

This Week At Kentville Baptist

Today	10:00am	Pre-Service Prayer (Room 202)
	10:00am	Praise Team
	11:00am	Worship/ Sunday School
	7:00pm	Band2gether
	Monday 9:30am	Ladies Bus Trip
Tuesday	9:00am	Quilters
	1:30pm	Ethel Fenerty WMS
	6:00pm	Valley Voices
Wednesday	7:00pm	Board of Stewards
	1:30pm	Afternoon Bible Study
	7:00pm	Sanctuary Choir
Thursday	9:00am	Quilters
	9:30am	Men's Group
Friday	10:00am	Prayer Group
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Weekly sermons are available online at www.kentvillebaptist.org
and by phone at 1-888-813-3162.

Kentville Baptist is a Scent-Free Place of Worship

Please be scent-sensitive and refrain from wearing scented perfumes, colognes and products, as there are individuals in our church family who have allergies to these items.



Thank you for your cooperation and consideration of others by turning your phones off or setting them to silence during the morning worship service.

Thank You For Your Offerings – Stewardship and giving is an important element of our worship of God, who calls us to present unto Him “ourselves, our souls and our bodies” (Rom 12:1). If you are able to and wish to give, you may either place your offering in the collection plate, send an e-transfer to treasurer@kentvillebaptist.org or consider signing up for pre-authorized giving (form in the foyer or contact the church office). We give thanks to God for His goodness and blessing, which enable us to give generously toward our work together.

Ministry Team and Contact Information

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Welcome to Kentville Baptist Church

Grow Up as Christ's Disciples - Team Up for a Healthy Church –
Reach Out to a Hurting World

May 11th, 2025

*Indicates when to stand (anyone experiencing difficulty in standing may remain seated)

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude
Welcome John Campbell
Call to Worship Earle Illsley
Prayer

*Hymns of Praise: (please see insert, hymnal or ppt screen for lyrics)

What a Beautiful Name

Time With The Children John Campbell
(Children may come forward during the last song of praise. After the children's time teachers and children may leave for Sunday School. Parents, please pick up your children after the service from the classrooms located at the end of the hall past the washrooms and nursery area).

SHARING AS A COMMUNITY

Stewardship: Investing in God's Kingdom
Offertory: "You Are My All in All" (arr. Stan Pethel) Karen McNutt, clarinet
*Stewardship Song: **Alleluia, Alleluia** 365 v.1
Prayers of the People: Giving Thanks and Sharing Concerns Earle Illsley

LISTENING AND RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Scripture: Ephesians 2:11-22 Betty Keddy
Introduction of Speaker John Campbell
Message: "Imagining the Kingdom Together: Engaging God's Mission in a New Missionary Situation" Rev. Dr. Steven Porter, Assistant Professor of Church Innovation and Evangelism, Acadia Divinity College

GOING OUT TO LOVE AND SERVE GOD

*Commissioning Hymn: **We All Are One in Mission**
*Blessing John Campbell
Postlude

Bulletins this morning have been donated in loving memory of Rena Pearl and Frances Kyte by Ellen and Charlie Kyte.

Thank you for joining us in worship.

We invite you to fill in the welcome card in the pew rack or our guest book.

Anyone may use the reverse side of the card for prayer items or questions.

Completed cards may be placed on the offering plate.

We hope you feel welcome here and that you will worship with us again.

Please join us after the service in the Parlour for a time of refreshments and fellowship! Please note that there is an elevator lift available for those who require assistance



We would like to welcome and thank Rev. Dr. Steven Porter for being with us today as our guest speaker. Dr. Porter is Assistant Professor of Church Innovation and Evangelism and Director of Doctoral Studies at Acadia Divinity College. Following thirty years of service as a missionary, educator, and denominational leader, he now resides with his wife and two children in Wolfville, Nova Scotia. www.acadiadiv.ca/faculty/steven-porter
We also thank the members of the Board of Missions for their organization of and participation in today's service.

