



First Baptist Church, Olds, AB  
January 4, 2026

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

**Gathering for Worship**

*Prelude ... Daryl Heinzig*

*Welcome & Announcements ... Pastor Treyton*

**Worship in Song** ... The Thompson Team

*Special Music*

*Darryl Heinzig*

**Call to Worship** ... Lamentations 3:22-26

**Worship in Prayer** ... Greg Hamilton

**Worship in the Word** ... Pastor Rob McLaren

*The Good Old Days*

*Matthew 14:22-23*

**Worship at the Lord’s Table** ... Pastor Greg

**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:** Rock Solid Refuge, Shaunavon, SK
- **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).  
This ministry is available to parents who wish to have their children cared for during the service.

## Next Sunday

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

**Josh Kopp** will prepare us for worship by playing the prelude, the **Ellingsgaard Team** will lead us in worship and **Kopp Family Singers** will present special music. **Pastor Greg** will welcome us and keep us current on the life of the church, and **Pastor Rob McLaren** will bring us a message from God's Word.

## Coming Events

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### Young Adult Dinner

**1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of the month at 6:00pm**

Next one: January 15, 2026

### Women's Fellowship

Happening the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month

Next one: **January 3, 2026** at 9am.

### Puzzle Tournament

**January 24 at 7:00pm**

For more information please contact Janey Olson (Social Committee) at 403-556-1045 or [randj@olds.ca](mailto:randj@olds.ca)

## **Ladies Save the Date**

Women's 2026 Conference is March 6 and 7. Speaker Diane Butler

# **Small Groups**

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### **Monday**

7:00pm...**Guitar Class** in the Sanctuary. Contact is Peter Horrelt 780-832-7854

### **Tuesday**

7pm...**Young Adult Bible Study** – at various locations. Please contact Pastor Treyton for the location at 403-601-2816 or [tneiemans@firstbaptistolds.ca](mailto:tneiemans@firstbaptistolds.ca)

### **Wednesday**

10:00am **Wednesday Bible Study** – at the home of Don & Meryl Matchullis (4022 Shannon Drive). Contact: Dennis Thompson 403-559-8996; Don Matchullis 403-506-6158; Meryl Matchullis 403-556-5871.

10:30am...**Interlocked** – in the Prayer Room. Interlocked is a 54 week study of the Scriptures from Genesis to Revelation. Contacts are Jack & Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870

2:00pm...**Seniors Bible Study** – Fireside Room. Study focuses on study of the scriptures. Contacts: John Campbell 403-556-2030 and Pastor Norm 403-586-7788

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

7:00pm...**Jr & Sr High Boys Bible Study** --- Upstairs. Contacts: Pastor Trey 403-601-2816

7:00pm...**Men of the Word** – Fireside Room. Contact is Doug Shields 403-335-3919

### **Thursday**

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

### **Friday**

7:00pm...**Youth** - Please check the App for events. Contact: Pastor Trey 403-403-601-2816 or [tneiemans@firstbaptistolds.ca](mailto:tneiemans@firstbaptistolds.ca)

7:00pm...**Friday Night CARE Group** at the home of Ken & Rita Fahlman, phone 403-507-9325 or [ritafahlman@gmail.com](mailto:ritafahlman@gmail.com)

### **Saturday**

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

# Church & Community

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## **First Baptist Church has an App**

To get the app, go to either the Apple App Store or Google Play and search for First Baptist Church Olds to download.

## **Thank You**

Thanks to everyone who brought in 24 purses & backpacks as well as much needed items for the Mustard Seed Ministry in Red Deer. A big thank you to Brian Martz and Allen Runham for delivering throughout the year.

## **Mountain View Christian Women's Breakfast**

Ladies, you are invited to attend the Mountain View Christian Women's Breakfast on Tuesday January 13th, 9:30-11:30am, at the Didsbury Redeemer Lutheran Church Gym. Julie Gardner will be presenting her "Paper Artistry", Lavona Folster will inspire us with her singing, and Dorothy Cowling will share her Life Story Message. PLEASE RESERVE by contacting Colleen (403-586-1898) or Vicky Snyder (403-335-3500)

Tickets \$7 per person.

