

LIFE & TIMES

Blythwood Road Baptist Church



Out of the ground the LORD God made to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight and good for food, the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.
A river flows out of Eden to water the garden, and from there it divides and becomes four branches.

Genesis 2:9-10

THE LORD'S DAY
JUNE 5TH, 2022
DAY OF PENTECOST

BLYTHWOOD CALENDAR

Sunday June 5th

- ◆ In-Person Sunday Service and the Lord's Supper at 10:30 am.
- ◆ Online Worship Service on YouTube.
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCf-hCNBIHMpJ1nLZqm401yA>
- ◆ Communion Service at 11:30 pm on Zoom
Everyone welcome.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83796704940?pwd=RzIXbVdWSUFWZXdQVE51MFFSRXJrdz09>
To Join in by Telephone Dial: 647-558-0588
Meeting ID: 837 9670 4940
Passcode: 158759

Tuesday June 7th

- ◆ Deacon Meeting at 12:30 pm.

SUNDAY SERVICE IN THE SANCTUARY

Please join us for Sunday's Worship Service at 10:30 am.

We hope that you'll be able to join us, and we continue to provide the opportunity for you to worship online via our YouTube channel.
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCf-hCNBIHMpJ1nLZqm401yA>

Currently, we are not requiring the wearing of masks at our Sunday morning service. People will be free, of course, to wear masks if they choose (and we will honour everyone's choice with grace). To take into account the most vulnerable members of our community, we will designate a section of the sanctuary in which masks are required to be worn throughout the service. Hand sanitizing stations will continue to be set up and physical distancing recommended. As has been the case throughout the pandemic, measures will be adjusted as needed in light of the future public health situation, and public health recommendations.

SAVE THE DATES

- ◆ Annual Meeting Wednesday June 22nd at 7:30 pm in the Sanctuary.
- ◆ Blythwood Family Picnic Sunday June 26th at noon.
Please let the office know if you can help with:
Desserts – Setting Up – Clean Up

BRBC CALENDAR & BIRTHDAYS



*Blythwood Birthdays

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Blythwood Family Prayer Hour 7:30 pm	2	3	4 Bonnie Hartley Memorial Service 1 pm * Sharon Van Sickle
5 Worship 10:30 am The Lord's Supper Rev. David Thomas Benevolent Offering Communion Service 12pm—Zoom * Julie Bruce * Linda Hurlburt	6	7 Deacons' Meeting 12:30 pm	8	9	10 * Azucena Bedolla	11
12 In Person & Online Worship 10:30 am Rev. David Thomas * Sourthi Lam * Margaret Snyder	13	14 The Connection 11:30 am	15 Rick Tobias Memorial Service Yorkminster Park 11 am * Ryan Parroja	16	17 * Carter Royron	18
19 In Person & Online Worship 10:30 am Guest Preacher Bolivia Offering Father's Day * Stephanie Capuch	20	21	22 Annual Meeting at 7:30 pm Sanctuary	23	24	25
26 In Person & Online Worship 10:30 am Rev. David Thomas Blythwood Annual Picnic 12 pm Rain or Shine	27	28	29	30 * Leonardo De Santis		

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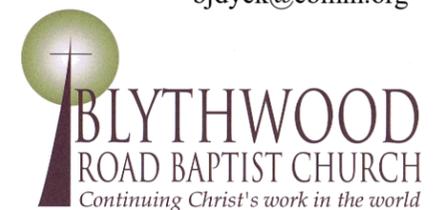
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WELCOME

TO BLYTHWOOD ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

Brothers and sisters in Christ, on this first Sunday in June, welcome to prayer, praise and thanksgiving. May we bless God as he so richly blesses us. Welcome to Blythwood.

Today we celebrate The Lord's Supper. All who are seeking to respond to God through faith in Jesus Christ are invited to receive the spiritual nourishment offered in the bread and the cup. The Benevolent Offering received today will go to the Pregnancy Care Centre (PCC).

COMMUNION SERVICE ON ZOOM

Pastor David invites you to join Sunday's Communion service at 11:30 am. Everyone welcome.

Time: June 5, 2022 11:30 am.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83796704940?pwd=RzIXbVdWSUFWZXdQVE51MFFSRXJrdz09>

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PRAY FOR BLYTHWOOD'S ELDERS

Please remember the members of our Blythwood Family who are living in care: Norma Bowers, Jim Kemp and Wally Snyder.

PENTECOST

The word 'Pentecost' comes from the Greek meaning simply 'fiftieth'. Pentecost Sunday ends the season of Easter and symbolizes a new beginning. It celebrates the unleashing of the Holy Spirit on the world and the empowering of the church to reach the world with the gospel. In remembering Pentecost and living in the light of this powerful turning point the church expresses gratitude to Christ for sending "another counselor" (John 14:16), celebrates the work of the Spirit in the renewal of all creation, and professes its confidence and security in knowing the Spirit's power is available for its mission.

