

**This Week at Kentville Baptist**

Today	10:00am	Praise Team
	10:00am	Pre-Service Prayer (Room 202)
	11:00am	Worship/ Communion/ Sunday School
Tuesday	12:15pm	Board of Community Ministries
	9:00am	Quilters
	2:00pm	Friends In Bereavement
Wednesday	6:00pm	Valley Voices
	1:30pm	Bible Study
	6:15pm	Adventure Club
Thursday	7:30pm	Choir Practice
	9:00am	Quilters
	9:30am	Men's Group (Parlour)
	7:00pm	Board of Missions
Friday	7:00pm	Bible Study @ Bielbys'
	10:00am	Prayer Group
	1:30pm	Hand In Hand Mtg.
	7:00pm	Youth Group
Saturday	9:00am	EVBA Council Meeting (Lockhart Rm)
Sunday	10:00am	Praise Team
	10:00am	Pre-Service Prayer (Room 202)
	11:00am	Worship/ Sunday School

Weekly sermons are available online at [www.kentvillebaptist.org](http://www.kentvillebaptist.org)  
and by phone at 1-888-813-3162.

**PLEASE NOTE** copies of the November 2024 church calendar are available in the foyer and Chapel this morning.

**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](mailto: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.

**Kentville Baptist is a Scent-Free Place of Worship**

Please be scent-sitive 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.

**Ministry Team and Contact Information**

Ministers: All believers

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# Welcome to Worship at Kentville United Baptist Church

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



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

### GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship & Prayer

Quincy Collins

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

***What a Beautiful Name***

***You are My All in All***

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Time With The Children

(Children may come forward during the last song of praise. After the children's time, Children grades P-6+ 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: "Faith" (arr. Stewart Landon)

\*Stewardship Response: ***Lord, You Love the Cheerful Giver***

### LISTENING AND RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Prayers of the People: Giving Thanks and Sharing Concerns

Karen Wilder

Scripture: Acts 21:17-26

Jani Dufton

Message: "Unite and Conquer"

\*Hymn of Response: ***I Am Thine O Lord***

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### COMMUNION: SHARING THE LORD'S SUPPER

Ministry of Music: "Feed Me Lord" (arr. Liebergen)

Sanctuary Choir

The Lord's Supper

### GOING OUT TO LOVE AND SERVE GOD

\*Commissioning Hymn: ***Sent Forth by God's Blessing***

*(Please remain seated while the Benevolent Offering is being received, please stand as the Deacons come forward)*

\*Blessing

Postlude

*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 in the Parlour after church for a time of refreshments and fellowship following the service.** Please note that there is an elevator lift available for those who require assistance.



*We welcome all to the Lord's Supper who know Jesus as their Saviour and Lord, the One who has reconciled us to God and who has laid claim to our lives. If this is not yet your faith, please feel free to pass the bread and cup by without embarrassment, letting them speak of God's love to you. (Please note: For those who have gluten sensitivities and allergies, we offer a gluten free wafer option on the trays of communion bread.) If you would like to explore what it means to know Jesus, please talk with one of our pastors.*

*On Communion Sunday, we also give people the opportunity to contribute toward compassionate ministries for helping with specific needs. This benevolent offering is a generous gift or a compassionate act of kindness. For example, through this offering we aid in food assistance, we participate in the Christmas hamper program, we respond to emergency needs in crisis, etc.*

***You might be asking: How do I open my life to God?***

*If you want to respond to God's love and his desire to cleanse and renew your life, be sure of this: Jesus has found you. God calls you to openly declare that Jesus is Lord and believe that God has raised him from the dead. God will give you new life (which the Bible calls salvation) and the gift of his Holy Spirit. This turning away from your old life involves being baptized as a sign of your turning in faith to Jesus. If this is your desire, please speak to Pastor Dave, Pastor Devin, or one of our deacons. And yes, we will walk with you in your new life as we follow our Lord in obedience together.*

### Others in Ministry

#### **This Week**

Greeters: Eileen Cochrane, Irene Stoddard

Ushers: Debbie & Lynn Joseph, Tim & Debbie Brothers

Tellers: Jani Dufton (Head), Bob & Myrna Blenkhorn

PowerPoint: Creator – Jani Dufton Presenter- Jim Peerless

Sound Technician: Chad West

#### **Next Week**

Greeters: Myrna Blenkhorn, Jeanette Stapleton

Ushers: David Armstrong, Lilly Campbell

Tellers: Jani Dufton (Head), Karen & Andrew McNutt

PowerPoint: Creator – Jani Dufton Presenter- Jim Peerless

Sound Technician: Kevin Higgins

*JUST A THOUGHT . . . (a slow meander through Mark)*

*Read Mark 6:21-29*

The drama that played itself out in the halls of power is disheartening. It is a stark reminder that the people in charge are not always there because of superior wisdom or character. But the more tragic story is that John the Baptizer, the herald for King Jesus, paid for such foolishness. "They took his body and laid it in a tomb" prepares us for when the state will take the life of Jesus too.

How do I respond when Jesus and the "powers that be" *both* call for my loyalty?

## SONG 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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### Lord, You Love the Cheerful Giver

Lord, You love the cheerful giver, who with open heart and hand  
Blesses freely, as a river that refreshes all the land.  
Grant us then the grace of giving with a spirit large and free,  
That our life and all our living we may consecrate to Thee.

