

September 15, 2019

Sturgeon Valley
Baptist Church



SVBC 2019/20 Theme Verse

How beautiful upon the mountains
are the feet of him who brings good news,
who publishes peace, who brings good news of
happiness who publishes salvation,
who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."

~ Isaiah 52:7 ~

Welcome, we're glad you're here!



- ◆ Are new to SVBC?
 - ◆ Has your contact info has changed?
 - ◆ Do you have a *prayer or praise item* you would like to share?
- Please fill in the **Connect Card** available in the pew and place it in the *Offering Plate* or *leave it at the Info Centre*.

We look forward to connecting with you!

Important Ministry Dates

DATE	TIME	MINISTRY
Sunday, Sept. 15	9:30 AM	All Sunday Schools Classes Begin
Wednesday, Sept. 18	7:00 PM	Ladies Evening Out (LEO) ◆ Book of Ruth @ Nita Goebel's
Saturday, Sept. 21	2:00 PM	60+ Group @ SVBC (Fireside)
Sunday, Sept. 22	12:30 PM	Youth Parent Gathering @ SVBC (Fireside)
Saturday, Sept. 28	6:30 PM	Still Standing (30/40s) Group @ SVBC (Fireside)
Sunday, Sept. 29	12:30 PM	Plan to Protect® Meeting @ SVBC (Fireside)
Sunday, Oct. 6		Door Code Change - Sign up @ Info Centre
Tuesday, Oct. 8	7:00 PM	Ministry Coordinator Christmas Planning Meeting
Saturday, Oct. 26	8:00 AM	Men's Breakfast @ SVBC (Gym)

Upcoming Services

Sept. 22	Pastor Tom	◆ How Do Good News Messengers Grow in Love for the Lost? ~ 1 Tim. 2:1-4
Sept. 29	Pastor Tom	◆ How Do Good News Messengers Gain a Hearing with Lost People? ~ Col. 4:2-6 ◆ Plan to Protect ® Meeting - After the Service
October 6	Pastor Tom	◆ What Must Good News Messengers Share with Others? ~ Romans 10:14-15 ◆ Child Dedications

Resources Available: Weekly Sermons; Bulletin; Discipleship Info; Family & Marriage Info...

Check out our website at: www.svbc.ab.ca

RightNow Media: rightnowmedia.org For free invite email church@svbc.ab.ca

Free Wi-Fi available
Network: Free-WiFi-SVBC



Online Giving: scan this code or go online to www.svbc.ab.ca.





What's up @ SVBC:

Discovery Class: Baptism/Membership Class begins in September. Please sign-up at the Info Centre or connect with Pastor Tom for more info at 780.458.3777 or email pastortom@svbc.ab.ca

Helpers Needed: To move toys & furniture out of the nurseries. Sunday, Sept. 22, 7:00 pm and or Wed. Sept. 25th 7:00 pm. Email property@svbc.ab.ca

Door Code Change: In keeping with our Facility Policy, be advised as a security measure we will be changing the SVBC Door Code on **October 6, 2019**. If your Ministry requires the code, please sign up at the Info Centre.

Ministry Christmas Planning Meeting: Tuesday, Oct. 8th @ 7 pm. All Ministries with any Christmas events need to attend. Contact admin@svbc.ab.ca for more info.

Mustard Seed: All interested in serving the MS Meal Service on the dates of Oct 15/Dec 17, please contact the church at church@svbc.ab.ca

Baby Shower: Sat., Sept. 28th @ 1 pm. Please join us to celebrate with Miranda MacDonald (Watt) on the upcoming arrival of baby Hosanna. To RSVP, help or participate in the group gift, contact the church at church@svbc.ab.ca

It's Christmas in September! Remember to pick up extra School Supplies for Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. Items most needed: Bars of soap, face cloths & toothbrushes. Drop off in the Foyer. For info contact the church at church@svbc.ab.ca

A HART-felt Thank You: We provided 57 boxes packed for a total of 3,400+ lbs to Ukraine! A *HUGE* thank you to all who participated in this event whether it was donating clothing, packing or donating. Donations to cover the shipping costs are appreciated, please contact the church at church@svbc.ab.ca



Grade 7 - 12 are Invited!
Wednesdays 6:45 pm for 180 Bible Study
Beginning September 11th
@ Unsworth's
Fridays 7 pm for great activities!
More details: www.svbc.ab.ca/ministries/youth

Next Youth Event:

Grade 7-12 CLUE

Friday, September 20th @ 7 pm
@ SVBC

See svbc.ab.ca/ministries/youth for details



Pizza and Plan to Protect®!

When: Sunday, Sept 29, 12:30-2:00 pm

Who: Anyone working with or around children in a ministry area of SVBC

Where: SVBC Fireside Room



Find the hidden Cross in today's Bulletin!



Please join us after the service for a time of Fellowship in the Foyer! All are welcome!

Why Become God's Good News Messengers?

~ Matthew 22:34-40

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Pastor Tom

How do you live the Christian life?

♦Love ...

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What does this have to do with becoming Good News Messengers?

Why do some think it's more loving to NOT try to convert (evangelize) another person?

Reason 1 - Scientism* puts Christian claims...

Scientism*: "Something is true, rationally justified, or known, if and only if, it is a scientific claim that has been tested and proved using scientific methods." - JP Moreland

Reason 2 -

Reason 3-

But it's not hopeless! 1 John 4:11 "Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another."



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