

Bethel Pentecostal Church exists to introduce people to, and nurture them in a dynamic relationship to Jesus Christ, within our community and beyond, in the power of the Holy Spirit.

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Information on our **YOUTH** meetings is found on our **BETHEL YOUTH** Facebook page. Ask to join today.

The church office will be open from 8 am to 2 pm daily.

Check us out at our Facebook page at **Barrhead Bethel Pentecostal Church** for prayer needs and other information.

Arise, Lord! Lift up your hand, O God. Do not forget the helpless.

TODAY AT BETHEL

Sunday, October 29, 2017

We are glad you have joined us! If you are a guest with us, please fill out a visitor card and place it in the offering plate.

11:00 AM Worship Service

Scripture Reading: Psalm 10:12-18

Pastor's Message: Bible Classics:

FINDING GOD IN UNUSUAL PLACES

Baptismal service after our service.

7:00 PM HOUR OF POWER PRAYER

Praise, Worship, and Prayer

Come and seek His Presence & Power

We welcome the gifts of the Holy Spirit in our services. If you feel led to give a message in tongues or prophecy, please speak to the Pastor.

Todays Nursery Assistants Are: Val, Sam & Caleb

FM Hearing Assist transmitters are available to use on Sundays. Speak to our sound people for more information.

UP-COMING SUNDAYS

Sun. November 5 - Daylight Savings time starts

 Deliverance: Not Always What You Think

Sun. November 12 – REVIVAL: What is it really?

Sun. November 19 – Vanguard Impact Team

BIBLE STUDIES AT BETHEL:

Ladies Bible Study: Book of Esther. Thursdays @1:30 pm. Room 2

Mom's & Tot's: Bible Study is Ruth. Chapter 2 on Oct 31 @ 10:30 pm

Sunday School at 10 AM each week

Thursday Daytime Bible Study, Ephesians, @ 2:00 PM

Floor Hockey 7:00pm Tuesday evenings.

Family Night restarts Wed.

November 1st. Supper at 6:00.

Bible Study at 6:30

If you are not part of a small group Bible study (either Sunday School or a home study) you are not growing spiritually. You are stagnating at best...falling backwards at worst.

We are excited to announce that **Aaron Lee** and **Jonathan Warkentin** have been asked to give leadership to our youth ministries. Pray for them as they plan and recruit adult leaders.

LOOKING AHEAD

High Octane third Sunday of the month. Children grade 1 to 6. Family Life Center 11:00 am

Shepherd's Care service, Monday's @ 2:00pm

Maligayang pagdating sa Beth el

Christmas Boxes are here! The collection date will be Sunday, November 12/17. There are some new guidelines, please take a brochure. Fill on line @ PackaBox.ca.

Barrhead Gideon's Annual Banquet - November 6, 2017. Starts at 6:00 pm at the Barrhead Drop In Center. Tickets available from Richard Schmidt 674-4032.

Terry Breitkreitz & family would like to thank everyone for their prayers, meals and support while grieving the loss of Pauline.

PRAYER NEEDS

Art Harder, Garry Lorenz, Robert Rempel, Aubrey Schatz, Irma Schmidt, Scotty Smith, Leonard Stoik, Nora Mast, Reuben Schatz, Eve Dye

BELIEVER OR ATHEIST? Pastor Dave Findlay

"You give them something to eat."

It is an event that made an impression on the people that were there and the story is told in all four of the Gospels.

There were over 5,000 people present and Jesus told the disciples to give them something to eat. They did some research and they determined that a year's wages would barely be enough to give everyone a bite. Their decision was, "Send the people away so they can buy themselves something to eat."

This was the disciples' decision. The same disciples who just earlier "drove out many demons and anointed many sick people with oil and healed them (Mark 6:13)." Now they are saying, 'Send them someplace else – we can't help them.'

A pastor recently suggested that we replace the disciples in this story with a group of atheists. When confronted with the need to feed 5,000 people, they would go through the same process. Investigate what is needed. Determine that there is not enough money. Send the people away.

The disciples would respond the exact same way the atheist would. We don't have what it takes. Send the people someplace else.

Sadly, there are many people who profess to be Christians or followers of Christ, but who act more like atheists.

When confronted with impossible needs, we look to what we have, determine we don't have what it takes, and we hope the people will find someone else to help them.

This story is about discovering that there is a God who cares enough about the needs of others to step in where our resources run out – a God who provides – and who steps up to do the impossible.

When you are confronted with the impossible, do you respond like the man who doesn't even believe in God?