

Welcome to First Baptist Church



Sunday, May 21, 2023

11:00 am - Worship Service

Children's Programs (Infants to Gr. 8)

This Week at First Baptist: May 22 - 28, 2023

WEDNESDAY

7:00 pm - Prayer Meeting

THURSDAY

7:30 pm - Life Recovery Group



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Church Notes

New Church Office Email

We are switching to a new email address for the church office. There have been problems lately with the old one. **Please update to our new email address, office@fbcsm.org.**

Pregnancy Care Centre Baby Bottle Offering

Begins on Mothers Day (May 14) and runs until Father's Day (June 8). Fill a baby bottle with cash, coins or a cheque to support the ongoing efforts at the Sault Ste Marie pregnancy centre.

FEB Canada—Annual Friendship TOUR

Monday, May 22, 2023

Quattro Hotel

229 Great Northern Road

6:30 pm

MEAL RSVP with Ralph & Lila Shaule 705-759-9304

PRESENTATION by Joshua Chan on the Outreach to the KHMU People-group

VIDEO on the Radio Ministry in Malawi and Ukraine

OFFERING to support this effective mission

Offering

There are several options for your offerings:

- Deposit your offering in the plates or boxes on the tables at the back of the sanctuary
- Put your offering in the mail slot in the Albert St. door closest to the offices
- Mail your offering cheque to the church address
- e-transfer to info@fbc-ssm.org

More Church Notes

May 21st Deacon Vote

As announced last week, we will be having a short church meeting after the service on May 21st. We will be voting on Raymond Langley to become a deacon at First. The deacons and pastor James believe that Ray is a good fit for our team and we are looking forward to working with him. If you have any questions, please contact pastor James or Lawrence before May 21.

Church Building Roof Update

Our insurance company has informed us that we are required to replace the roof of the North side of our Church Building. The Board of Management has discussed and voted on pursuing the replacement. The approximate cost of this project is \$30,000. Please prayerfully consider giving to the building improvement fund so that we may fulfill this requirement.

May Business Meeting

Due to extraordinary circumstances, we will also be voting today on moving the May business meeting to September. The Pastor and the Deacons recommend that we move the May Meeting to September.

Verses of the Week

¹⁴ But even if you should suffer for righteousness' sake, you will be blessed. Have no fear of them, nor be troubled, ¹⁵ but in your hearts honour Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect, ¹⁶ having a good conscience, so that, when you are slandered, those who revile your good behavior in Christ may be put to shame.

1 Peter 3-14-16 ESV

Prayer and Praise

Sarah Taylor
Bonnie Mavretic

Ron Marks and Family
for the passing of his mom,
Judy.

Praise for Ron Johnston's
successful surgery.



Workers Today

Nursery (infants to age 4)

Alicia Stephney & Rhonda Smith

Sunday School (SK - Grade 8)

Jennifer Misener & Helen Zavitz

Teen Sunday School (Grade 9 - 12)

No Teen Sunday School

Church Closing - Doug Kraushaar

Security Usher - Lawrence Misener

Office Hours This Week

Office is currently closed.

Website Information

First Baptist Church: www.fbc-ssm.org

Rock Lake: www.rocklake.ca

Important Email addresses

NEW! Church Office: office@fbcssm.org

Pastor James: pastorjames@fbcssm.org

Facebook Page

First Baptist Church of Sault Ste. Marie

Sermon Notes

Col 3:12-17

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Our Pastor: James Thomas

Holding forth the Word of Life.... - Phil. 2:16