



First Baptist Church, Olds, AB  
April 27, 2025

*“Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the  
LORD, our Maker!” Psalm 95:6*

**Gathering for Worship**

*Prelude ... Janae Bream*

*Welcome & Announcements ... Pastor Greg*

**Worship in Song ... Adams Team**

*Special Music*

*Leanne Cala*

**Worship in Prayer ... Ricson Talabucon / Gerald Rempel**

**Worship in the Word ... Schafer Parker**

*“The Glorious Privileges and Proofs of God’s Children”*

*I John 3:1-3*

**Worship in Witness & Service**

*“Jesus said to them again, ‘Peace be with you. As the Father has  
sent me, even so I am sending you.’”*

*John 20:21*

**Our Prayer Ministry Team**

Our Prayer Ministry Team is available to pray for you this morning. We invite you to come to the front row at the end of the service and one of our team members will pray for you.

## Today

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- **Today's FBC Missions:** Greg & Vonnie Cameron – SIM
- **Sunday School 9:15-10:30**  
Preschool to High School  
For more information please contact Pastor Greg Stirling.
- **Attention parents:** There are “Busy Boxes” at the Welcome Centre if you need one for your child at the beginning of the service.
- **Toddler Room (Downstairs: Ages 6 months to 3 Years)**  
Toddler Room Available (Downstairs: Ages 6 months to 3 years)  
Currently this ministry is available in both services. The Second Service is in need of 2 Adults and 2 Jr. Workers in order to continue.

## Next Sunday

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### Worship at 9:15 & 11:00am

**Vicky Snyder** will prepare us for worship by playing the prelude, the **Kary Team** will lead us in worship and **Lavona Folster** will present special music. **Treyton Niemans** will welcome us and keep us current on the life of the church, and **Pastor Greg** will bring us a message  
from God's Word and we will celebrate the Lord's Table

## This Week

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### GriefShare Support Group

**Monday from 1:00pm to 3:00pm in the Prayer Room**

For more information call Joanne Dulaney at 403-650-7401 or  
Teresa Quantz at 403-994-8894

**'Connected Families Framework' Parenting Small Group**  
**Saturday Mornings 9:30 – 11:00am free childcare**  
Contact Damien or Laurie Pearson at [damienandlaurie@gmail.com](mailto:damienandlaurie@gmail.com)  
(403) 921-4228. .

## Coming Events

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### **Women's Ministry Events**

May 17, 10:00 - 11:30am

It's a Garden Party!

Women of all ages, Come & Fellowship over refreshments & a Craft  
Sign Up at the Welcome Center

Contacts: Chantelle Boffey (403) 425-0032,  
Joanne Shields (403) 335-3919, Brenda Lytle (403) 586-1807

## Small Groups

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### **Sunday**

1:30pm...**Young Adult Bible Study** – at the church. Contact is  
Gavin Pearson 403-586-5911

2:00pm **Seasons Village Study** – at Seasons Village. Contact  
is Gordon Quantz 403-994-3651

4:00pm...**Young Married Bible Study** – Call Josh Kopp for  
location 403-586-4898

### **Monday**

9:30am...**Women in the Word** in the Prayer Room. Contacts  
are Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870 and Julie Quantz 403-  
335-4006

### **Tuesday**

9:15am...**Morning Ladies Bible Study** – upstairs. Contact is  
Elizabeth McArthur 403-588-6832

### **Wednesday**

7:00pm...**Jr & Sr High Girls Bible Study** – upstairs.  
Focusing on Bible Study. Contact is Janey Olson 403-  
556-1045

7:00pm...**Interlocked 1** – in the Prayer Room. Contacts are  
Jack & Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870

7:00pm...**Jr High Boys Bible Study** – Upstairs. Contact is Rob Schafer 403-586-5099

**Thursday**

7:00pm...**Thursday Night Bible Study** – in the Fireside Room. Contact is Steve Nedoshytko 403-968-7401

7:00pm...**Prayer** – Baby Room. Contact: Janey Olson 403-556-1045

**Friday**

7:00pm ... **Youth** – Contact is Treyton Niemans 403-601-2816

**Saturday**

**Filipino Bible Study**...Various locations. Contact: Ricson Talabucon 403-586-1713

## Church & Community

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**VBS is Coming**

Believe it or not VBS is right around the corner and we are hoping to collect western décor. If you have anything you are willing to loan us for the month of July please contact Janey Olson 403-586-0273 or Franshesca Hildebrand at 403-586-5222.

**Bridal Shower**

There will be a bridal shower for Brooklyn Wakefield (bride-elect of Colton Stirling) on Saturday, May 17 at 2:30 here at the church. They are registered at [theknot.com](http://theknot.com). If you require more information please contact Doris Kary at 403-556-5510;

**Congratulations to...**

Glen & Kelly Chapman on the birth of their granddaughter, 'Scotlynn Brooke' born April 20, 2025. Proud parents are Brett & Kaitlyn Kulak.

