



Pastor Michael Sealy
Associate Pastor Jason Peasley

Sunday Worship Service
September 3, 2023 + 10:30 am

Service Leader Dan Quick

Welcome & Announcements

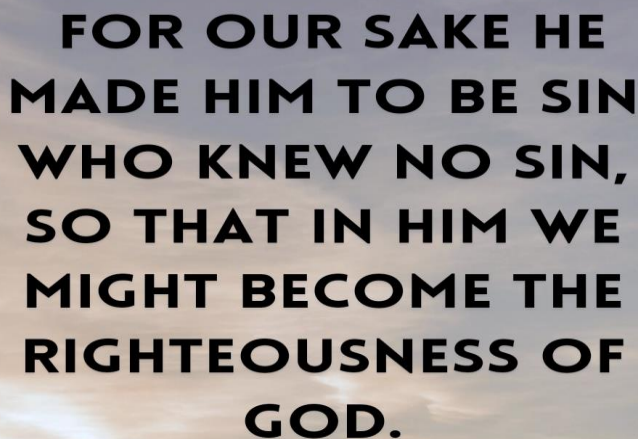
Baptism Christopher Morin

Sermon **The Church Belongs to God**

Scripture 2 Corinthians 1:1-2

Communion

Memory Verse – 2 Corinthians 5:21

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**FOR OUR SAKE HE
MADE HIM TO BE SIN
WHO KNEW NO SIN,
SO THAT IN HIM WE
MIGHT BECOME THE
RIGHTEOUSNESS OF
GOD.**

A warm welcome to those visiting with us today.
If we can assist you in any way, please speak to one of the ushers.

Messages

SAVE THE DATE!! FBC Family Reunion – **Saturday, September 30th**. If you would like to get involved and lend a hand with some fellowship fun, call Michelle Morin.

Adult & Kids (Grades 1-5) Sunday School have started back up! A reminder that the pre-service Sunday School times are **9:30-10:15 am**. Please note that **registration** for grades 1-5 Sunday School will begin at **9:15 am**. This allows the teachers to set up and pray before the kids arrive.

Upcoming Events

12 Week Health Journey - **Thursday mornings, 9-10am** starting **Sept. 7th** to November 30. Come join us for a little exercise, nutritional discussions and group support to kick start making healthy choices (biblically based reference material at each session)

Rummage Sale - **Fri. Sept. 8th (9am – 4pm)** and **Sat. Sept. 9th (9am – Noon)** Gently used clothing, household goods, books, toys etc! **Volunteers to set up following coffee break on Wed. and again on Thurs., would be appreciated.** For more information or to volunteer please contact Joanne @ 519-324-6828

Annual Kids Ministry Meeting ~ **Sept. 10th** following the service in the upstairs classroom in the C.E. Building. This meeting is for **ALL** those serving from nursery to grade 5. Lunch will be provided.

Board Meetings~ **Sept. 11th** at **7 pm** in the boardroom.

On **Sunday Sept 17th** we will have the pleasure of meeting Pastor Alexander Satiesteban Fernandez and his wife Marisol from Holguin Cuba. He will introduce the ministries he leads in that area. After the service, there will be a light lunch down stairs where you will be able to meet them. We hope you can join us at that time.



Ladies, please join us Tuesday, **September 19** at **7:00 pm** in the lower auditorium for a **BABY SHOWER** honouring Eva Neufeld. A baby registry can be found on myregistry.com, search Eva and Ben Neufeld.

Ladies Fall Bible Study will begin **Sept. 26th**. We will be using the study authored by Vaneetha Risner entitled *"Desperate for Hope: Questions We Ask God in Suffering, Loss & Longing."* * 2 study time options are available, **Tuesdays @ 7 pm** in the lower auditorium or **Thursday afternoons @ 1 pm** in the Bible Study Room.

Marriage Enrichment Evening ~ Saturday **October 21st**. More details to come.

Regular Events

Adult Sunday School ~ Sundays at 9:30 am in the lower auditorium for Adults and youth older than grade 5.

Ask The Pastor ~ 2nd Sunday of the month - **Sept. 10th** - at 3:30 pm in the lower auditorium. An informal time of Q&A with Pastor Mike. All are welcome!

Prayer Meeting ~ Last Sunday of the month at 3:30 in the boardroom.

Coffee Break ~ Coffee, fellowship & shuffleboard or other board games followed by a time of Bible Q&A with the Pastor. Wednesday mornings at 9 am. It's a great way to get to know one another, invite a friend!



The Growing Zone

Sunday School

Preschool to SK downstairs (during the service)

**Registration opens at 10:00*

Gr. 1 to Gr. 5 upstairs (9:30-10:15)

**Registration opens at 9:15*

Classrooms are located across the bridge in the CE Building

CHILDCARE IS AVAILABLE: The Nursery, for infants up to 2 yrs, is located on the second floor of the CE Building. The first door on your right after crossing the bridge. An usher would be happy to assist you with directions.

Financials

Year to Date – July 31, 2023	
Revenue	220,926.83
Expenses	185,340.69
Surplus/Deficit	35,586.14

Sermon Notes

1 – The people of God are called to live under the authority of Christ. (Verse 1a)

2 - The people of God are a set apart people. (Verse 1b)

3 - The people of God depend completely on God. (Verse 2)