentviewbaptist.com](http://brentviewbaptist.com).

***Rend Collective Concert*** — We are getting excited to host the Christian band, Rend Collective, on Sunday, October 22 at 7 pm. Online tickets have sold out. If you would still like to attend, here are two options: Sign up as a volunteer with Pastor Tony (however, you may not see the entire concert) or purchase hard copy tickets for \$28 each. Please contact Pastor Tony for further details.

***Marriage Builders*** — The group is for recently married couples. If you are interested in joining contact Rik or Sam Jones at [calgaryrik@shaw.ca](mailto:calgaryrik@shaw.ca).

***Did You Know*** — On the church property there are many fruit trees. The fruit is great for baking and canning. Come and help yourself!

## *Ladies of Grace*

***Ladies Bible Study*** — Ladies, you are invited to participate in the upcoming bible study: Twelve Women of the Bible. Starting Monday, September 11 at 7 pm. A work book is required. To sign up please contact Jana at [jcleverley@gbccalgary.com](mailto:jcleverley@gbccalgary.com). Come learn and fellowship with others.

***Women Flying Solo*** — Join us Sunday, September 24 right after the Service in the Chapel for our double twoonie lunch. Cindy Kelm will be sharing her life's journey. Women Flying Solo is for ladies 18 and over who are single or single again.

## *Children's Ministries*

*Kidz BLOX*, "Building Lives On Christ", helps children from Preschool to Grade 6 grow in a relationship with God through Jesus Christ and one another.

*Baby BLOX* — Nursery is available for children under the age of two during the Sunday morning service.

*Mom and Tots* — See our Facebook page *GBC Mom & Tots* for information and details on upcoming events.

*Kids Worship Choir* — Children from Kindergarten to Grade 6 are invited to join GBC's Kids Worship Choir. If your kids love to sing, bring them out for our first rehearsal on Sunday, September 10 from 6-7pm in the Lower Vista Room.

## *Grace Student Ministries*

*theGathering* — Sunday, September 10, 6:30—8:30 pm, is our first night to kick off another exciting year of youth. All youth going into Grade 7—12 are welcome to join us in the Den. See you all there!

*Fall Retreat* — October 20—22 at Camp Caroline. Details and registration forms will be available soon. Mark your calendars you don't want to miss this.

## *Evergreen*

Join us for our Fall Luncheon on Thursday, September 14 at noon in the Chapel. Marilyn Dennis will be sharing and singing. Please call Peggy at 403-273-2724 by Monday, September 11 to make your reservation.

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## *Prayer Requests*

### *Pray for those unwell and/or at home:*

Ella Bozicnik, Beth Campbell, Donna Clarke, Gladys deVries, Tim Hanks, Else Hilbrecht, Ruth Kind, David Nelson, Frieda Redlich, Eldon Toews, and Cindy Wilbur

### *Pray for those in Extended Care:*

Aspen Lodge — Dais Davis, Lydia Sept

George Boyack Nursing Home — Vera Stewart

St Teresa Place — Enith Bettcher

Waverly Home — Dennis Seever

Whitehorn Village — Clarence Priebe, Loretta Wiens

Pray for those who are unable to join us on Sunday mornings due to illness or extended caregiving circumstances.

### *Pray For:* Grace Baptist Church, Church Body

Pray for our GBC congregants as the summer activities and holidays come to an end. Praise for the time off that it was refreshing and reviving. May it have been a time of spiritual renewal and that we will return rested and ready to face the tasks that God has prepared in advance for us to do. Pray for safety and protection of those still traveling this long week and fall. Pray for the students travelling out of town for university. Keep our students/teachers/administrators in your prayers as they begin another year of school. May they have opportunities to share the love of Jesus wherever they may be. Continue to pray for those members of our church body that are looking for work. May they not feel discouraged and they trust in God during this time. For any health issues that people are dealing with, may God's mercy, grace and miracles fill these individuals.

*Prayer Chain:* Email [frontdesk@gbccalgary.com](mailto:frontdesk@gbccalgary.com) with prayer requests or fill out the prayer request section on a Guest or Connection Card found in the pew racks.

*If there is a birth, death or illness of a loved one, and you would like support, assistance or prayer, please call the church office.*

*If you are interested in knowing what it means to be a Christ-follower, please contact Pastor Harry Kelm.*