

# M E A D O W L A N D S

BAPTIST CHURCH

# **TODAY**

Nursery (0-3) 9:30am and 11am

\*Adult Bible Study Fellowship Groups 9:30am or 11am

\*Children's Sunday School/Teens llam

\*Please see the Information Desk for locations and details.

# 4-8pm

Church Membership Class (Fireside Room)

# 6-8pm

"Christ above the gods" (Mormonism and other groups) class taught by Dr. Joel Arnold (Auditorium)

> Coffee fellowship is available in the gym foyer before and between Sunday morning services.

Please reserve the rear 4 rows near the right auditorium entrance for families with small children.

# MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES

21 April | 9:30am or 11am

# **CALL TO WORSHIP**

PSALM 24:7-10

## **HYMNS**

18 "ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH DO DWELL"
135 "O WORSHIP THE KING"

#### **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

#### **SCRIPTURE READING**

FPHFSIANS 4:17-24

#### **HYMNS**

198 "ACROSS THE LANDS" 403 "BLESSED ASSURANCE" 176 "BE THOU MY VISION"

#### **MESSAGE**

"CHANGING YOUR MIND" EPHESIANS 4:17-24 PASTOR KEVIN WILLIAMS

#### **CLOSING HYMN**

332 "OH, HOW GOOD IT IS"

#### BENEDICTION

# CALENDAR ITEMS



# EVENTS

# THIS WEEK (April 22-27):

# Wednesday

6:30pm

Teen Bible Quizzing (Room 308)

Men's Bible Study (Room 207 Fireside Room)

- Ladies' Bible Study (Auditorium)
- Kids 4 Truth

# Friday

1-4pm Homeschool Gym Day. All homeschool families in the Meadowlands congregation are invited. Contact Chelsea Rose (bcrose815@gmail.com) for more information.

# **28 April** 12:30

Meet & Greet for Elora Rae Gerike, born March 27th to Dean & Ariya Gerike. Come to the Fireside Room to meet the sweet baby, and enjoy light refreshments! Families are welcome. See poster on bulletin board for gift ideas.

# 29 April

6:45-7:30pm VBS meetina (Auditorium)

7-9pm

Men's Sports Night (Pickleball)

# 5-7 May

Frazor Évangelistic Team

# 11 May

9am-Ñoon All Church Outdoor Cleanup

#### 13-18 May

Foundation Baptist College block class -Biblical Ethics



# JOIN US MAY 5-7!

SUNDAY WORSHIP 9:30AM SUNDAY WORSHIP 11:00AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:00AM MON-TUES EVENING 7:00PM

# MISSIONARY UPDATE



# HAMMERMEISTERS BRITISH COLUMBIA

While our quarterly prayer letter is not scheduled for a few more months, we wanted to keep you up to date on our current situation so that you could pray for us in the next five months.

As you know, over the years our church has been struggling with attendance. Prior to the lockdown of 2020, people were already falling away. Lockdown simply encouraged people in their apathy towards the church. When we were finally able to gather together again, and the majority of the public fears had subsided, we continued our regular community outreach efforts. Unfortunately, we noticed greater disinterest in the community and have not been able to reach new people with the Gospel.

As a result, we have been praying for the Lord's direction. The uncertainties of life and ministry, coupled with our inability to predict the next few days, let alone the next few years, have been emotionally challenging and draining on many levels. Through it all we have continued to trust the Lord to guide us and have committed ourselves to doing His will, whatever that might be.

In April, we heard about a church in a neighboring city that had gone through a split aggravated, but not caused, by the lockdown measures. To make a long story short, one small group followed the pastor and left, while another group followed the main instigator in a different direction. The church was left without a pastor, and with just a small group of people who have been trying to keep things running.

For the past month, our skeleton crew has been joining with theirs, and Darren has been preaching for the worship services. The church needs much spiritual feeding, guidance, support, and prayer. We ask that you join us in praying for them as we seek to minister and be a blessing to them.

The Lord knows and has a plan! However, it is not being broadcast to us through a general announcement but rather unfolded on a painfully slow, step-by-step basis that requires us to trust and rest in Him.

For His glory and for the souls in Canada,

# The Hammermeisters

# <u>Please remember these recurring needs:</u>

- •Darren: sinus congestion, surgery (2025)
- •Services, community outreach, and meeting people
- •Spiritual growth of our people
- •Unsaved friends and family of our members
- •Committed families to join with us in our efforts in reaching Surrey



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#### **GIVING**

A giving receptacle is located by the church office door. F-transfer is also available. From your bank's website, select the e-transfer feature. The email address to transfer to is <u>donationsemeadowlands</u> baptist.com. Your donation will be automatically accepted, and you will receive a confirmation of the transfer. Please include your full name in the message line.