

WELCOME TO ELK LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

May 22, 2011

“Looking After the life that god gives”

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Entering into God’s Presence

Call to Worship: Psalm 95:1-7
Prayer of Invocation
Hymn - #764 **“The Trees Of The Field”**
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of God’s Love and Forgiveness

Worshipping God

Song - **“Mighty To Save”**
Song - **“Power Of Your Love”**
Song - **“Give Us Clean Hands”**
Song with the Children and Leaders – **“Jesus Loves Me”**
Children leave
 The following programs are offered:
 - Nursery care for children ages 0-3
 - Adventure Program for ages 4-7
Prayers of the Community
Song - **“He Is Lord”**
Offering

Listening to God

Scripture Reading: Psalm 23
{**Red Bible** - pg. 539 **Burgundy Bible** - pg. 626
Leader: “This is the word of the Lord”
People: “Thanks be to God”
Song - # 227 **“Come Let Us Worship And Bow Down”**
Sermon

We are Sent into the World

Closing Hymn - #630 **“What A Friend We Have In Jesus”**
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...

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ~ **Adult Sunday School** will be taking a break for the summer. We will meet again in the Fall.
- ~ Congratulations to Jeff and Joanna Richards on the birth of **Violet May Richards** born Saturday, May 14, at 11:24 a.m. and weighed in at 8 lbs 11 oz.
- ~ There will be a Bridal Shower on Wednesday, June 1 for **Sabrina Arguello (marrying Kristian Arndt)**. The shower will be at 7 p.m. and will be held at the church building. Anyone needing a ride please contact Carol Biggs.
- ~ **Les Biggs’ Graduation Ceremony** will be held on Sunday, May 29, 2011 at 3:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church, Vancouver. A reception will follow. Anyone wishing to attend may do so.
- ~ **The Church Picnic** will be Sunday, June 12th immediately following the worship service. Here are a few details about the picnic:

- It is a potluck picnic – please bring enough for yourself plus a bit more – all the dishes will be put on a common table.
- Please bring your own plates, cutlery and cups.
- Coffee, tea, juice and ice cream will be provided.
- The picnic will be on the North Lawn and will include some fun games.
- If you can, please bring your own chairs, or a blanket to enjoy the north lawn.

- ~ We have received a letter from **Arwen Holmlund** updating us about her activities. It is posted on the bulletin board. Arwen is currently teaching in a new Christian school in Killam, Alberta.
- ~ The **church building will be rented** this Tuesday and Thursday (May 24 & 25) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for a VIHA Adult Day program. (Note: This happens twice a year when their regular venue is unavailable.)
- ~ The use of **name tags** for the next few weeks is meant to help us connect with people who we may recognize but do not know their names. Say hello, use their name and try to greet someone in a different generation from you.
- ~ The June-August **Daily Breads** have arrived and are on the literature tables in the lobby.
- ~ Updates from our two missionary families, the **Phillips** and the **Meis** are posted on the bulletin board beside the C.E. Room.

THIS WEEK AT ELK LAKE BAPTIST

Saturday 8:30 a.m. Men’s Breakfast

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

~ The people of Slave Lake, Alta.

~ Joanna, Jeff and Violet

~ Shirley Swan

MIGHTY TO SAVE

Chorus 1

Saviour

He can move the mountains

My God is mighty to save

He is mighty to save

Forever

Author of salvation

He rose and conquered the grave

Jesus conquered the grave

1. Everyone needs compassion
Love that's never failing
Let mercy fall on me
Everyone needs forgiveness
The kindness of a Saviour
The hope of nations
2. So take me as You find me
All my fears and failures
Fill my life again
I give my life to follow
Everything I believe in
Now I surrender

(BRIDGE)

Shine your light

And let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory
Of the risen King Jesus
Shine your light
And let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory
Of the risen King

THE POWER OF YOUR LOVE

Lord I come to You
Let my heart be changed renewed
Flowing from the grace
That I found in You
And Lord I've come to know
The weaknesses I see in me
Will be stripped away
By the pow'r of Your love

Chorus

Hold me close

Let Your love surround me

Bring me near

Draw me to Your side

And as I wait

I'll rise up like the eagle

And I will soar with You

Your Spirit leads me on

In the pow'r of Your love

Lord unveil my eyes
Let me see You face to face
The knowledge of Your love
As You live in me
Lord renew my mind
As Your will unfolds in my life
In living ev'ry day
By the pow'r of Your love

GIVE US CLEAN HANDS

We bow our hearts, we bend our knees;
Oh Spirit, come make us humble.
We turn our eyes from evil things,
Oh Lord, we cast down our idols.

Give us clean hands, give us pure hearts

Let us not lift our souls to another
Give us clean hands, give us pure hearts
Let us not lift our souls to another.

*God let us be
a generation that seeks
That seeks Your face oh God of Jacob
(Repeat)*

HE IS LORD

He is Lord, He is Lord.
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord.

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