

# *The Connection*

MEADOWLANDS BAPTIST CHURCH  
16 JULY 2021 NEWSLETTER

## THE MINISTRY OF VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

BY MARK RICHMOND

Since the first week of July, the church building has had the blessing of ministry activity. Hockey Ministries International ran a day Hockey Camp from July 5th to the 12th. They had approximately twenty kids working on their hockey skills and hearing the Gospel daily. For some kids, this was the first time entering a church building. The kids were open to the Gospel and asked deep, beyond surface-level questions. Please pray for the kids that attended; may the seeds which were planted take root and grow.

As well, we are ecstatic to be having a live-in-person Vacation Bible School July 18-22. *God Always Wins* is the theme for VBS, which looks at God's greatness through the Word. We will be learning how the Lord displayed His greatness to the world by rescuing Israel from Egypt, through Elijah and the 450 prophets of Baal, and Christ conquering death and sin. Our final lesson will look to the end of all time, where God is seated on the throne having everything under His feet. All of us, no matter our age, need reminding that God always wins. He has conquered death, and one day those who have called on His name will be with Christ for eternity. Please pray for all of our volunteers as well as the families and children that will be attending.

We are blessed to have this building and many willing servants. I praise God for those in the past who gave their time and money to build this worship facility, kitchen, gymnasium, and classrooms. I pray that these resources will continue to be an instrument for ministry that spreads beyond this building to the surrounding community.

Thank you to all who have invested time and talents this month in these outreach ministries. Your service of making meals, preparing lessons, decorating, and donating prizes and finances is greatly appreciated. The Lord continues His work through His people. To God be the glory!



BEGINS  
**VBS**  
SUNDAY

July 18-22, 6:30-8:30 pm  
Age 4 to Grade 6

Register at:  
[meadowlandsbaptist.com](http://meadowlandsbaptist.com)

★ HOW CAN I HELP? ★

- PRAY
- DONATE candy (no nuts), prizes such as balls, sports related items, outdoor games, etc. Donations can be dropped off in the church office.



**SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES:  
9:30 AM OR 11:00 AM**

In-person services take place in the auditorium. Services are simultaneously livestreamed in the gym, or available to you at home. Childcare is available during the 9:30 service for ages 2-3.

**NEXT SUNDAY, 25 JULY  
THE LORD'S SUPPER**



**18 JULY 2021**

- "IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE"
- PRAYER
- "I WILL SING OF MY REDEEMER"
- "OH, HOW HE LOVES YOU AND ME"
- CHILDREN'S STORY
- "HIDING IN THEE"
- MESSAGE: "GOD'S GRACIOUS COMPASSION"  
JONAH 4
- "HIS MERCY IS MORE"
- BENEDICTION



WESTERN CANADA BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP



BIBLE  
SUMMER  
CAMP

TEEN CAMP  
AUGUST 2-7

SPEAKERS: PASTORS  
BARKLEY MAY &  
MICHAEL MILLER  
GRADES 7-12 ~ \$245



JUNIOR CAMP  
AUGUST 9-13

SPEAKERS: TBD  
GRADES 3-6 ~ \$230

Transportation to and from camp is available for Meadowlands youth. Please contact Pastor Mark no later than **Monday, July 26** if a ride is needed.

★ LYONS YOUTH CAMP SITE, CREMONA, AB ★

**REGISTER ONLINE AT FOUNDATIONBAPTISTCHURCH.COM:**

YOUNG  
COUPLES  
FELLOWSHIP

SATURDAY  
24 JULY  
11-2

LEDUC COUNTY  
ACREAGE  
RSVP:  
780-991-6913  
WILL & SHERRI  
BRECKENRIDGE

Please bring drinks, yard games and lawn chairs.

Hot dogs, buns, condements, chips and watermelon will be provided.

A bounce house with small water slide will be on site for children.

*Need to contact us?*

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