

**FINDING LIGHT IN DARK PLACES**  
1 KINGS 18:1-21

God works according to His own time and place     – *1 Kings 18:1-2a*

God places His own people in strategic positions     – *1 Kings 18:3-4*

God's power is superior to earthly powers     – *1 Kings 18:16-18*

God demands that we decide who we will follow     – *1 Kings 18:20-21*

**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 do Sul, Brazil.
- **Pray** for Camp Nutimik as they close down their summer camping operations over the next couple of weeks that the word of God that was sown in the hearts of children will take root and grow in the coming months.

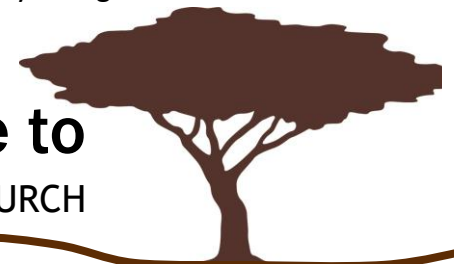
**SUNDAY, AUGUST 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2016**

**THIS MORNING:**

Some of the most amazing stories that come to light after a war or a major international conflict are the stories about men and women who infiltrated behind enemy lines to become double agents for one side or the other. Some of these individuals even found a place among the leadership of the opposing side. We call these people “moles”. They were able to work their way, undetected, into the inner chambers of the enemy side. From there, they were able to do things that helped the cause of the side which they represented.

In our world today, there are secular powers in place that seem to be the very embodiment of evil. They are the enemies of light. For example, there is the atheistic tyranny of North Korea, which will put people in prison camps for just reading a Bible. There is the dictatorship of Bashar al-Assad in Syria, who thinks nothing of wiping out whole neighbourhoods of civilians to further his cause against the rebel forces against him. Yet the Bible seems to indicate, and history has often shown, that even in these dark places there are people who belong to God and are serving him in whatever way they can. They are God's moles, as it were. We sometimes find light in surprisingly dark places. That's what we learn from the story of Elijah that we will look at today. No matter where you are, and no matter how dark things look, God still calls you to live out your life of faith and shine your light.

**welcome to**  
**ROWANDALE BAPTIST CHURCH**



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*Equipping and enabling disciples to make disciples*

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 10:30 am.

A **staffed Nursery/Jr. Church** is provided for children from 6 months to age four. Please drop your children off in the nursery **no later than 10:45 am.**

### ORDER OF SERVICE

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

### **WORSHIP TEAM:**

Lilly R  
Bev S  
Leona O  
Rick P  
Ana T

### **SAVE THE DATE!**

PLAN TO PROTECT Sessions will run Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> from 10:30-noon or Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> from 7-8:30 pm. Those working with children and youth are required to attend one of these sessions, so please mark your calendars now!

### **ROWANDALE BAPTIST CHURCH**

STATS FOR AUGUST 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2016

ATTENDANCE .....	156
GENERAL OFFERING.....	\$8,693.19
WEEKLY GOAL .....	\$9,760
GIVING TO DATE .....	\$298,995
BUDGET TO DATE .....	\$292,800

### SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Worship -	10:30 am
Bethsaida French Fellowship -	1:30 pm

### COMING UP

Aug 15-19 - Summer Kids Club 9:30 am - 12:30 pm  
Aug 21 - Worship @ 10:30 am  
- Bethsaida Fellowship @ 1:30 pm

### **BREAKFAST PROGRAM**

Can you join us this fall on Fridays from approx. 8:00 to 9:15 am every 3 to 4 weeks, to serve breakfast to children at Princess Margaret School? If so, please see ANDREA K.

### **PASTOR AWAY**

PASTOR BEN is on vacation from August 14<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **DIRECTORY UPDATE**

NOT SHOWN ON WEBSITE

### **NUTIMIK NEWS**

In the event of a postal strike - you can still forward your Share-A-Wage support to the Church office or Dave Robinson.

CAMP SCHOLARSHIP FORMS are available on the table in the lobby for those working at Camp this summer. Once completed please place in the Outreach mailbox.



### **BOOST**

Keep a look-out for fall events! If you want to hang out during the summer text Pastor Ben.

### **Young Adults**

### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 27<sup>TH</sup> GAMES & HANG-OUT NIGHT!**

Come out to the Ps' for some board games, food and to hang-out around the fire pit. Starts at 6 pm.

### **THANKSGIVING EVERY MONTH**

For the month of August, Rowandale Church is partnering again with Union Gospel Mission's "Thanksgiving Every Month" (THEM) program, by collecting non-perishable food or personal items to assist those in need. Items needed are: *canned soup, veggies, fruit, meat, macaroni & cheese, peanut butter, rice, pasta, pasta sauce, cooking oil, ketchup, mustard, ground coffee, band aids, soap, toothbrush/ toothpaste, shampoo, baby food, formula, diapers (size 5 & 6), laundry detergent, window cleaner, toilet paper, napkins, styrofoam plates & cups, clothing, etc. etc.*

Please place your contribution on the table marked "THANKSGIVING EVERY MONTH" in the church lobby sometime now until August 28<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your generosity. For more information, contact Sonja P.

### MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK



**ZACH SOMMERLOT**

### **CORNERSTONE COMM. CHURCH BRANDON, SOUTH DAKOTA**

Pastor Zach and his wife, Cara, have been at Cornerstone since August 2011, when they originally were meeting in a house. This past Easter, they began meeting at Brandon Valley Baptist Church on Sunday evenings. They have a growing heart for the poor in Brandon. They are also helping the locals be missional to immigrants in the area. Pray that God's Kingdom would further invade Brandon and that God would break down the walls of Christian nominalism, cliques, and the American Dream mindset so prevalent in the area. Pray that God would grow the church and give them a clear focus. Pray for Zach and Cara as they grow their family and this church, along with their two children. For more information, visit [www.brandonccc.org](http://www.brandonccc.org).

### MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

### **MEADOWOOD MANOR WINNIPEG, MB**

DAVID (DARLENE) HOLLAND  
CHAPLAIN

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