## **Reminder! Annual Reports**

Please have your Annual Reports to the church secretary by, December 31. If possible please submit them electronically, the email address is [sredekopp@firstbaptistolds.ca](mailto:sredekopp@firstbaptistolds.ca) Thanks!

## **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.

### ***Donations to Olds First Baptist Missionaries***

Hello from your FBC Treasurer. I would like to remind/inform you, the donor, that when you give a donation to an FBC Olds approved missionary, you are actually giving to the organization that the missionary is associated with.

To make your donation clear and so that it aligns with CRA (Canada Revenue Agency) recommendations, I would ask that when giving to the following projects either by e-transfer or envelope, please use the reference number provided rather than the personal name of the missionary worker.

Project 107 – involving Hamilton  
Project 117 – involving Bussard  
Project 127 – involving Cameron  
Project 134 – involving Harms  
Project 135 – involving Johnson  
Project 146 -- involving A. Brodie  
Project 147 – involving Olney  
Project 148 -- involving Haddad  
Project 152 – involving J. Palin  
Project 157 – involving Munchinsky  
Project 160 – involving D. Lester  
Project 208 – involving K. Hiebert  
Project 231 – involving Elliott

If you are donating to an organization, it is fine to note the organization's name on your e-transfer or envelope. Thank you for giving and praying for our missionaries.

# 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,  
Olds, AB T4H 1H6

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Fax 403-556-2840

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[sredekopp@firstbaptistolds.ca](mailto:sredekopp@firstbaptistolds.ca)

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## Lead Pastor

### Adult Ministries:

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**Women's Ministry**  
Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870  
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**Prayer Chain:**  
Brenda Lytle 403-556-6870  
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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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## What A Friend We Have In Jesus

Joseph Medicott Scriven / Charles Crozat Converse

### VERSE 1

What a Friend we have in Jesus,  
all our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry  
ev'rything to God in prayer!

O what peace we often forfeit,  
O what needless pain we bear,  
all because we do not carry  
ev'rything to God in prayer!

### VERSE 2

Have we trials and temptations?  
Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged;  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Can we find a friend so faithful  
who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness;  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

### VERSE 3

Are we weak and heavy laden,  
cumbered with a load of care?  
Precious Saviour, still our Refuge;  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee;  
Thou wilt find a solace there.

### VERSE 4

Blessed Saviour, Thou hast promised  
Thou wilt all our burden bear;  
May we ever, Lord, be bringing  
all to thee in earnest prayer.

Soon, in glory bright unclouded  
there will be no need for prayer;  
Rapture, praise and endless worship  
will be our sweet portion there.

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**Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me**  
Jonny Robinson | Michael Farren | Rich Thompson

**VERSE 1**

What gift of grace is Jesus, my Redeemer.  
There is no more for heaven now to give.  
He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom,  
my steadfast love, my deep and  
boundless peace.

To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus.  
For my life is wholly bound to His.  
Oh how strange and divine,  
I can sing: all is mine!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

**VERSE 2**

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken,  
for by my side the Saviour, He will stay.  
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing,  
for in my need, His power is displayed.

To this I hold: my Shepherd will defend me.  
Through the deepest valley He will lead.  
Oh the night has been won,  
and I shall overcome!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

**VERSE 3**

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven,  
the future sure, the price, it has been paid.  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon,  
and He was raised to overthrow the grave.

To this I hold: my sin has been defeated.  
Jesus now, and ever, is my plea.  
Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

#### VERSE 4

With ev'ry breath I long to follow Jesus,  
for He has said that He will bring me home.  
And day by day I know He will renew me  
until I stand with joy before the throne.