**PRE-SERVICE PRAYER TIME** in Room 202 – 10:00 – 10:45 am. 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](mailto:quincycollins2011@gmail.com)



**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. ***This week please keep Mary Jean Brown, Peggy DesBarres, Marcia Higgins and Hazel Greene in prayer.***

**Supper Prayers** - You are invited to set aside some time at your supper table to pray for the situation in the Ukraine.  
Let's remember the conflict in the Middle East and pray for peace.

### **Canadian Baptists of Atlantic Canada (CBAC) Prayer Link:**

November 3 - This week, pray for Debbie Barriault, CBAC's Director of Finance, as well as the treasurers in our churches. Thank God for their wisdom and expertise that allows us to manage the resources we have been given. Pray that God continues to lead and guide them in their roles. The work they do is so important and often behind the scenes - reach out to Debbie and your church treasurer to thank them for how they serve!

**South Alton Baptist Church Decommissioned** - Last Sunday afternoon, Pastor Dave and Margie attended the decommissioning service of South Alton Baptist Church. Decommissioning a church building involves releasing it from its use as a place for worship. It is then free to be sold for some other purpose. South Alton Baptist Church was founded in the late 1940s and was one of several churches planted by Kentville Baptist. The people of South Alton have begun to worship with the congregation of North Alton Baptist Church, now known simply as Alton Baptist Church.

### Sent Forth By God's Blessing

Sent forth by God's blessing, our true faith confessing,  
the people of God from this dwelling take leave.

The supper is ended, O now be extended  
the fruits of this service in all who believe.

The seed of Christ's teaching, receptive souls reaching,  
shall blossom in action for God and for all.

God's grace did invite us, God's love shall unite us  
to work for the kingdom and answer its call.

With praise and thanks-giving to God ever living,  
the tasks of our every-day life we will face.

Our faith ever sharing, in love ever caring,  
embracing God's children of each tribe and race.

With Your feast You feed us, with Your light now lead us,  
unite us as one in this life that we share.

Then may all the living with praise and thanks-giving  
give honour to Christ and the Name that we bear.

### CHURCH FAMILY NEWS



Congratulations! We celebrate with Arun and Sunanda Sharma who welcomed their baby boy this past week on Wednesday, October 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Youth Group** – All Youth are invited to join us this coming Friday evening, November 8<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00pm! For further information contact Pastor Devin.

### Community Ministries Update

A donation of \$300 each was made from the benevolent fund to KCA, NKEC and Aldershot school breakfast programs, Concillio Prison Ministries and Valley Connect Outreach. The following Thank You message was received.

*I want to once again thank you for your generous donation to our breakfast program. This year, more than ever, we are feeding such a large number of our students. Your support ensures that our students start the day with the nutrition they need. Thank You, Victoria Laurence, Principal, KCA*

**Please Note:** There are a few copies of the Eastern Valley Baptist Association 2024 Fall Report Booklet in the church foyer. If you wish to review one please feel free to pick one up and return to the foyer when you are finished so others can also catch up on what is happening in the EVBA. If you wish a copy of your own, please check with Alison in the church office and she might be able to get a copy for you.



2024 BAPTIST WOMEN'S WORLD  
**DAY OF PRAYER**  
*Purposeful Life*

**Baptist Women's Day of Prayer Service 2024**, Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm, at Billtown Baptist Church.

On the first Monday of every November, Baptist women from around the world gather in towns, villages, cities to pray for each other and issues facing women internationally. On

this day, women who gather to pray also donate funds to support global projects that benefit vulnerable women, youth and children. This year's theme:

**Purposeful Life.** ALL (not just women!) are invited to attend. Light refreshments to follow. Free will offering. Can't make it in person?

The service of prayer will be live streamed. Hosted by Billtown and Woodville Baptist Church.

**Gospel Music & Hymn Sing**, TONIGHT, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 7 pm at Coldbrook Baptist Church featuring Brent Smith, Larry Knowles Jack Neily and the New Minas Youth Worship Band. Fellowship Time to follow. Freewill Offering for EVBA Chaplaincy.

### Induction Services

You are invited to join the congregation of Billtown Baptist Church on November 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm for the Induction Service of Lic. Angela Pound as their Lead Pastor.

You are invited to join the congregation of Coldbrook Baptist Church on November 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm for the Induction of Lic. Eric Poll as their Associate Pastor.

**SoupFest Showdown 2024**, Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, Kentville Volunteer Fire Department. A fun and delicious evening **event in support of the Community Soup Kitchen**. The annual event features local restaurants and cafes who are invited to support a great cause while competing for Best Soup, Most Creative Soup and Best Display as voted on by the public. For only \$12, you will get to taste and vote on soups made by local restaurants and cafes. (Seniors \$10/ Under 12yrs \$5) **\*\*\*All money raised goes directly to this great volunteer operated project\*\*\*** 4:30 p.m. - Doors Open; 6:45 p.m. Closing & Awards

**Christmas Tea**, Avonport Baptist Church, November 30, 2024, 2-4 pm. Adults - \$10; Ages 6-12 - \$5; Ages 5 and younger – FREE (Sale tables, Bring your own bags please; elevator available). 508 Oak Island Rd., Avonport.

