

This Week at Kentville Baptist

Today	10:00am	Praise Team
	10:00am	Pre-Service Prayer (Room 202)
	11:00am	Worship/ Sunday School
	12:15pm	SSA Ensemble rehearsal (chapel)
Monday	5:00pm	Private Function (Hall)
Tuesday	6:00pm	Valley Voices
	7:00pm	Board of Deacons
Wednesday	6:15pm	Adventure Club
	7:30pm	Choir Practice
	9:10pm	Tone Chime rehearsal
Thursday	9:30am	Men's Group (Chapel)
	10:00am	Ret'd RCMP (Parlour)
Friday	10:00am	Prayer Group
Sunday	10:00am	Praise Team
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**Weekly sermons are available online at www.kentvillebaptist.org
and by phone at 1-888-813-3162.**

Upcoming At Kentville Baptist:

December 7 & 8 – Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Sweets Fundraiser
December 14 – Board of Community Ministries Christmas Deliveries
December 15 – Sanctuary Choir & Friends Musical Presentation, 11:00am
December 24 – Christmas Eve Family Service – 6:30pm
January 1st, 2025 – New Year's Day Church Family Skate – Kentville Arena, 4:00 pm

PLEASE NOTE: I will be taking some vacation time from November 25th to November 29th. I would like to thank Jani Dufton and Karen Wilder for covering the Church Office during the time I am away. I deeply appreciate your willingness to help out while I take a much-needed break. ~ Alison



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

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Welcome to Kentville United Baptist Church

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

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

November 24th, 2024

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

Prelude Glenna Prime, violin

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship & Prayer Mary Bent

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

King of Heaven Come Down

Majesty 10

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

Our White Gifts will also be collected at this time.

Offertory: "All Hail the Power" (arr. Bober)

*Stewardship Response: **We Will Glorify 105 vs. 1 & 4**

LISTENING AND RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Ministry of Music: "All Praise to the King" (arr. Williams/Martin) Sanctuary Choir

Prayers of the People: Giving Thanks & Sharing Concerns Deacon Chad West

*Hymn of Preparation: **O Worship the King 104**

Scripture: Acts 28:16-31 Greg Bent

Message: "The Last Word on Politics"

GOING OUT TO LOVE AND SERVE GOD

*Commissioning Hymn: **Crown Him With Many Crowns 45**

*Blessing

Postlude: "Praise My Soul The King of Heaven" (arr. Paxton)

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.



COMMUNION NEXT WEEK: Next week we will be celebrating the Lord's Supper together. Our apostle Paul urges us to recognize the body of Christ (meaning our brothers and sisters in Jesus) whenever we gather for communion. So let's do something else Paul mentions: examine our hearts during this week for any lack of respect or love toward any whom Christ has redeemed and to whom he has joined us in one body, so we can join together next Sunday with joy and in true unity.

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

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.

Others in Ministry

This Week – WHITE GIFT SUNDAY

Greeters: Earle & Karen Illsley

Ushers: Johnathan McCready, Earle Illsley

Tellers: Sandra Weir (Head), Ted & Sandi King

PowerPoint: Creator – Alison Brathwaite Presenter- Alison Brathwaite

Sound Technician: Braedon MacDonald

Next Week

Greeters: Art & Sylvia Hamilton

Ushers: Craig Keddy, Linda Brehaut

Tellers: Arnold Lemmon (Head), Jim & Glenna Prime

PowerPoint: Creator – Alison Brathwaite Presenter- Alison Brathwaite

Sound Technician: Kevin Higgins

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

Read Mark 6:38-44

Jesus will not let his disciples off easily. They *will* provide for the crowds! "How many loaves do you have?" "Five and two fish." Jesus involves them in getting the people in groups. After giving thanks for the food, he gets them to hand it out and finally pick up twelve (!) baskets of leftovers. If they had no faith to miraculously provide food, at least Jesus involved them in everything else!

In what ways has Jesus involved me in his work in the world?



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 Bertha Reid, Barb Smith, Myrna Wilson and Dorothy Beach in prayer.***

Canadian Baptists of Atlantic Canada (CBAC) Prayer Link:

November 24 - This week we pray for the York Association of churches. We thank God for all of the ministries that are part of this Association and the vital work that they do. Pray for the pastors and ministry leaders, that God would continue to provide the direction and wisdom needed to lead. Pray that they would have a profound impact on their neighbourhoods as they faithfully serve God's Kingdom.

THANK YOU!

The Board of Missions would like to thank everyone who supported our recent bottle drive and who have donated the funds of their bottles returned to the Kentville Baptist Church account at the recycling depot. To date we received about \$954.95 to go to Refugee Sponsorship. A special thanks is extended to Lilly and Micah Campbell for their help on the day of the bottle drive.