BLYTHWOOD GIVINGS

- ♦ The church accepts donations by online e-transfer through your bank to Blythwood's email address treasurer@blythwood.org
- ♦ Donations can be made electronically through the Church's website www.blythwood.org
- ♦ If interested in setting up pre-authorized payment to Blythwood, please contact the church office to obtain the form office@blythwood.org
- ♦ You may also mail your envelope directly to Vilma Barredo, our Church Treasurer, at her home. If you require Vilma's address please refer to your church directory or contact our office manager, Jennifer Frank.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Prelude @ 10:25

Adolfo De Santis

The Light of the world is Jesus

Life @ Blythwood

Call to Worship

Leader: For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you received a spirit of adoption.

All: When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God.

Holy Spirit, Hear Us

(William H. Parker, 1845-1929; NORTH COATES)

Greeting

Kindle a Flame

(Ken Bible ©2005)

Sweet Sweet Spirit

(Doris Aiken, 1962; SWEET SWEET SPIRIT)

Blessing the Children

WORD

Scripture: Genesis 2:4-25 John 2:1-11

Sermon: "Our Generous Host"

RESPONSE

Musical Reflection

Lamb of God

Prayers of God's People

Worthy Is the Lamb

(Darlene Zschech ©2006)

The Lord's Supper

SENDING

Tis So Sweet to Trust In Jesus

(Louisa M.R. Stead, 1882, William J. Kirkpatrick, 1882; TRUST IN JESUS)

Pastoral Blessing

The Postlude: *Every time I feel the Spirit*



READ OUR SERMONS ONLINE

www.blythwood.org/index.php/sermons

SUNDAY SERVICE ONLINE

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BLYTHWOOD PRAYERS

Canadian Baptist Ministries asks us to please join in prayer with Bill and Janice Dyck, Discipleship & Theological Education Specialist, Latin America.

A warm hello to all of you who faithfully pray for CBM's ministry. We are Bill and Janice Dyck. I (Bill) serve in the role of Latin America, Discipleship and Theological Education Specialist, and I (Janice) continue to support a ministry to children in the red-light district of Cochabamba, Bolivia. We are currently based out of Calgary, but our ministry focus continues to be in Latin America. So we would like to give you a bit of an update on Bolivia, Guatemala, and El Salvador as seen through our involvements. As in Canada, restrictions related to Covid are being lifted and churches and schools are resuming in-person meetings. The Bolivian Baptist Union recently held their annual assembly meetings, in person, for the first time since the beginning of the pandemic. I (Bill) have been involved in helping the denomination set up discipleship and support groups for pastors. I am happy that they have now included this program in their 5-year plan. This can be a vehicle for spiritual support for pastors and even church growth. As schools open up, children can go back to school, but many have fallen behind from where they should be, families have been disrupted, and there is the risk of youth with a lot of potential falling through the cracks as they try to transition from high school to university. Keeping track of and helping youth from the Foundation has been a real challenge for Goretty and the other Foundation staff. Thankfully, travel is opening up. We are planning a trip to Bolivia this coming November. It will be nice to meet and encourage the rising leaders of DPP in Bolivia and the kids and staff at the Foundation. At the end of June, I (Bill) will be taking a ministry trip to Guatemala and El Salvador. Plans are underway for speaking engagements, three training events aimed at starting new DPP groups, theological education consultations with educators, and an evaluation of Marketplace Ministries' curriculum. Please pray for Latin America as it recovers from and continues to cope with Covid and all of the challenges that exist around health, food and income, education, and the running of organizations. Thank you so much for your continued prayer support for Latin America and CBM. As we lift up our prayers to a God who is loving and able to do more than we can ask or imagine, we know that He will work all things for the good of His people.

Prayer Points

- Pray for protection for students, teachers, churches, denominations, and individuals as they return to in-person meetings, and resume travel, after the lifting of restrictions but in a changing world with ongoing health threats.
- Pray that God will continue to guide Bolivian leadership as they resume in-person leadership meetings and use resources like Discipleship and Pastoring of Pastors (DPP) in their ongoing support for pastors and growth as an organization. Pray that they will reflect Christ faithfully, both inside of the church and in the community.
- Pray for a group of leaders from Central America and Bolivia, who are learning about and reflecting on the importance of integrating faith and daily work, through marketplace ministries training.
- Pray for a group of pastors in Guatemala who are participating in a pastoral support group and for upcoming training events that will multiply such groups and continue to bless leaders who serve their church and community. Pray for Goretty, the Emmanuel Foundation, and all who work with vulnerable children and the unstable and unsafe families they come from. Pray especially for the children's education, which bears fruit for a lifetime. Pray for strength. Pray for wisdom. Pray for protection for the children.