

Welcome to

STURGEON VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

December 22, 2019



*"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~

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Remembering our Loved Ones

Whenever we lose someone who is dear to us we face a year of firsts without them. We have an opportunity for you to remember your loved one in a special way here at SVBC. Please take a moment before or after the service, to write your loved ones name on an ornament provided at the table in the Foyer & hang it on the main floor Christmas Tree in the Sanctuary. You are welcome to remember loved ones who have passed away prior to 2019. This may not be a merry Christmas for you so we pray you experience the inner joy that only Christ can bring & the comfort of the Holy Spirit. Following the service today, or on Christmas Eve, please feel free to take your ornament home.

*"The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God,
my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield,
and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold."
Psalm 18:2*



For Unto Us a Child Born

Isaiah 8:11-9:7

Pastor Tom
December 22, 2019

The child born unto us brings _____ to God's _____.

Who is part of the faithful remnant? (Isaiah 8:11-22)

What hope will the child bring?

- ♦ 9:2
- ♦ 9:3
- ♦ 9:4
- ♦ 9:5
- ♦ 9:6
- ♦ 9:7

So how do we live with this hope daily?

WHAT'S NEW AT SVBC!

Pastoral Care Contacts during Office Closures:

- ♦ Dec. 24 & 25 - Pastor Tom
pastortom@svbc.ab.ca
- ♦ Dec. 26 - 29 - Pastor Justin
pastorjustin@svbc.ab.ca
- ♦ Dec. 30 - Jan 1 - Pastor Serge
pastorserge@svbc.ab.ca

Gift Boxes: As Christmas approaches, many of us enjoy taking the opportunity to thank our Pastors & Staff and their families. As such, gift boxes are available under the Christmas Tree in the foyer for anyone wanting to give a gift. Thank you.

Sunday School: Teachers, thank you for your diligence in teaching Sunday School each week. Please enjoy a well deserved break. **Sunday School will resume Sunday, January 12, 2020.**



If you or one of your children volunteer in Children's Ministry, please check your Mail Folder for a little Christmas thank you :) Merry Christmas!

Sincerely, Miss Holly



Grade 7-12 are Invited!
Wednesdays at 6:45PM for 180 Bible Study
Bible Study Resumes January 8
Fridays 7:00PM for great activities!
 More details at: sbvc.ab.ca/ministries/youth

Upcoming Services

December 24 Christmas Eve	Pastor Tom	♦ TWO Services: 4:30PM and 6:30 PM ♦ ASL Interpreter at 6:30 PM Service
December 29	Riley N	♦ Isaiah 61 - The Year of the Lord's Favour ♦ No Sunday School
January 5	Pastor Serge	♦ The Greatest Unwrapped Gift Ever ~ Various Passages ♦ No Sunday School
January 12	Pastor Tom	♦ Why Isaiah is Essential for Christians ♦ Sunday School Resumes

SVBC Christmas Office Hours

Closed: Monday, December 23rd, 2019

Open: Tuesday, December 24th, 2019; 9:00AM-12:00PM

Closed: Wednesday, December 25th, 2019 - Wednesday, January 1st, 2020

Open: Thursday, January 2nd, 2020; Regular Hours resume

SVBC Regular Office Hours

Open: Tuesday-Friday - 9:00AM - 4:30PM

Closed: Saturday - Monday

Merry Christmas from the SVBC Office staff!

"For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulders, and His name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting father, Prince of Peace."

~Isaiah 9:6~



It is our prayer that through our time of worship together, you will come to understand more about this child who has come and is called 'Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father and Prince of Peace. May you receive a great peace this Christmas season as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ together. All our blessings to you as we end this decade together, and look forward to 2020.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Tuesday, December 24th

4:30 pm

6:30 pm - ASL Interpreted

GOODIE BAGS FOR KIDS - HOT CIDER
- HOT CHOCOLATE -