Refugee Team Update - Many thanks to all who supported the Syrian Supper refugee fundraiser. We are delighted to report that a total of \$3054 was raised and a delicious meal was enjoyed by all! A big thank you to the Ladies Auxiliary whose generous donation covered the cost of the food.

A Night in Bethlehem | Live Nativity | November 29th & 30th - New Minas Baptist Church featuring live animals, authentic market stalls, a tax collector booth as well as Roman Soldiers at the entrance gates of the village. Village opens at 6:00pm each evening. Indoor presentations: There will be 2 presentations each evening at 6:30pm & 7:30pm. Space is limited for each showing. Pricing - Non-perishable food donations(or cash) for the outdoor Live Nativity.

TICKETS are available for the indoor presentation with a suggested donation of \$10 per person or \$25 for a family (all donations will be directed in support of the Fundy Food Bank).

Where to buy Tickets: nativity@nmbc.ca or 902-681-7683

SONG OF PRAISE

King of Heaven Come Down

1. Jesus, Let Your kingdom come here,
Let Your will be done here, in us
Jesus, There is no one greater
You alone are Saviour,
show the world Your love

CHORUS

King of Heaven come down,
King of Heaven, come now
Let Your glory reign,
Shining like the day
King of Heaven, come.
King of Heaven, rise up
Who can stand against us?
You are strong to save,
in Your mighty name,
King of Heaven, come.

2. We are, Children of Your mercy
Rescued for Your glory
We cry Jesus, set our hearts towards You,
That every eye would see You
lifted high.

(to chorus)

BRIDGE:

King of Heaven, come
King of Heaven, come
King of Heaven, come
King of Heaven, come
(to chorus)

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CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

TODAY is WHITE GIFT SUNDAY

At Kentville Baptist, the White Gift has traditionally been a monetary donation where the funds donated are used to purchase the Christmas Hampers our church provides to those in need. Each year, our church provides help to approximately 50 families. **The Board of Community Ministries has provided special envelopes for our gifts which will be received this morning during the Benevolent Offering. Gifts may also be dropped off at the Church Office anytime. If you would like a tax receipt please add your church envelope number or a name and address to your envelope.**

Our gift will be delivered to those in need in our community on the morning of Saturday, December 14. To sign up as delivery volunteers please contact Gretchen Lyons at 902 679 6540 . Recipients will be told that delivery to them will be between 9:30 and 10:30. We are suggesting that volunteers also go in pairs.

The Board of Community Ministries would like to thank you for prayerfully considering supporting this ministry.



Your Christmas letters are in your mailboxes in the CE hallway across from the Church Office! Your mail slot is found UNDER your name. Please help us deliver ones that can not be mailed out due to the Canada Post employees on strike! If you see one for a neighbour or friend who has not been able to come to church, why not pick it up and deliver it?

Extra letters for those who do not have a mail slot are available in a bottom slot on the right hand corner. If you do not have a mail slot and would like one please contact the Office.

IMPORTANT Reminder: To avoid conflicts of room usage and for safety and security reasons anyone who wishes to have a meeting or facility use in the church MUST check on dates and room availability with the church office. **FOR THOSE USING ROOMS PLEASE REMEMBER TO TURN DOWN HEAT AND TURN OFF LIGHTS WHEN YOU LEAVE.**



Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Bake Sale! – the Ladies Auxiliary is taking orders for trays of assorted squares (one dozen). Make sure you get your order in as soon as possible as this year ONLY 50 trays are being made.

Order forms are in your bulletins and in the church foyer and the deadline to order is NEXT, Sunday, December 1st. Pickup on Saturday morning, December 7th or after church on December 8th. Place order form in basket in the foyer. If you have any

questions or are unable to attend church on Dec. 8th, call 902-678-0258 and we will make sure you get your order.



Can You Help? We will be decorating the church for the Advent and Christmas season this week and are in need of volunteers to give us a hand! If you have a bit of time between 10:00am and 1:00pm on Thursday, November 28th and can give us a hand please contact Nancie Armstrong at 902-670-8022 or by email at applehill96@gmail.com for more information.

Induction Service You are invited to join the congregation of Coldbrook Baptist Church TONIGHT at 6:00 pm for the Induction of Lic. Eric Poll as their Associate Pastor.

Please Note: Just an advance and friendly notice that Annual Reports will be due Friday, January 10th, 2025. All groups and committees are responsible for handing in a report. They can be emailed, on cd/ memory stick or hand written and dropped off at the Church Office.



Our Daily Bread Devotionals for December-January- February are now available in the foyer. If you are able, please leave a small donation to support this devotional and why not also pick up copies for anyone you know who might appreciate this booklet.