

ABIDING IN CHRIST



The World and the Christian

John 15:18-25

Pastor Harry Kelm

January 27, 2019

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

Baptism — Praise God for Linda Bales and Ethan Drysdale being baptized today. Pray for God's blessing on their lives as they continue their walk with Him.

Philippines Missions Trip Lunch — Support our missions team and trip this fall by staying for lunch today after the service. We are serving Filipino cultural soups that you won't want to miss!

Marriage Café — Join in on the *Grace Filled Marriage* with Tim Kimmel Sunday, February 10 from 5:30 to 7 pm. All married couples are welcome! There are different topics each week so feel free to join in any time!

The Date Night Comedy Tour — Enjoy a fun night out with your spouse on Thursday, February 7 at 7:30 pm at First Alliance Church! Sponsored by Focus on the Family, talk to Pastor Alice about tickets or get yours online at info.focusonthefamily.ca/datenight.

Next Generation Investors Orientation Training — If you are a new NGI or missed the September training, please attend on Tuesday, February 19 at 6:30 pm. This is an important training not to miss!

ABA Men's Retreat — *Make Your Life Count* at Camp Caroline, March 1-3. Bring your friends, your brother, your dad, your son and come prepared to enjoy relaxing and fellowshiping with other men from around Alberta. Early bird deadline is February 8 (and save \$20!). Final deadline is February 25. Register at nab.ca/events.

ABA Ladies Retreat — *Following God One Yes at a Time* March 15-17 at Camp Caroline. Enjoy listening to Connie Cavanaugh where she'll leave you wanting more. Come relax, be real, and find hope. Early bird deadline is January 31 and registration is due February 28. Go online at nab.ca/events.

Young Adults

Event scheduled for Saturday, February 2. Check out our Facebook Chat or talk to one of the young adults for more information.

Evergreen

Join us for our first Evergreen Luncheon of the 2019 year on Thursday, February 14 at noon in the Chapel. Ben Trites, the Executive Director from Camp Caroline, will be sharing. Please call Peggy at 403-273-2724 by Monday, February 11 to make your reservation.

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.

Kids Choir — Don't miss our first practice of the new year today right after the service!

Grace Student Ministries

theGathering — Come on out tonight for games, worship and small groups as we continue our series on Lamentations. Join us from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the Den for students grade 7 to 12.

Super Bowl Par-tay! — Meet at the Herman household at 4:15 pm on Sunday, February 3 for the big game! Bring a snack to share and talk to your small group leader or to one of the Herman's for address or directions.

Junior High Sleep Over — February 22-23. Drop off at the church at 7 pm on Friday for the fun and festivities to begin! Pick up on Saturday at Laser Quest (9950 Macleod Tr. S.E.) at 1 pm. Cost is \$25. Sign up with Pastor Joel by Sunday, February 10.

Senior High Youth Retreat — Save-the-date for *Revolution*, March 8-10 at Camp Caroline. Deadline for registration is February 10. See Pastor Joel for registration forms.

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Prayer Requests

Pray for those unwell and/or at home:

Rupert Aragon, Ella Bozicnik, Beth Campbell, Tammy Chopyk, Donna Clarke, Ruth Kind, David Nelson, Frieda Redlich, Sam and Annis Teske, and Doug Werklund

Pray for those in Extended Care:

Aspen Lodge – Dais Davis, Lydia Sept

Cedars Villa – Gladys deVries

Foothills Hospital – Rene Dumais

St. Teresa Place – Vern and Enith Bettcher, Loretta Wiens

The Heartland – Else Hilbrecht

Waverly Home – Dennis Seever

Whitehorn Village – Clarence Priebe

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

Pray For: Please pray for our children's ministry workers and leaders (Next Generation Investors). Pray for the work they do with our children in Kidz BLOX each week and the impact that they are having in their lives. Pray that they would sense God's encouragement as well as the encouragement of others and that God would guide them in their ministry throughout the year. Praise God for equipping each of these volunteers with special gifts for this ministry. Pray for patience, mercy and grace every Sunday as they interact with our children. Pray for Pastor Alice as she seeks God's wisdom in this ministry and as she leads these NGI's. Pray that God would protect her marriage and family and help her to have the time she needs to invest in these relationships.

Prayer Time: Everyone is welcome to join us at 9:45 am Sunday mornings in the Prayer Room to pray for our church and the Sunday morning service.

Prayer Chain: Email frontdesk@gbccalgary.com with prayer requests or fill out the prayer request section on a Guest Card 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.