

**MIDDLETON BAPTIST CHURCH  
CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP**

20<sup>th</sup> March 2016

the  
**BOOK  
SERMON SERIES**

**A Life Well Lived**

Worship Through Serving	This Week
Prayer Warrior	Bonnie Johnson
Nursery	Amanda Robar/ Doreen Noble
Sound & Video	Shelley / Cynthia
Worship Through Serving	Next Week
Prayer Warrior	Bonnie Spurr
Nursery	Valerie Brake/Joan Montgomery
Sound & Video	Nathan / Justin

Worship Through Music	
<i>Hosanna</i>	On Screen
<i>Hosanna (Praise is Rising)</i>	On Screen
<i>Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne</i>	Hymn # 198
<i>Glorious Day</i>	On Screen

**WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS**

If you have children with you this morning, we provide a worship experience that is uniquely theirs at *CHILDREN'S CHURCH*. Following the children's time in our worship service, children will be dismissed to their classes. Parents please sign in your children, and directly following the service please sign them out.

We provide three classes:

Preschool (Ages 2-5): Balcony Level Classroom  
Grade Primary-Three: Family Life Center  
Grade 4&5: Balcony Level Classroom

**HOLY WEEK at MBC**

**Open Doors Canada Update:** Join us on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2016 at 7 pm in our Sanctuary to hear an update on Open Doors Canada by Paul Estabrooks.

**Maundy Thursday Lord's Supper and Prayer Vigil:** On March 24<sup>th</sup> 2016 at 8pm join us in our Ladies parlour for a time of prayer and celebration of our Lord's supper together.

**Good Friday Service:** Will take place on 25th March 2016 starting at 7 pm.

**Community Easter Egg Hunt:** Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> 2:00 pm Easter Egg Hunt - location: Rotary Park (if raining it will be at MBC), 2:30 pm Cookie decorating, Crafts, Games, and Door prizes - location: MBC in the FLC. Children ages 2-11 are invited to participate and must attend with a parent or guardian. No registration required for this free event!

**Easter Prayer Vigil:** There will be an all-day prayer vigil at MBC on Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to 9 pm in the Ladies Parlour. There is a sign-up sheet in the vestry to sign up.

**Easter Morning Sunrise Service:** Our Sunrise service will be in our Sanctuary starting at 7:15 am.

**Easter Morning Breakfast:** After service and starting at 8 am let's come together over breakfast in our FLC.

**Easter Resurrection Sunday Cantata Baptism Service:** Don't miss out on this year's Sunday Easter service featuring the MBC Choir Cantata and Baptism during our service. Starts at regular service time of 10:45 am. Come early to get a place to sit as we anticipate many will be in attendance.

**BULLETIN BOARD**

**Happy Birthday:** MBC family would like to wish Vivian Lightfoot a happy 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday.

**Sympathy:** The church family would like to offer their condolences to Kirk, Diane and Brad Thurber on the loss of their mother Connie. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

**Congratulations:** The MBC family would like to congratulate Tim & Eileen Prosser on their recent winning of the Silver and Bronze medals during the Olympics held in Cornerbrook NFLD.

**Jesus To The Nations Conference:** Is an Atlantic Canada's Missions Conference, featuring special speakers and exhibitors. Join us in Halifax, Nova Scotia on 18<sup>th</sup>—20<sup>th</sup> March 2016. We have agreed to be a Partnering Church for this 2016 conference. For more information please see Jill Cox.

**"BEHOLD" The Gospel Story in Scripture & Song:** The Melvern Square Baptist Church invites you to attend their Maundy Thursday March 24<sup>th</sup> service starting at 7 pm featuring Pastor Phil Williams and his dramatic recitation of Jesus' final hours, His resurrection and ending with the Great Commission.

**Easter Sunday Baptism:** If you are a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ but have never been baptized, there will be a baptism on Easter Sunday (March 27<sup>th</sup>). For more information please speak with pastor Danny or pastor Robin.

**Men's Saturday Breakfast:** Join us on Saturdays at 8:00 am for our weekly Men's Breakfast held in the Ladies Parlour. Enjoy the fellowship of other men.

**March Deacon's Meeting:** The meeting will be held in the Ladies Parlour on 30<sup>th</sup> March at 7 pm.

*Please check our online calendar for any recent changes to the calendar previously published.*

**PRAYER NEEDS**

**Ongoing Prayer Concerns:**

Gerry Jackson, Madeline Hazelwood, Roy & Pauline Beals, Anita MacDonald, Sandra Coleman, Evelyn Shaw, Marcia Sabean, Gloria Robar, Gordon Rodgers, Sheila Haynes, George Mosher, Sandra Wales, Barb Acker, Leona Baker, Eva Saulnier and our sponsored Iraqi Family

**Our Missionaries:**

John Spurr	Circle Square Ranch
Aaron & Erica Kenny	Kenya-CBM
Lindsay Miller	Skopja, Macedonia
Linda Thorsen	Krakow, Poland

**Week 11 Giving Analysis – 13<sup>th</sup> March 2016**

\*Tithes & Loose \$45,024.00 Budget Requirement \$54,241.00  
 Avg/week \$4,093.00 Budget Requirement \$4,931

**\*Includes:**

\*Tithes & Loose offerings \$2,760.00  
 \*Preauthorized Giving for Mar 2016 \$2,765.00  
 February Fun Day \$3,216.00

\*\*Please see the Treasurer for pre-authorized giving forms\*\*

**Sponsored Family Update Corner:**

We'll continue to accept donations for our sponsored family. They'll be accepted through your regular church envelopes. Please mark "Sponsored Family" and the amount designated for this purpose. Thank you.

**Scripture References in preparation for Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> March 2016:**

**Isaiah 53:1-12, Luke 22:47 to 23:56, Luke 24, Romans 3:1-26, Eph. 2:1-5, Heb. 9:11-28**


**Children's Section:**

CHRISTIAN SONGS OF

Michael W. Smith

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**SERMON AUDIO**

To listen to today's sermon or past sermons from MBC go to  [www.middletonbaptist.com/sermons](http://www.middletonbaptist.com/sermons)

**NAME TAGS**

Please remember to pick up your name tags before each service and to return them to the baskets, not your mailboxes. Only tags in the baskets will be considered for attendances, If lost or you would like to receive a name tag, please indicate so on the blue Welcome slip in your bulletins.

**MAILBOXES**

Please check your mailboxes this morning. If you would like a mailbox please contact the church office. (limited in availability)

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