

6:00 - 8:30 pm: Banquet Program

Welcome/Intro Missionaries/Prayer

SVBC Senior Pastor Tom Anderst

Banquet

Catered by: *Called to Serve Catering ~ Chef Lois Derkson*

Praise ~ SVBC Worship Ministry Team

Global Operations Team ~ Terry Fossen/Carol Potratz

Offering:

2018 Clarified w/Gratitude for 2017 – Taylor & Camp Falcon Rock

Offertory Prayer ~ Terry Fossen

Music ~ SVBC Worship Ministry Team

Keynote Speaker Introduction ~ Carol Potratz

Message: "Into YOUR World" ~ Acts 1:8

Rev. Kerry Bender

Closing Song ~ SVBC Worship Ministry Team

Thank you/Closing Prayer ~ SVBC Senior Pastor Tom Anderst

**2018 GO Team Financial Goal \$30,000
for FULBE MINISTRY**

You may give tonight or SEND your offering to the Alberta Baptist Association (ABA) office with a note in the memo line: GEM/NAM EVENT OFFERING and it will go toward this.

THANK-YOU IN ADVANCE
for what the Lord will do through us ABA churches!!

FULBE MINISTRY ~ New Dawn Initiative

assisting in **medical support and evangelism**
to remote Nigerian & Cameroonian villages.

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Alberta Baptist Association

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Oct 25 & 26, 2019

**Greater Edmonton
Missions Event (GEM)**

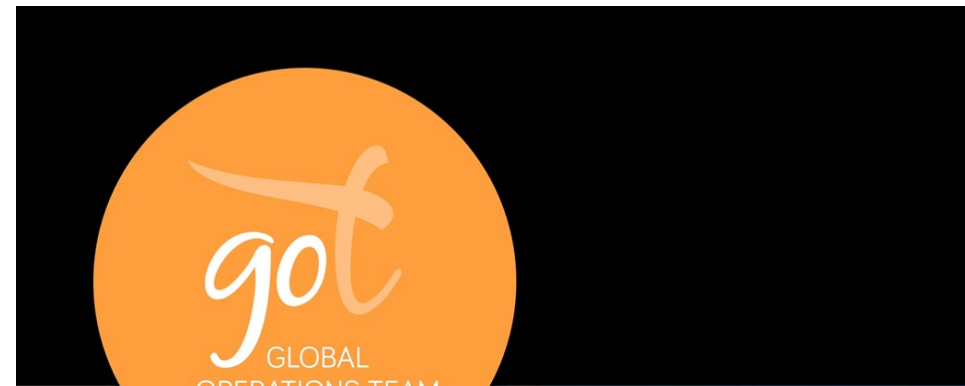
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Terwillegar Community Church

Questions?

Contact the GO Team

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**2018 GEM & NAM MISSION EVENT
Workshops & Banquet
October 26 & 27**

Hosted by *Sturgeon Valley Baptist Church*, 51 Woodlands Rd., St. Albert, AB
In cooperation with the *ABA Global Operations Team*

Thank-you for joining us! We would like to WELCOME:

Kerry Bender

Interim Vice President of International Missions
North American Baptist International Office

Dr. Ralph Korner

Academic Dean
Taylor Seminary

AND the following NAB Mission Partners to today's events!

Walter Grob

Cameroon (*Central Accounting*)

Craig & Maureen Moody

Cameroon (*Life Abundant Program*)

Randy Schmor

North America (*Gateway*)

2018 Greater Edmonton Mission (GEM) Northern Alberta Mission (NAM) Event

Workshops & Banquet
Saturday, October 27th

Hosted by **Sturgeon Valley Baptist Church (SVBC)**, St. Albert,
in cooperation with the **ABA Global Operations Team**

4:00 - 4:45 pm: REGISTRATION ~ Exhibits; coffee; snacks & fellowship

5:00 - 5:45 pm: Mini-Breakouts ~ *helping you learn "How To —":*

- 1. HOW TO Understand the Current Situation in Cameroon ~**
Walter Grob **Room 202**
What is really happening in Cameroon with all the unrest? Is it Political? Religious? Economic? How are our missionaries affected? What about our brother & sister believers? The Grobs have served faithfully for years, in accounting and music, and are now on home assignment from their work in Cameroon, West Africa.
- 2. HOW TO Connect Supporting Church with International Workers ~**
Craig & Maureen Moody **Room 203**
"Communication is key to any good relationship and the relationship between International workers and supporting organizations is no different. Come and get a clearer understanding of the necessary 'guidelines' needed to communicate in a healthy way with some of our workers Internationally." The Moody's come with experience as mission supporters in their local church & also as International Workers; recently serving in Cameroon, West Africa.
- 3. HOW TO Press Past Fears & Stereotypes and Make Friends out of Strangers ~**
Dr. Allan Effa **Room 204**
In our divided world, how can we meet and interact with people 'other' than us? What prevents us? Come look at ways to engage with people who are different and build satisfying relationships with those we would never choose as friends. Allan grew up as an MK in Brazil before serving as a missionary in Nigeria, then on staff at Central and now as professor of Intercultural Communication at TAYLOR seminary.
- 4. HOW TO Pray for International Mission Partners ~**
Rev. Lee & Jennell Bertsch **Prayer Room**
"Prayer is the most important service we can render in fulfillment of the Lord's Great Commission... simple, BELIEVING prayer!" Come and join us as we offer some ideas PLUS an opportunity to truly PRAY for our AB. International Mission Partners. The Bertschs have served as missionaries (in the Philippines) as well as in North American churches for nearly forty years.
- 5. HOW TO Lead a Mission Team that "HELPS" not "HURTS" ~**
Pastor Brett McCarroll **Library**
"Since the 1980's, short-term missions have become ever-increasing in popularity but have they actually been successful at alleviating poverty? This workshop will give you a framework to facilitate and participate in short-term missions that foster lasting positive change and do not do long-term harm." Brett is the Youth Ministries Pastor in Camrose and a Taylor Seminary student with experience both types of mission teams.



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