

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. There is NO Junior Church today so older children are asked to remain with their parents.

ORDER OF SERVICE

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

WORSHIP TEAM:

Lilly R
Bev S
Joel U
Monica U
Reno G

Senior Pastor: Rev. Mark Woods
Associate Pastor: Rev. Jonathan Kroeker
Youth Pastor: Ben Clouston
Office Administrator: Bev Sheridan

A THING CALLED LOVE (PART 1)

JOHN 3:1-16

Love is _____ by _____ – *John 3:16*

Love _____ to _____ – *John 3:16*

Love _____ to _____ – *John 3:16*

Love _____ to establish _____ – *John 3:16*

PRAISE & PRAYER

- **Pray for** our shut-ins: Selma S and Lise D
- **Pray for** Christoph & Andrea K who are members of our church, and work as Western Canada reps for Operation Mobilisation recruiting new candidates for OM mission work.
- **Pray for** our Children and Youth ministry here at Rowandale - for the leaders who plan the programs and the teachers who teach our children, that they will be able to build into the lives of our young ones the truths of the word of God.
- **Pray for** our Senior High students as they travel to Youth Quake in Saskatchewan next weekend, for safety and God's blessing on their lives.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH, 2016

THIS MORNING:

We humans are a bundle of different emotions, desires and attitudes. All of these together make us what we are as people and motivate us to act in certain ways. Think of a few examples: Fear will keep us from going to certain places. Selfishness will keep us from sharing with others. Curiosity will move us to go and see something we have never seen before. Anger will cause us to raise our voice and use words that are harsh. We could go on and on.

One of the most powerful motivators of all is love. Love will drive someone to ignore his fear and step into a dangerous situation to help another person. Love will overcome selfishness and move us to share with others in their need. Love will even cause us to sacrifice our own time and interests in order to help someone that we love. The Bible tells us that God is love. It tells us that he loves us and is moved by that love to reach out to us and provide for us in many different ways. He provides for our physical sustenance and well-being. He provides us with comfort and encouragement in times of need. But greatest of all, he provides us with salvation for our souls that we might experience eternal life and not perish. This is as a result of his great love for us, that caused him to give a great gift to us at a great cost to himself. This morning we will consider God's love and what it has done for us.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Worship & Communion - 11:00 am
Bethsaida French
Fellowship - 1:30 pm

COMING UP

Feb 9 - Church Prayer Day
Prayer meeting @ 7 pm
Feb 11- Three-Score Plus Bible Study
& Prayer meeting @ 2 pm
Feb 12 - SH leave for Youth Quake
- JH Youth @ 7:00 pm
Feb 14 - Sunday School @ 9:30 am
- Coffee Time @ 10:30 am
- Worship @ 11:00 am
- Bethsaida French Fellowship
@ 1:30 pm

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

Please note that due to the Winter Camp there is no Junior Church today. We ask that children stay with their parents.

BENEVOLENT OFFERING

Today a Benevolent Offering for retired ministers of our North American Baptist Conference will be received at the end of the Communion Service.

ROWANDALE BAPTIST CHURCH

STATS FOR JANUARY 31ST, 2016

ATTENDANCE	249
GENERAL OFFERING	\$13,905.00
WEEKLY GOAL	\$9,760
GIVING TO DATE	\$44,719
BUDGET TO DATE	\$48,800

YOUTH STUFF

BOOST

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH

Senior High students registered for YOUTHQUAKE are to meet at Rowandale at 7:00 am this Friday morning!

Junior High will meet at 7 pm for a scavenger hunt. Pick up at 9:30 pm. Please dress warm!

Young Adults

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST

AT 6:00 PM

The next evening for Young Adults will be Sunday, February 21st. Come on out for some fellowship and time together with God. Meeting here at Rowandale at 6 pm.



Over the past few months we have accumulated several items in our Lost and Found box (which is located at the back of the coat racks beside the elevator) to the point that it is now overflowing. Please take a moment to check through the items and box which are out on the table in the lobby to see if anything might be yours. Items will be on display for the month of February, but anything not claimed will either be donated or thrown out in March. Thank you!



CHURCH PRAYER DAY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH

Church Prayer Day will be on Tuesday, February 9th with the Prayer Meeting held at 7:00 pm. All are welcome!

MEADOWOOD MANOR BELLISSIMA SERA EVENING AT DE LUCA'S

FEBRUARY 13TH

Enjoy a five course gourmet dinner complete with an Italian cooking presentation and melodies of amour, all in support of the Meadowood Manor Foundation. Tickets are \$125 per person, which includes a \$50 tax receipt, and are available from Edith M. Appetizers start at 6 pm, dinner served at 7 pm.

CAMP NUTIMIK FAMILY FUN DAY

FEBRUARY 15TH

9 AM - 5 PM

Come out to Camp Nutimik on Louis Riel Day and enjoy all the winter activities of camp!

Cost: Adults \$12.00, Children (ages 3-12) \$6.00. Family of 4 - \$30.00 + \$5.00/additional person. Includes food and fun! Lunch, Tube Slide, Cross Country Skiing, Broomball, skating and more! Bring your own skates!
RSVP 1-866-688-4645 and leave a voice mail of how many will attend.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

2015 Income Tax Receipts have been placed in your mailboxes. Please pick yours up today!

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP

Rowandale Council is considering taking on a project of sponsoring a refugee family. If you would like to be involved in something like this, please contact Pastor Jonathan so we can compile a list of individuals that would be able to work together as a refugee settlement team.

COMMITTEE HELPERS NEEDED

If you are willing and able to serve on a committee which will be responsible for planning the Three-Score Plus bus trip to Camp Nutimik this May, please contact the office at 204-338-1174.

"Many hands make light work"

ADULT DISCUSSION CLASS

BIBLICAL APPLICATION TO DAILY LIVING

One of our Adult Elective Classes is held in the Prayer Room every Sunday. These are individual weekly topics so if you miss a week it is ok. Fellowship starts at 9:30 with the class starting at 9:45. All are welcome!

MISSIONS WEEKEND

MARCH 4TH - 6TH

Mark your calendars and come to hear Tony Dunaway, who serves with Every Orphan's Hope in Zambia (an NAB Partner Ministry) during our Missions Weekend:

FRIDAY, MARCH 4TH

Youth BOOST Event @ 7:00 pm

SATURDAY, MARCH 5TH

Dessert Buffet @ 6:30 pm

SUNDAY, MARCH 6TH

Sunday School @ 9:30 am
(combined youth & adult class)
Worship Service @ 11 am

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK



RON & JEANNIE SECK
MISSIONARIES
HUNGARY

Ron and Jeannie have been NAB missionaries since 2011. They work with Community Health Evangelism (CHE) to produce healthy Christians, churches, and communities among the Roma in Hungary, Serbia, Romania, Albania, and Croatia. God is working through them in the Gypsy "nation" of Central Europe to reach those who need Christ, teaching a discipleship that is wholistic—touching every area of their lives: spiritual, physical, emotional, economic, educational, social, and more. Please pray for the training they will be leading in both English and Hungarian at the end of February. Find more information at <http://nabonmission.org/missionaries/ron-jeannie-seck>.

MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

FORT RICHMOND BAPTIST CHURCH
WINNIPEG, MB

JIM (TARA) MATTHEWS, PASTOR
