

Please pray for:

~ **Our Ministries:** Sunday School, Youth, Seniors, Families, College & Career, Worship Services, AWANA, Word of Life, Missionaries, Outreach Ministries, Central Baptist Academy & Staff, Pastors and Church Staff, Board of Deacons, Church Committees.

~ **Our Missionaries:** *as listed in our Church Directory & Calendar*

~ **The Ill / Infirm:** *(not hospitalized)* Please pray for the health & spiritual needs of the very ill & for our many "Shut-ins" who, due to poor health, are at home or in nursing home facilities. Also, pray for the continued strength and encouragement of their care givers / families.

Hospitalized: Brantford General Hospital ~ Cynthia Folk, Danielle Wells mother,

Bereaved: Pastor Alan, passing of his father, Mr. Rietberg Sr.

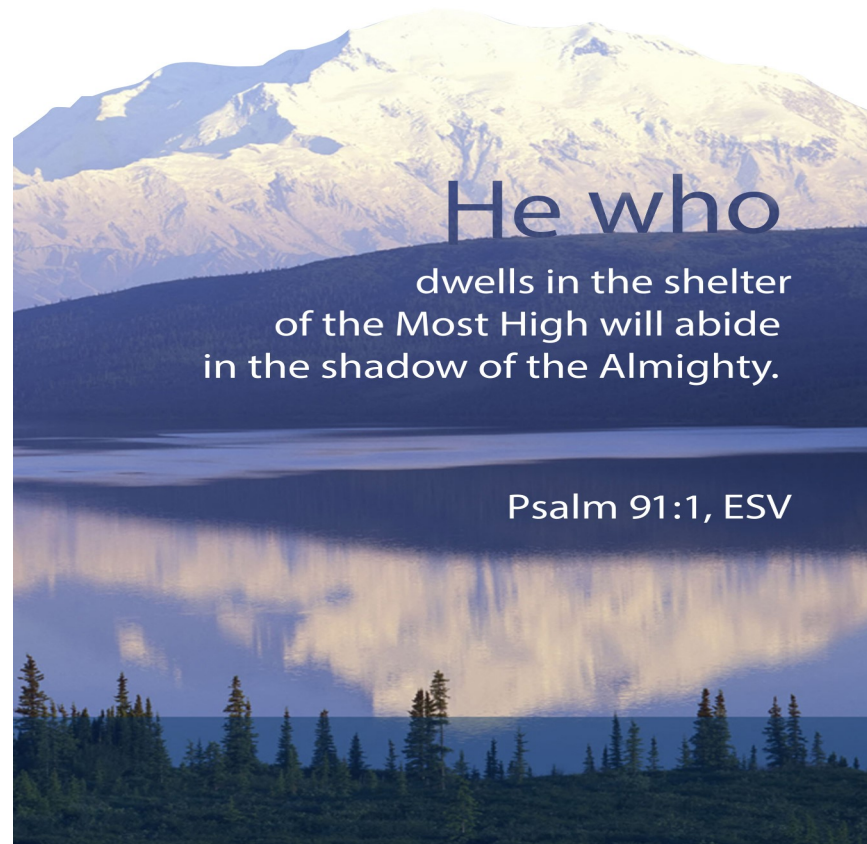
Upcoming at Central

Please pick up the January Church Calendar in the foyer.

- January 21** Sunday School 9:15 / Worship Service, 'Benevolent Offering' Sunday 10:30a / Pregnancy Centre "Change for Life" baby bottle collection starts today / Prayer Time in Chapel 5:30p / Evening Service 6:00p
- January 23** Afternoon Visitation 1:30p / Deacons Mtg. 6:30p
- January 24** Precept 9:15a / Prayer Meeting, Youth, Word of Life, AWANA, Adult Bible Studies 6:30p / Adult Volleyball 8:15p
- January 26** Youth 'Hang Time' 7:00-9:00p
- January 27** Women's Event 9:00a
- January 28** Sunday School 9:15a / Worship Service 10:30a / 'Missions Unrestricted Fund' donation Sunday / Prayer Time in Chapel 5:30p / Evening Service 6:00p
- January 31** Precept 9:15a / Prayer Meeting, Youth, Word of Life, AWANA, Adult Bible Studies 6:30p / Adult Volleyball 8:15p
- February 6** Afternoon Visitation 1:30p / Deacons Meeting 6:30p
- February 11** Special Membership Meeting after Service to recommend the Henderson family as our new supported missionaries.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH BRANTFORD

Sunday, January 21, 2018



He who

dwells in the shelter
of the Most High will abide
in the shadow of the Almighty.

