

NOVEMBER 17, 2019

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Worship Team

- Mic M
- Jon M
- Monica U
- Jason U
- Rick P

- Powerpoint: Nelson B
- Video: Riley F
- Sound: Leonard U

ROWANDALE OFFICE STAFF

PASTOR: Jonathan Kroeker
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OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR:
 Audrey Plew office@rowandale.ca
 Tuesday - Friday 9:30 am - 4:00 pm

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Returning Empty But Not Alone

Ruth 1:6-22 (p.229)

Sermon Notes:

Praise & Prayer

PRAISE GOD for the five young people who are declaring their faith through baptism this morning!

PRAY for those from our church who are physically unable to attend: Egon U, Shirley W. A list of Rowandale's care home residents and their addresses is posted on the bulletin board near the mailboxes.

PRAY that the Lord would give us wisdom and unity as we make important decisions at tonight's business meeting.

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Set against the dark period of the judges, the book of Ruth is a shining story of God's kindness and redemption. It touches our greatest hopes and deepest fears as it deals with such common human themes as emptiness and fullness, grief and joy, death and life, bitterness and hope – all the while whispering of our great Redeemer, Jesus Christ.

visitors

We are glad you're here with us this morning. If you are a visitor, we encourage you to fill out a guest card and drop it in the offering plate so we can acknowledge your visit and know how best to serve you. 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!

parents

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

welcome to

**ROWANDALE
 BAPTIST CHURCH**



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Today's Schedule
 Sunday School @ 9:30 am
 Coffee Fellowship @ 10:30 am
 Worship Service & Baptisms @ 11:00 am
 Bethsaida French Fellowship @ 1:30 pm
 Fellowship Supper @ 5:00 pm
 & Church Business Meeting @ 6:00 pm

Next Sunday - November 24

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

Dates to Remember

Tuesday, November 26 @ 7:00 pm &
 Wednesday, November 27 @ 7:00 pm
Christmas Ladies Events
 Friday, November 29 @ Noon
Three-Score Plus Christmas Banquet
 Sunday, December 1 @ 9:30 am
Sunday School Kids
Advent Pancake Breakfast
 Sunday, December 15 @ 6:00 pm
Sunday School Christmas Program
 Tuesday, December 24 @ 6:00 pm
Christmas Eve Service

Rowandale Baptist Church
 Stats for November 10, 2019

ATTENDANCE	247
GENERAL OFFERING	\$9,434
WEEKLY GOAL	\$10,817
GIVING TO DATE	\$445,873
BUDGET TO DATE	\$454,281

If you're interested in giving by automated direct debit, please email Aaron P

YOUTH grades 6 to 12

Friday, November 22

Grades 6 - 8: Survivor

Drop off & pick up at church 7:00 - 9:30 pm
 (Wear island-vibe clothing)

Grade 9 - 12: Sky Zone

Drop off & pick up at church 7:00 - 9:30 pm
 (Bring athletic clothing)

Contact rowandaleyouth204@gmail.com
 for more info.

HOSTS NEEDED: A Progressive Supper is being planned for Friday Dec 6 @ 5:00 pm. We need a few homes to host a few kids at a time for appetizers or main entree. If you are willing to open your home, contact Lilly and Gordon R

THIS EVENING:
FELLOWSHIP SUPPER

In the Fellowship Hall @ 5:00 pm
 followed by the

FALL BUSINESS MEETING @ 6:00 pm
 Members will set the 2020 budget, vote on Council nominees and vote on calling Dave Miller as our Associate Pastor of Youth & Families.

A copy of the proposed budget, minutes from the September 22 & October 6 business meetings, and a list of the Council nominees are in member mailboxes.

Council recommends the following individuals for membership, to be approved by the congregation at the Business Meeting:
 Reese, Lucas, Leona, Leah, Ryan, Tessa, Cory, James, Julie, Matthew, Esther, Maria, Rachel.

SENIORS
Christmas Banquet

Friday, November 29 • 12:00 noon

Tickets \$15 (non refundable) available this morning from Erika, Edith, Ingrid and Linda

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you are available to help prep & serve the meal, please contact Cynthia

Peace on Earth

a Rowandale Christmas Ladies Event for those 16+

Please join us on Tuesday, November 26 at 7:00 pm OR Wednesday, November 27 at 7:00 pm

Tickets \$10 • Available in the lobby from Rosie, Helga & Leona

Sunday School for all ages
Sundays @ 9:30 am

Kids aged 2 to Grade 5:
 FELLOWSHIP HALL
 (in the church basement)

Middle School (grades 6-8): ATTIC
 High School (grades 9-12): YOUTH ROOM

Adults (18+)
 Topics include: *Walking in God's Plan, The Battle for Self Control*
 in PRAYER ROOM

Book of Judges in BOARD ROOM

[If you have information to include in the SUNDAY BULLETIN, please contact the church office by noon on the preceding Thursday.
 All event POSTERS must be submitted to the church office to be approved and posted. Thank You. **204-338-1174 / office@rowandale.ca**]

Sunday School
Christmas Program

Sunday, December 15 @ 6:00pm

Refreshments & Christmas Cookies to follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Everyone is welcome! Invitations for friends and family are available in the lobby.

PARKING REMINDER 

If the church parking lot is full, you may park behind the strip mall south of the church. Please do not park on any part of the commercial lot bordered by Rowandale Ave and Henderson Hwy while you are attending church on Sunday. Please do not park along the south wall of the church (fire lane) or immediately behind Empress of China (owner/employee parking). Thank you for helping us be good neighbours.



We received \$1931 in the recent Tearfund offering. Thanks to all who gave generously to help those in poverty around the world!

Stamps for Bibles Help the Canadian Bible Society provide bibles by saving your used stamps. Leave ¼" border of paper around the entire stamp. Do not remove the paper from the stamp. Please place your stamps in Martin's mailbox: #55. One pound of stamps = 1 bible

MINISTRYFOCUS



Nancy Paschke
 PROGRAM DIRECTOR,
 CAMP NUTIMIK

Thank you, Rowandale Family, for your prayers, encouragement and financial support.

We were able to share the good news of Jesus with 387 campers this past summer! God is so good!

The Fall season has been a full and exciting one. God blessed us with a successful fall rental season. Abundant Life Baptist Church hosted our Fall Worship Night and were humbled to have 77 people worship with us. Our first Mother-Daughter Retreat was also a great success! We have been watching God move among us and bless us!

I welcome your prayers:

This is a very full and busy season with "behind the scenes" work in preparation for 2020.

That I would serve God well in all areas of my life - as Wife, Mother, Program Director and part of the larger Body of Christ.

That God would provide financially for the Camp.

MINISTRY of the WEEK
 CAMP NUTIMIK
 Wayne Eisbrenner - Executive Director
 Nancy Paschke - Program Director
 Angie Lott
 Food Services & Hospitality Manager
 Geoff Lott
 Operations/Facilities Manager