

WELCOME TO ELK LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

JANUARY 24, 2010

“CONFIDENCE IN GOD”

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Entering Into God's Presence

Call to Worship - Psalm 27:13-14
Prayer of Invocation
Hymn - **“How Deep The Father's Love”**
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of God's Forgiveness and Love

Worshipping God

Song - **“Repentance and Rest”**
Song - **“Rivers of Mercy”**
Song - **“Micah 6:8”**
Pastoral Prayer
Song - **“Touch our Hearts”**
Offering
Song for Children and Leaders - **“This Little Light of Mine”**
Children leave
The following programs are offered:
- Nursery care for children ages 0-3
- Tween Team for ages 10 and up

Listening to God

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 10: 32-39
{Red Bible - pg. 1168; Burgundy Bible - pg. 1439}
Leader: “This is the word of the Lord”
People: “Thanks be to God”
(Taize) Song - **“Wait for the Lord”**
Sermon

We are Sent Into The World

Closing Hymn #517 - **“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”**
Benediction
Dispersal - “Go in Peace”

Postlude

TO OUR GUESTS

We welcome those who are visiting with us this morning as we celebrate the Lord's presence. Please sign the guest book in the foyer and join us after the service for coffee and conversation in our Fellowship Hall.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to be an outreaching Christian community that is learning to follow the teaching of Jesus and growing together in passionate, worshipful love for God. Prayerfully listening to God, and energized by the Holy Spirit, we will serve Him where He leads us, locally and globally, bearing witness to the gospel in word and deed, with the abundant resources and gifts God has granted us.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ~ **CBM/Sharing Way** have established a Haiti Earthquake Relief Fund. You may contribute to this fund through an ELB giving envelope. (Write: Haiti Earthquake Relief). Cheques may be made out to ELB from which you will receive an income tax receipt. All such designated funds will be sent to CBM/Sharing Way for helping the situation in Haiti.
- ~ **Our Annual General Meeting** is scheduled for Thursday, **February 4th**. All chairpersons and ministry leaders are asked to submit a 2009 report ASAP.
- ~ **Adult Sunday School options** are being discussed. Please talk to Rick Downe for more information.
- ~ **The next 60 More or Less Luncheon** will be on February 4th at 12 noon. Please speak to Bill Smethurst for more information.
- ~ **A New Feature:** Each Sunday, we will be providing a special worship bulletin for children ages 3 – 6 and one for children ages 7 –11. Please see an usher if your children didn't receive this bulletin. (Thanks to Alison Ellis for arranging this).
- ~ **Dr. Rikk Watts, New Testament professor** at Regent College, Vancouver, will be giving a public lecture at the University of Victoria, Monday, February 8, from 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. See bulletin board for more information.
- ~ **David and Cathie Phillips** are leading a fascinating trip through Turkey exploring many Biblical sites. The trip is planned for Sunday, April 25 - Friday, May 7, 2009. See the Bulletin Board for more information, plus their latest letter.

- ~ **Please mark your calendars** - The next Island Women's Day Away will be held April 24, 2010 at Gateway Baptist Church in Victoria. We will be sending out brochures as soon as they are ready. Please advise the women of your church so they can be watching for the details.
- ~ **Loving home wanted!** Ryan and Sam Johnston would like to find a new home for their cat before they move. He is a grey, short haired, indoor/outdoor cat. who is about 6 years old.
- ~ **William Carey Institute** is offering some good, but inexpensive Bible Study material ONLINE. Check out... www.williamcarey.ca and see Seminars and Events.

THIS WEEK AT ELK LAKE BAPTIST

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| Thursday | 7:30 p.m. | Thirst for Justice |
| Friday | 7:30 p.m. | Northern Baptist Group Practice |

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

- ~ Bonnie Jarvis passed away on Thursday. Please pray for Anne and family
- ~ The situation in Haiti
- ~ Sandra Burchill recovering from surgery

TOUCH OUR HEARTS

Touch our hearts, renew our minds,
To Your gracious truth,
That in our darkness You are light,
Our hope is found in You.
(repeat from beginning)
Our hope is found in You.

HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US

How deep the Father's love for us
How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss
The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One
Bring many sons to glory

Behold the man upon a cross
My sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life -
I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything
No gifts no power no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom.

REPENTANCE AND REST

Chorus

*In repentance and rest is your salvation
In quietness and trust is your strength*

You say you'd rather have your independence
Than trust in the Lord and be still in his presence
And so you run and you flee to the mountains
You miss the gift of life that would spring up
like a fountain

Be still in my presence; rest in this place
Receive my forgiveness; believe in my grace
My love for you is an everlasting love
The tears I wept on earth I still weep from above

RIVERS OF MERCY

1. To Him, who reigns upon the earth
Who set the mountains in their place
To Him who causes, the earth to tremble
Who set the sun ablaze

Chorus:

Be glory forever and ever

You are holy

Creator and King

Though the fire surrounds me

The river flows

2. To Him who is our refuge and strength
He holds the wounded heart of sorrow
And rivers of mercy, floods of joy
Overflowing from the fountain of the Lord

Glory to God

Glory to God

Glory to God forever

MICAH 6:8

He has shown thee, O man, what is good,
and what the Lord requires of thee.

(repeat)

But to do justly, and to love mercy,
and to walk humbly with thy God.

WAIT FOR THE LORD

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near.
Wait for the Lord: be strong, take heart!

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