PRE-SERVICE PRAYER TIME in Room 202 from 10 - 10:45. Please enter and leave quietly. Should you have a private prayer concern please come toward the last half of our time, then we can talk quietly and pray together. Private prayer concerns will be kept private. More details? Contact Quincy and Bonnie Collins at quincycollins2011@gmail.com

Please Note: Pastor Dave is on vacation until May 12. If you require emergency pastoral assistance, please contact Pastor Devin, one of our Deacons or leave a message with the Church Office.

Others in Ministry

Today

Greeters: Eileen Cochrane, Helen Davies
Ushers: Kim Dobson, Karen Wilder
Tellers: Murray Lawson (Head), Betty Corkum, Ann MacDougall
PowerPoint: Creator – Alison Brathwaite Presenter- Alison Brathwaite
Sound Technician: John & Micah Campbell

Next Week

Greeters: Pat & Garry Condon
Ushers: Dave Andrew, Vicki Steadman
Tellers: Arnold Lemmon (Head), David & Nancie Armstrong
PowerPoint: Creator – Al Kingsbury Presenter- Al Kingsbury
Sound Technician: Chad West

JUST A THOUGHT . . . (a slow meander through Mark)
Read Mark 9:2

Mark includes a curious note about the timing of this event: "after six days." This isn't Mark keeping a timeline of Jesus' movements, but possibly an echo of Moses' time on Mt. Sinai in Exodus 24:15-16. Mark also adds that Jesus' appearance was transfigured, as was Moses' in Exodus 34:29-31. Mark presents Jesus as a new and better Moses who will lead God's people.

How would I explain to someone how I follow Jesus?



At Kentville Baptist one of the ways we support each other is through a **Prayer Line**. People in the church have committed themselves to pray privately for people and situations about which they are notified. Prayer concerns are shared only with the knowledge and permission of those for whom prayer is being sought. If you have a prayer request please contact Pastor Dave by phone at: 902-678-3162 (church) or 902-681-2264 (home) or Karen Wilder at (902) 681-0116 to get the Prayer Line in motion.

Deacons' Prayer List: In the bulletin each week, we include the names of people in our church family who are unable to worship with us on a regular basis. We invite you to remember these people in prayer, phone calls or visits. **Please keep** Dorothy Beach, Mary Jean Brown, Peggy DesBarres, Hazel Greene, Bertha Reid and Myrna Wilson in prayer this week.

Canadian Baptists of Atlantic Canada (CBAC) Prayer Link:

May 11th - Give thanks to God for mothers and maternal figures who nurture, love, and inspire. Pray for joy, patience, and strength for mothers as they navigate the challenges of parenthood. Remember those who may grieve the loss of a mother, long to be a mother, or feel strained in their relationship, asking for God's comfort, grace, and peace in their hearts.

Please go to <https://atlanticbaptist.ca/> for more prayer requests, news, videos and happenings with the CBAC!

ACTIVE IN 20 MISSION 25

Feeding Hope
Locally & Globally

Active in Mission is your opportunity to step up in support of food security, and registration is now open!

This June through August, our family of churches – Canadian Baptists of Atlantic Canada, l'Union des Églises Baptistes Francophone du Canada, Canadian Baptists of Ontario and Quebec, Canadian Baptists of Western Canada, and CBM – are working together again to help provide food to people who need it. With over 900 churches and 72,000 members, imagine the impact we can make collectively by taking steps in really practical ways to bring hope to those who need it most! For more information, resources, or to register, visit activeinmission.ca



Happy Mother's Day!
We honour all women today!

SONGS OF PRAISE

What A Beautiful Name

1. You were the Word at the beginning
One with God the Lord Most High
Your hidden glory in creation
Now revealed in You our Christ

Chorus 1: What a ***beautiful* Name it is
What a ***beautiful* Name it is
The Name of Jesus Christ my King
What a ***beautiful* Name it is
Nothing compares to this
What a ***beautiful* Name it is
The Name of Jesus

**** (chorus 1 – “beautiful”, chorus 2 – “wonderful”, chorus 3 – “powerful”)**

2. You didn't want heaven without us
So, Jesus, You brought heaven down
My sin was great Your love was greater
What could separate us now?

