

We are glad you are worshipping with us this morning. If you are a **Visitor** we ask you to sign a Guest Card and drop it in the offering plate so we can acknowledge your visit. Join us to Worship at 11:00 am.

A **staffed nursery** is provided for children from 6 months to age two. During the offering, children from ages Preschool to Kindergarten are dismissed for Junior Church in the Board Room.

### ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Song  
Welcome & Announcements  
Worship in Song  
Scripture Reading & Prayer  
Offering  
Worship in Song  
Message  
Closing Song  
Prayer & Benediction

### **WORSHIP TEAM:**

LILLY R.  
BEV S.  
JOEL U.  
DONNA J.  
LUKE P.  
RICK P.  
Video: HARRY S.  
Sound: GORDON R.

**Senior Pastor:** REV. MARK WOODS  
**Associate Pastor:** REV. JONATHAN KROEKER  
**Youth Pastor:** BEN CLOUSTON  
**Office Administrator:** BEV SHERIDAN

## STANDING FOR TRUTH

MATTHEW 7:13-29

\_\_\_\_\_ the Truth

- \_\_\_\_\_ of false prophets

- *Matthew 7:15*

- \_\_\_\_\_ the fruit

- *Matthew 7:16-18*

- \_\_\_\_\_ will not stand

- *Matthew 7:19*

\_\_\_\_\_ the Truth

- \_\_\_\_\_ are not enough

- *Matthew 7:21*

- \_\_\_\_\_ can be artificial

- *Matthew 7:22*

- \_\_\_\_\_ is the key

- *Matthew 7:23*

\_\_\_\_\_ the Truth

- \_\_\_\_\_ the words of Jesus

- *Matthew 7:24*

- \_\_\_\_\_ the works of Jesus

- *Matthew 7:24*

- \_\_\_\_\_ on the authority of Jesus

- *Matthew 7:25*

### **PRAISE & PRAYER**

- **Pray for** our shut-ins: LYNDA D. and BOB H.
- **Pray for** LYNDELL CAMPBELL-REQUIA who teaches seminary and helps in church planting projects in Rio Grande in Sul, Brazil.
- **Pray for** the Community BBQ that will happen here at Rowandale next Saturday: that lots of people from the neighbourhood will come and enjoy the food and that we will be able to make significant connections with them to open the door for future witness.

**SUNDAY, MAY 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2017**

### **THIS MORNING:**

We've been hearing a lot about fake news lately. Actually, I discovered about 40 years ago that there was a lot of fake news emanating from our big-name national broadcasters and media. This was especially true when the stories revolved around moral, religious, or political issues. Even scientific discoveries and economic statistics were slanted to fit a particular social narrative. Today, with the internet, anybody can find dozens of articles on any topic you want. The thing is, you can find those articles to reflect whatever spin you desire – liberal or conservative; Christian or non-Christian; socialist or individualist. All these different views are competing with each other and it can all become rather confusing. “What is truth?” is a very valid question.

One of the hallmarks of a follower of Jesus is that he is willing to stand for truth. But what is truth? How do we know what we are supposed to believe, and how do we stand for that in life? Some truth is more crucial to know than other truth. For example, while it is true that my lawn will be greener if I water it, it's not a truth that will make a significance difference in my life. The truth that Jesus taught and stood for concerned eternal issues. Those are the kinds of things that determine both quality of life and eternal destiny. Those are the kinds of things that we want to look at this morning.

**SUNDAY SCHEDULE**

Sunday School..... 9:30 am  
 Grad Celebration/Coffee  
 and Fellowship.....10:30 am  
 Worship.....11:00 am  
 Members Meeting.....After Service  
 Bethsaida French  
 Fellowship.....1:30 pm

**COMING UP**

May 31 - Senior's Day at Camp  
 Nutimik  
 June 1 - "Three-Score +" Bible Study  
 @ 2:00 pm  
 June 1 - Council Meeting @ 7:00 pm  
 June 2 - Youth "Kickball at the Park"  
 @ 7 pm  
 June 3 - Community BBQ @ 10:00 am  
 June 4 - Sunday School @ 9:30 am  
 - Coffee time @ 10:30 am  
 - Worship Service  
 @ 11:00 am  
 - Bethsaida Fellowship @  
 1:30 pm.

 **CONGRATULATIONS!** 

Today we would like to congratulate our 2017 Grade 12 Graduates. May God bless them and guide them as they move forward into the next stage of their lives.

**MEMBERS MEETING**

A brief 'special meeting' will be held after the Worship Service today to discuss a small expenditure not included in the 2017 budget.