To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus.  
All the glory evermore to him.  
When the race is complete,  
still my lips shall repeat:  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

#### ENDING

When the race is complete,  
still my lips shall repeat:  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

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### **The First Hymn**

Chris Tomlin / Ben Fielding

#### VERSE 1

Let all be silent,  
the shining stars not sound.  
Rushing rivers still,  
let the mountains bow down.  
In awe and wonder,  
in reverence we come.  
Who is worthy of all worship?  
Who is seated on the throne?

## CHORUS

All powers cry out in answer.  
All glory and praise forever  
to our God,  
the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen, we sing amen.

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the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen, we sing amen.

## BRIDGE

To the only Giver of all good gifts, amen.  
To the only One who forgives our sins, amen.  
To the only God, to the Risen King,  
to the One who died and rose again, amen,  
we sing amen.

## BRIDGE

To the only Giver of all good gifts, amen.  
To the only One who forgives our sins, amen.  
To the only God, to the Risen King,  
to the One who died and rose again, amen,  
we sing amen.

## ENDING

Amen, we sing amen, amen.  
We sing our hymn, amen.

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## You Are Holy

Marc Imboden / Tammi Rhoton

### VERSE

You are Holy. (*You are holy.*)  
You are mighty. (*You are mighty.*)  
You are worthy, (*You are worthy,*)  
Worthy of praise. (*Worthy of praise.*)  
I will follow. (*I will follow.*)  
I will listen. (*I will listen.*)  
I will love You, (*I will love You,*)  
All of my days. (*All of my days.*)

### CHORUS 1

I will sing to and worship  
(*You are Lord of lords, You are King of kings,*)  
the King who is worthy.  
(*You are Mighty God, Lord of ev'rything.*)  
And I will love and adore Him,  
(*You're Emmanuel, You're the Great I Am,*)  
I will bow down before Him.  
(*You're the Prince of peace who is the Lamb* )

### CHORUS 2

And I will sing to, and worship  
(*You're the living God, You're my saving grace.*)  
the King who is worthy.  
(*You will reign forever, You are Ancient of Days.*)

And I will love and adore Him.  
(*You are Alpha Omega, Beginning and End.*)  
I will bow down before Him.  
(*You're my Saviour, Messiah, Redeemer and Friend.*)

### ENDING

You're my prince of peace  
And I will live my life for you

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## **Behold the Lamb**

Keith Getty / Kristyn Getty / Stuart Townend

### VERSE 1

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,  
slain for us: And we remember  
the promise made that all who come in faith  
find forgiveness at the cross.

So, we share in this Bread of Life,  
and we drink of His sacrifice,  
as a sign of our bonds of peace  
around the table of the King.

### VERSE 2

The body of our Saviour, Jesus Christ,  
torn for you: Eat and remember the wounds that heal,  
the death that brings us life,  
paid the price to make us one.

So, we share in this Bread of Life,  
and we drink of His sacrifice,  
as a sign of our bonds of love  
around the table of the King.

### VERSE 3

The blood that cleanses ev'ry stain of sin,  
shed for you: Drink and remember  
He drained death's cup that all may enter  
in to receive the life of God.

So, we share in this Bread of Life,  
and we drink of His sacrifice,  
as a sign of our bonds of grace  
around the table of the King.

**VERSE 4**

And so with thankfulness and faith  
we rise to respond and to remember  
our call to follow in the steps of Christ  
as His body here on earth.

As we share in His suffering,  
we proclaim: Christ will come again!  
And we'll join in the feast of heav'n  
around the table of the King.

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**Agnus Dei**  
Michael W. Smith

**VERSE**

Alleluia, alleluia,  
for the Lord God Almighty reigns.  
Alleluia, alleluia,  
for the Lord God Almighty reigns.  
Alleluia.

**CHORUS**

Holy, holy are You Lord, God Almighty.  
Worthy is the Lamb; Worthy is the Lamb.  
You are holy.  
Holy are You, Lord God Almighty.  
Worthy is the Lamb; Worthy is the Lamb.  
Amen

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