Chorus 2

Tag: What a wonderful Name it is The name of Jesus

Bridge A: Death could not hold You
The veil tore before You

You silence the boast of sin and grave
The heavens are roaring the praise of Your glory
For You are raised to life again

Bridge B: You have no rival, You have no equal
Now and forever God You reign
Yours is the kingdom, Yours is the glory
Yours is the Name above all names

Chorus 3 Bridge B Chorus 3

Tag: What a powerful Name it is The Name of Jesus

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We All Are One in Mission

We all are one in mission; We all are one in call,
Our varied gifts united by Christ the Lord of all.
A single great commission compels us from above
To plan and work together that all may know Christ's love.

We all are called to service, to witness in God's name.
Our ministries are different; our purpose is the same:
To touch the lives of others by God's surprising grace,
So ev'ry folk and nation may feel God's warm embrace.

We all behold one vision, a stark reality:
The author of salvation was nailed upon a tree.
Yet resurrected Justice gives rise that we may share
Free reconciliation and hope amid despair.

Now let us be united, and let our song be heard;
Now let us be a vessel for God's redeeming Word.
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CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

Choir Members Please note! Wednesday Night practices will now begin at 7:00 pm.

The Ethel Fenerty WMS would like to thank you, Church family, for your donations to the Valley Care Pregnancy Centre. We will present this donation to their representative and our guest speaker Debbie MacLean at our meeting in the ladies parlour at 1:30 pm on May 13 2025. If you have not been to a meeting of our Ethel Fenerty Women's Missionary Society we would love to have you come as a guest and enjoy this informative afternoon, hearing more of the important work this outreach does in our community.

The Board of Community Ministries would like our church family to prayerfully consider making a donation to the Kentville Baptist Bursary Fund. Donations can be made at the Church Office or placed in an envelope marked "Leah Lemmon Memorial Bursary" in the offering plate.

Please note: The Board is presently accepting applications for Leah Lemmon Memorial Bursary consideration (depending on the availability of funds). Applications by students related to our church family for a bursary will be accepted until Friday, May 30th. Application forms for the bursary are available from the Church Office.



Graduate List - Are you or is someone you know in our church family graduating from high school or post-secondary education this year? Please contact the Church Office and let us know as we are compiling a list to recognize these students.

Craft Supplies Needed For Vacation Bible School

Alot of people ask how can they help support the students at Vacation Bible School --- here is a list of things we need collected

empty paper towel rolls
aluminum foil (3 -4rolls)
rice or lentils (3-4 bags)
stickers all kinds
pine cones (100)

More things may be added to the list as time goes by - check the sheet in foyer.
Items can be put in the bin in the church foyer.

For more information please contact Myrna Blenkhorn.

The Deacons are organizing an updated printed church family directory to be available this fall. This will contain names and addresses, emails and telephone numbers. Our desire is to give our church family more ways to reach out to each other, while being careful to respect the need for personal privacy. There will be several steps over the next few months:



1. Request to opt out by May 25 - Before the print directory is available for confirmation of personal information, if you do not want your full information in the directory, please call or email the church office.

2. Confirm details - one print copy of the directory will be available in the foyer June 1 through July 27. Please check that your name, address, email and telephone number are correct. If correct, please put a check mark by your name. If incorrect, please put an X by your name and the correct details on the page opposite in the binder provided. If you are unable to check the details in person, please call the church office. If your name is not in the directory and it should be, please put your information on the correction page provided.

3. Updates made in August - the church database will be updated, and some print copies available in September. If you would prefer to have an e-copy of the directory, please sign the e-copy request log or contact the church office.