**ROWANDALE BAPTIST CHURCH**

STATS FOR MAY 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2017

ATTENDANCE .....	176
GENERAL OFFERING.....	\$8,922
WEEKLY GOAL .....	\$10,180
GIVING TO DATE .....	\$207,457
BUDGET TO DATE .....	\$203,600



**FRIDAY, JUNE 2<sup>ND</sup>**

KICKBALL AT THE PARK @ 7 PM

Join us at Aaron and Laura Pauls' for a game of kickball. Please come dressed for running and kicking a ball (and possibly getting dirty). **Please let Pastor Ben know today if you are coming or not.**



**PLEASE NOTE**

Our last youth event before the summer is on Friday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at Birds Hill Park where we will play a game of "Live Clue". If you plan to attend, please sign up on the sign-up sheet on the table in the lobby.

**Young Adults**

**YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Join us on Sunday mornings in Room 10 at 9:30 am as we use Scripture to tackle some tough topics this month. Come early to grab a cup of coffee or tea!

**PATHWAY CAMP MINISTRIES**

Summer staff is needed for the weeks of July 2-7; July 8-15 and July 15-22. For information please talk to Pastor Ben. Application forms can be picked up at the table in the lobby.

**PRAY FOR MUSLIMS**

You can be instrumental in reaching Muslims for Christ through prayer! Muslim Prayer Guides are available from Christoph K. in the lobby after the service. Pick yours up for \$2.25.

**LADIES PRAYER PARTNERS**

If you are a lady and an attender at Rowandale, you are welcome to join our ladies prayer partner group. You will be given the name of another lady to pray for throughout the year and someone will be praying for you. Then next spring we get together for our Prayer Partner reveal party. If you are interested or have any questions please talk to Lori N. If you would like to be a prayer partner please let Lori know by June 4th.

**MISSIONS BREAKFAST**

An MBA Missions breakfast is scheduled for Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 9:30 am at Perkins Restaurant, 1277 Henderson Hwy. You are invited to come and hear Helga K. share of her recent trip to Cameroon. Each person pays for their own meal. Deadline for RSVP is May 25th to Rhonda K. at 204-338-1294.

**CHURCH PICNIC**

SUNDAY, JUNE 11<sup>TH</sup> @ 11:00 AM  
 On June 11<sup>th</sup> we will have our Worship Service at Bunn's Creek Centennial Park, 365 Mclvor Ave, with picnic lunch and fellowship to follow. Bring some cake to share, coffee will be provided. Bring a chair to sit on, tables will be provided.



**COMMUNITY BBQ**

SATURDAY, JUNE 3<sup>RD</sup> @ 9:45 AM

June 3<sup>rd</sup> is our annual Community BBQ where we express Christ's love to our community. Last year we served 300 hot dogs and smokies.

We need people to serve by:

- holding signs
- serving food
- working in the kitchen
- talking to our neighbours

Everyone 12 and older is invited to help. Sign up today in the foyer to serve at the BBQ and/or bring baking, or talk to Andrea. Baking can be brought on Friday too.

Anyone who has one should please wear their LOVE WINNPEG shirt.

**APPRECIATION PARTY**

**FOR PASTOR MARK AND SHELLEY**

SUNDAY, JUNE 25<sup>TH</sup> AT 5:00 PM

If you would like to help out, please contact Rita S.

**SUMMER KIDS CLUB**

**"MYSTERIES INC - IN SEARCH OF THE TRUTH"**

JULY 24-28

If you can help with preparing snacks or supervision, please talk to Shannon F. Flyer distribution in the neighbourhood is also needed.

**CAMP NUTIMIK NEWS**

BROCHURES FOR SUMMER CAMP are available on the table in the lobby.

Volunteer cooks are needed for the weeks of: July 9-14, 23-28, 30-Aug 4, 8-11.

**MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK**



**JULIE STONE**  
**NAB MISSIONARY**  
**CAMEROON**

Dr. Julie Stone serves in Cameroon at Banso Baptist Hospital. Most of her focus is on teaching, but Julie also considers it a privilege to care for patients in a setting where she can freely share the truth of Jesus and what He has done to deliver people from the second death. Julie is currently on a year-long home assignment, which began in January. Pray for her time visiting supporters and traveling, that she would still be able to find time to rest in God. Find more information online at [nabonmission.org/missionaries/julie-stone](http://nabonmission.org/missionaries/julie-stone).

**MINISTRY OF THE WEEK**

**GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**OCHRE RIVER, MB**  
**BRAD (KARISSA) MULLER**  
**ASSOCIATE PASTOR**