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Worship Team

Lilly R
Bev S
Joel U
Donna J
Luke P
Karina P
Jonathan K
Rick P

Video: Nelson B
Sound: Gordon R

Lead Pastor: Jonathan Kroeker
Youth Pastor: Ben Clouston
Office Administrator: Audrey Plew

Live by the Sola Scriptura (2 Timothy 3:14-17)

Sermon Notes:

Praise & Prayer

- Pray for Paul & Melissa E who serve in church planting and leadership training in Japan.
- Pray for our shut-ins: Edgar O and Egon U.
- Pray for those from our congregation who are dealing with serious illnesses, Brian M who is undergoing chemotherapy treatment.
- Praise God for the many blessings we enjoy as a result of the Reformation that began five hundred years ago this day, especially for the privilege of hearing and reading the Bible in our own language, and the freedom to worship according to our own conscience.
- Pray that we as a congregation would continue to be faithful in supporting the spread of the gospel around the world.



Today is our Fall Missions Sunday, and also Reformation Sunday, commemorating the 500th Anniversary of the beginning of the Protestant Reformation. On Oct 31st, 1517, Martin Luther's "Ninety-five Theses" were posted on the door of the All Saints' Church in Wittenberg, igniting a movement that recovered the gospel of Jesus Christ and restored Scripture to its rightful place of authority in the life of the church.

As we celebrate what God brought about through The Reformation, it's fitting that we focus on our missionary calling to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ far and wide. For this reason, we are delighted to have Rev. Zsolt Albert with us from Hungary. Rev. Albert pastors two large Baptist churches and three Roma congregations in Western Romania. We look forward to hearing from Rev. Albert, as he shares about his ministry and teaches us from the Scriptures.

Visitors

We are glad you are worshipping with us this morning. If you are a visitor, we encourage you to sign a Guest Card and drop it in the offering plate so we can acknowledge your visit. Feel free to stick around after the service and get to know some people. You are also welcome to join us for our weekly Coffee Fellowship on Sunday mornings at 10:30 in the Fellowship Hall (downstairs). Thanks for being with us this morning, and we look forward to meeting you.

[www.rowandale.ca]

Parents

A staffed nursery is provided at any time during the service for children from 6 months to age two. During the offering, children from age 3 through Kindergarten are dismissed for Junior Church in the Board Room.

Thank you for muting your cell phone during the service.

Today's Schedule

Sunday School	9:30 am
Coffee Fellowship	10:30 am
Worship Service	11:00 am
Bethsaida Fellowship	1:30 pm

Next Sunday

November 5

- Sunday School @ 9:30 am
- Coffee Fellowship @ 10:30 am
- Worship & Communion @ 11:00 am
- Bethsaida Fellowship @ 1:30 pm

Dates to remember

- Oct 31 – White Cross Day
- Nov 10 – Country Café Fundraiser
- Nov 21 & 22 – Christmas Ladies Event
- Nov 24 – Three Score Plus Christmas Banquet

Fall Missions Sunday

We are pleased to have Rev. Zsolt Albert with us for today's Missions Sunday. Rev. Albert pastors two large Hungarian Baptist churches and three Roma congregations near Oradea in Western Romania. We hope you will catch his passion for reaching people with the gospel as well as his vision for church growth and new opportunities to minister to people's physical and spiritual needs.

Rowandale Baptist Church

Stats for October 22, 2017

ATTENDANCE	246
GENERAL OFFERING	\$6,994
WEEKLY GOAL	\$10,300
GIVING TO DATE	\$382,148
BUDGET TO DATE	\$412,000

Rowandale Youth

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, November 3 [7-9:30 pm]

In-house Event

Friday, November 10 [6-10:00 pm]

Country Café

Friday, November 17 [6-9 pm]

Union Gospel Mission

drop off & pick up at church

RSVP to Pastor Ben

[Contact Pastor Ben for more info]

NEW for YOUTH

TOUGH TOPICS

Digging deep as we get to know God

7-8:30 @Rowandale

Thurs. Nov. 9 & 23

Wed. Dec. 6 & Thurs. Dec. 21

SCRIPTURE MEMORY CHALLENGE

7-8:30 @Rowandale

Sun. Nov. 12 & 26

Sun. Dec. 10

Please speak with Pastor Ben for more info about these events.