**Co-ordinator for table set up and take down**

The Care Deacons are looking for someone to volunteer to co-ordinate the setting up and taking down of tables and chairs for

church events. For more information or to volunteer please call Val Clark 403-335-3990.

**March 31, 2025 YTD Financial Report for the General (Operating) Fund**

Income	\$192,228
Expenses:	<u>\$152,066</u>
Current Surplus	\$ 40,162

**2025 Phone Directory**

The 2025 Phone Directories are now available at the Welcome Centre and the Church Office.

**E-transfers at First Baptist Church, Olds**

For e-transfers to First Baptist Olds please use the following Email: [finance@firstbaptistolds.ca](mailto:finance@firstbaptistolds.ca). Please include your last name or envelope number in the message area of the E-transfer.

**Get Connected**

If you are new to the church or wanting to meet new people Get Connected is what you're looking for. Our next gathering is Friday, May 8 at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Dave & Dale Anderson 5144 – 42 Street, Olds. We can host 20 people so book your spot early by calling 403-556-8797. The theme is European so please bring your favorite dish. Call to reserve your spot and let us know what you plan to bring. Looking forward to seeing everyone!

**Bibles Required**

If you have any Bibles that you are not using and would like to donate to the Philippines, please bring them to the church office. For more information, please call Virginia Bouwman at 587-796-1859.

**Yarn Required**

Donations of yarn needed to knit or crochet for charitable organizations such as Ronald McDonald House, Mustard Seed, Women's Shelter and more. You can drop the yarn off at the Church Office with Shelly.

## E-Transfers at First Baptist Church

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STEP 1: Log in to your bank account

STEP 2: Locate “Interac e-Transfer”

STEP 3: Follow prompts to add First Baptist Church Olds click “Add recipient”

Name: First Baptist Church Olds

Email: [finance@firstbaptistolds.ca](mailto:finance@firstbaptistolds.ca)

Confirm: [finance@firstbaptistolds.ca](mailto:finance@firstbaptistolds.ca)

Although the church is on what is called “Auto Deposit,” your bank may still require you to create a security question.

Go ahead and do so, though it will likely not be required in further steps.

STEP 4: Follow prompts and input dollar amount without the dollar sign

STEP 5: Please use the information or message box to designate the purpose for the transfer

(eg. Tithe, CSB fee, Development Fund, etc). If this box is left blank, it will be deposited to the General Fund.

**IF** you are a first time donor, please enter your name and address.

STEP 6: Review and submit or confirm

Please contact Shelly Redekopp at the church office (403-556-3219) if you have any questions.

# Contacts

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**Address:** 5005 – 53<sup>rd</sup> Avenue,  
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**Women's Ministry**  
Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870  
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**Prayer Chain:**  
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Florence Abiola 587-415-1106  
Nadine Erickson 403-335-1737  
Shelly Redekopp (church office) 403-556-3219

**FBC Facebook page**

If you are looking to connect online with people from the church, please check out the FBC Facebook page.

# Worship in God's Word

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**Title:**

**Text:**



# Songs of Praise

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## **Come Praise and Glorify**

Tim Chester / Bob Kauflin

### VERSE 1

Come praise and glorify our God,  
the Father of our Lord.  
In Christ, He has in heav'nly realms,  
His blessings on us poured.

For pure and blameless in His sight  
He destined us to be,  
and now we've been adopted through  
His Son eternally.

### CHORUS

To the praise of Your glory,  
to the praise of Your mercy and grace;  
To the praise of Your glory,  
You are the God who saves.

### VERSE 2

Come praise and glorify our God,  
who gives His grace in Christ.  
In Him, our sins are washed away,  
redeemed through sacrifice.

In Him, God has made known to us  
the myst'ry of His will,  
that Christ should be the head of all,  
His purpose to fulfill.

### CHORUS

To the praise of Your glory,  
to the praise of Your mercy and grace;  
To the praise of Your glory,  
You are the God who saves.

### VERSE 3

Come praise and glorify our God,  
for we've believed the Word;  
And through our faith we have a seal,  
the Spirit of the Lord.

The Spirit guarantees our hope  
until redemption's done,  
until we join in endless praise  
to God, the Three in One.

### CHORUS

To the praise of Your glory,  
to the praise of Your mercy and grace;  
To the praise of Your glory,  
You are the God who saves.

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## **Christ Our Hope In Life And Death**

Keith Getty | Matt Boswell | Jordan Kauflin | Matthew Merker | Matt Papa

### VERSE 1

What is our hope in life and death?  
Christ alone, Christ alone.  
What is our only confidence?  
That our souls to Him belong.