Psalm 91:1, ESV

Rev. Stephen Todd, Senior Pastor
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WELCOME!

~ DEACON NOMINATIONS 2018

Attention Church Members ... Please pick up your 'Nomination of Deacons ~ 2018' package from your church mailbox today. You may complete the enclosed ballot(s) today. A ballot box is available in the main foyer during our regular worship services or in the Church Office during the week. Nominations cease the evening of January 28, 2018. **ALSO** - pick up your Agenda for the Feb. 11th Special Membership Mtg.

~ VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED:

1. **'Cubbies' helper** Wednesday evenings until mid May. Please contact Gary Cooper.
2. **To prepare coffee** Sunday morning in Café Central. Four week rotation. Please contact Dave Rogelstad.
3. **Sunday School Teacher's Assistant** for children ages 3 years. Please contact Gary Cooper.

~ **ANNUAL REPORT / 2017 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS / 2018 PROPOSED BUDGET** will be available for pickup by church members on Sunday, February 4, 2018 for consideration in regards to the Annual Membership Meeting and Deacons' Election to be held on Sunday, February 25, 2018 immediately following the Morning Worship Service.

~ **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY** There is presently an opening for a part-time custodian at the church. Anyone interested should submit a letter of interest, and a brief resume to the church office, *"To the Attention of the Building & Grounds Chairman."*

~ **CONTACT INFORMATION UPDATES**...Please submit additions, deletions, changes to your contact information for the Central Church Directory and the Church Office Computer Database. Complete a 'Welcome Card' found in the church pews and place it in the offering plate or E-mail your information to:
churchoffice@cbcbrantford.ca

~ **LADIES**...You are invited to a **BABY SHOWER** hosted by family for **REBECCA KUIKMAN** (Staats) who is expecting a baby girl! The shower is being held on February 3rd @ 11am in Par-lour 2. She is registered at Babies R US.

TODAY'S NURSERY WORKERS:

A.M.~ Nursery 1A: Danielle Wells, Karen Eason, Darlene Staats

Nursery 1B: Debbie Taylor, Sharon-Mae Taylor

Nursery 1C: Fatima Vance, Davinelle Wells, Dannah Wells

Nursery 2 & 3: Hildy Frick, Tyler Green

~ **Children's Church: (10:50a.m.)** Children ages 4 - 8 years who are with their parents in the morning service may leave for Children's Church immediately following 'Shoebox Time' with the Pastor.

P.M. ~ Nursery: Kim Greig, Amber Greig

Wednesday Evening: January 24: Darlene Staats, Kim Greig

~ LADIES' MORNING TEACHING SESSION

By **Jessie Heikkinen** . . . "DOING BATTLE WITH ANXIETY"

Saturday morning, January 27th, 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Coffee & Continental Breakfast to be provided

~ **Amateur Photographers at Central!** We invite you to submit 'scenic or floral' colour photographs only taken by yourself for possible use on the cover of the Sunday bulletin. Please do not send photos on behalf of someone else. Photos must be sent *'in "jpeg" format as an attachment to your E-mail'*: churchoffice@cbcbrantford.ca

- 1) **VISITORS / NEWCOMERS / GENERAL INQUIRIES**....Please complete both sides of a 'Welcome' card which is located in a holder on the back of the church pews, place it in offering plate or drop off at church office. We will be pleased to record your visit and/or reply to your requests.
- 2) **BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Request forms are available in the main hallway on the small information board. Please complete the form and drop it off at the church office or scan & E-mail to 'churchoffice@cbcbrantford.ca'. Weekly submission deadline is Wednesday 10:00 a.m.
- 3) **'POWER POINT' ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Requests are to be submitted directly to Pastor Rietberg at alan@cbcbrantford.ca or in writing.
- 4) **"WE SHARE THE AIR"** Everyone is asked to respect others by being 'scent free' in our facility for the health and comfort of all.
- 5) **EMERGENCIES / CONCERNS:** Please do not hesitate to ask one of our ushers to assist you with an emergency or concern during our services.

2017 Church Budget ~ \$701,900.00
Actual ~ \$745,444.88

Last Week's Attendance

<u>Last Week's Offering</u>		
	<u>Week 2</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Budget	\$0.00	\$0.00
Received	\$8,850.00	\$29,624.00
Total over (under)	\$8,850.00	\$29,624.00
Designations:	\$792.60	

Sunday Morning Worship	366
Sunday Evening Service	66
Sunday School	127
Wednesday Evening:	
Prayer Meeting	12
Children's Programs	136
Adult Studies	15