Young Adults

Sunday School for ages 18+ in Room 10.

Any questions, please see *Pastor Ben*.

Saturday, November 4 6:30

Games Night at Paschke's

469 Dunrobin Ave.

Saturday, November 18

Supper & Escape Room

Meet at church at 5:00 pm

Cost \$5.00 plus money for food

COUNTRY CAFÉ

FRIDAY, NOV. 10TH

Doors open at 6:30 pm • Come & Go

Come enjoy live music, delicious dainties & cozy ambience at Rowandale's Country Café. Tickets are \$3 and available from Meaghan H, Rachel P & Nancy P. This is a fundraising event to send Rowandale high school youth to Youth Quake at Briercrest Bible College in Saskatchewan. There is no cost for food or beverages but tips are welcome.

The King is Coming

Our Christmas Ladies Event is coming up on Tuesday, November 21 & Wednesday, November 22 at 7:00 pm. All ladies 16 years and older are welcome and are encouraged to bring a friend, neighbour, or co-worker.

Tickets are \$10 and are available from Rosie F, Helga N and Susan N.

THREE SCORE PLUS

Annual Christmas Banquet

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH • 12:00 noon

Tickets are **\$15.00** per person and are available from Erika U, Edith L & Ingrid E **until November 19.**

Rowandale Membership Class

Starting **Sunday, Nov. 12th**, We are running a three-week membership class taught by Pastor Jonathan on Sunday mornings at 9:30 in downstairs classroom 12. This is an opportunity for all new members and prospective members of Rowandale to attend and discover what our church believes and how it operates. There are only fifteen spots available for this class; please sign-up on the sheet on the table in the lobby.

CAMP NUTIMIK NEWS

We are undertaking a review and planning for the future of Camp Nutimik and desire your input and suggestions. We invite you to participate by having your voice heard in this process and giving your feedback through a questionnaire that is found at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/5FD5FDB>.

Your responses are confidential and anonymous. We would like this input by **October 31, 2017.**

Camp Nutimik Day of Prayer

Sunday, November 5

New Bible Translation for Sunday Services



As presented at the recent town hall meeting, we will be transitioning to the Christian Standard Bible as our translation of choice for use in Sunday morning services. To find out more about the CSB, and to read it online, go to www.csbbible.com.

White Cross Day

Tuesday, October 31

9 am - 1 pm at Rowandale

Come help us make bandages and other supplies for Cameroon mission hospitals and clinics. See Shauna I for more information.

Three Score Plus Bible Study

THURSDAY, NOV 2, 2:00 in the BOARD ROOM

We will continue our study of Ecclesiastes led by *Hans S*. All seniors are welcome.

Missionary of the Week



Geoff Hartt
Executive Director
Hispanics for Christ

Geoff Heart leads Hispanics for Christ, which exists to plant Spanish-speaking churches and to train leaders for those churches. They provide vision casting, strategic planning, and coaching for church planters in the Americas. They currently have church planters in the United States, Mexico, Paraguay, and Argentina and are currently initiating new works and partnerships. Pray for new partnerships with NAB churches and financial support to expand their work. Check out www.hispanicsforchrist.org and nabonmission.org/missionaries/geoff-hartt for more information.

Ministry of the Week

Whyte Ridge Baptist Church
Winnipeg, Manitoba

Terry (Pat) Janke
Senior Pastor

Doug Friesen
Discipleship

Kevin (Lynelle) Klassen
Worship

Kevin (Jill) Schular
Student Ministries

Grace (Willie) Elke
Children's Ministries