Who holds our days within His hand?  
What comes, apart from His command?  
And what will keep us to the end?  
The love of Christ, in which we stand.

### CH ORUS

O sing hallelujah!  
Our hope springs eternal;  
O sing hallelujah!  
Now and ever we confess  
Christ our hope in life and death.

### VERSE 2

What truth can calm the troubled soul?  
God is good, God is good.  
Where is His grace and goodness known?  
In our great Redeemer's blood.

Who holds our faith when fears arise?  
Who stands above the stormy trial?  
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh  
unto the shore, the rock of Christ.

### CHORUS

O sing hallelujah!  
Our hope springs eternal;  
O sing hallelujah!  
Now and ever we confess  
Christ our hope in life and death.

### VERSE 3

Unto the grave, what will we sing?  
"Christ, He lives; Christ, He lives!"  
And what reward will heaven bring?  
Everlasting life with Him.

There we will rise to meet the Lord,  
Then sin and death will be destroyed,  
And we will feast in endless joy,  
When Christ is ours forevermore.

CH ORUS  
O sing hallelujah!  
Our hope springs eternal;  
O sing hallelujah!  
Now and ever we confess  
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## **O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer**

Nathan Stiff

VERSE 1  
O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,  
greatest treasure of my longing soul,  
my God, like You there is no other.  
True delight is found in You alone.

Your grace, a well too deep to fathom,  
Your love exceeds the heavens' reach;  
Your truth, a fount of perfect wisdom,  
my highest good, and my unending need.

### VERSE 2

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,  
strong defender of my weary heart,  
my sword to fight the cruel deceiver  
and my shield against his hateful darts,

My song when enemies surround me,  
my hope when tides of sorrow rise,  
my joy when trials are abounding,  
Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night.

### VERSE 3

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,  
gracious Saviour of my ruined life,  
my guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders,  
in my place, You suffered, bled, and died.

You rose, the grave and death are conquered.  
You broke my bonds of sin and shame.  
O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,  
may all my days bring glory to Your Name.

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## **It Is Well With My Soul**

Horatio G. Spafford / Philip P. Bliss

### VERSE 1

When peace like a river attendeth my way,  
when sorrows like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,  
"It is well, it is well with my soul."

### CHORUS

It is well, (*It is well* )  
with my soul, (*with my soul*)  
it is well, it is well with my soul.

### VERSE 2

Tho' Satan should buffet, tho' trials should come,  
let this blessed assurance control;  
That Christ hath regarded my helpless estate,  
and had shed His own blood for my soul.

### CHORUS

It is well, (*It is well*)  
with my soul, (*with my soul*)  
it is well, it is well with my soul.

### VERSE 3

My sin - O, the bliss of this glorious tho't  
my sin - not in part, but the whole;  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more.  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

### CHORUS

It is well, (*It is well*)  
with my soul, (*with my soul*)  
it is well, it is well with my soul.

### VERSE 4

And, Lord, haste the day  
when my faith shall be sight,  
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll;  
The trump shall resound  
and the Lord shall descend,  
"Even so" - it is well with my soul.

### CHORUS

It is well, (*It is well*)  
with my soul, (*with my soul*)  
it is well, it is well with my soul.

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## **Come Thou Fount (Above All Else)**

Original Hymn: Robert Robertson / John Wyeth

Additional Words and Music by Shane Barnard

### VERSE 1

Come Thou Fount of ev'ry blessing,  
tune my heart to sing Thy grace.  
Streams of mercy never ceasing  
call for songs of loudest praise.

Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
mount of Thy redeeming love.

### VERSE 2

Here I raise my Ebenezer;  
hither by Thy help I'm come.  
And I hope by Thy good pleasure  
safely to arrive at home.

Jesus sought me when a stranger  
wand'ring from the fold of God.  
He to rescue me from danger  
interposed his precious blood.

### VERSE 3

O to grace how great a debtor,  
daily I'm constrained to be.  
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter,  
bind my wand'ring heart to Thee.  
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Prone to wander, Lord I feel it.  
Prone to leave the God I love.  
Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it,  
seal it for Thy courts above!

### BRIDGE

Above all else, I adore Your name.

Above all else,  
tune my heart to sing your praise.  
Above all else I adore Your name.

Above all else,  
tune my heart to sing your praise.

### BRIDGE

Above all else, I adore Your name.

Above all else,  
tune my heart to sing your praise.  
Above all else, I adore Your name.

Above all else,  
tune my heart to sing your praise.

### TAG

The highest praise, the loudest praise  
to the name above ev'ry name.

### ENDING

Prone to wander, Lord I feel it,  
prone to leave the God I love.  
Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it,  
seal it for Thy courts above!

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