

Thursday

On our BC Baptist Association (NAB) Prayer Calendar, we remember Ebenezer's own, BCBA Executive Minister, Bob Krahn and his wife Dawn and family.

Friday

We lift up all our leaders and staff. May they continue to know the enabling and direction of the Holy Spirit during this challenging time.

Saturday

We pray for our sick, shut-ins and bereaved, and for all who care for them. We especially remember the following members of the Ebenezer community: Alma Maglio, Elsie Baum, Russ and Rita Crossley, Bekele Gebreab, John & Frieda Hait, Lavina Hait, Ileen Konnert, Irene Maas, Diana Reichert, Jose and Elena Ronsano, Freda Ross, Rick Townsend, and Pearl Weiss. May they find healing, comfort and peace, in Christ.

If you would like prayer for any person or reason, please contact Sharon Iseli (604-244-1636), Freda Ross (604-326-5123) or the church office. We can pray for folks during the Pastoral Prayer and/or list them in the Sunday bulletin, as well as through the Prayer Chain.

CHURCH LEADERSHIP TEAM

PASTORAL STAFF

Senior Pastor, Dr. John Oakes

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(Pastor John is available for pastoral counselling and visitation by appointment. His weekly days off are Monday and Tuesday.)

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Bill Konnert (Moderator), Rajender Kumar, Jack Masing, John Oakes, Rhea Ravanera, Loren Stark, Sharon Tobert,.



EBC Update

*Winning and building passionate,
life-long followers of Jesus Christ*

Sunday, February 7th, 2021



10:30 a.m. Communion Celebration

Sermon: Dr. John Oakes

"Lasting Peace"

(Ephesians 2:11–22)

Music Director: Grant Gwynn

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WELCOME TO TODAY'S SERVICE!

We warmly welcome you to worship with us and to take Communion elements as a personal act of devotion. Following the latest B.C. Government Health Orders, we will be meeting **online only** until "further notice based on direction from the Provincial Health Officer." We will let you know as soon as the situation changes.

SERVICE ORDER

Call to Worship

Prayer

Opening Hymn #53: *Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee*

Songs of Praise

Pastoral Prayer

Reading: Ephesians 2:11–22, read by Rhea Ravanera

Message: "Lasting Peace" (Pastor John)

Song of Response

Communion

Closing Hymn: *In Christ Alone* (K. Getty, S. Townend)

Announcements & Benediction

NEXT SUNDAY

Online Communion at 10:30 a.m.—Dr. John Oakes will continue his new sermon series, "Practical Spirituality: Lessons in Living from Ephesians," preaching on "The Wonder of the Gospel" (Ephesians 3:1–13).

MID-WEEK PROGRAMMES

Bible Studies The Friday **evening Bible Study with Pastor John continues our series on James. All are welcome to join us on Zoom at 7:00 p.m.** Go to [this link](#) and enter Meeting ID: 851 704 4556. You can also just call in by phone on 778-907-2071.

Challengers (55+) Our **meetings are on hold for now** due to the surge in the pandemic. Please contact Jack Masing for further information.

Choir practices are **on extended hold** due to COVID-19.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's Prayer Meeting

Our women's **Zoom prayer meeting continues on Wednesday, February, February 10, at 7:30 p.m. Access is available through this [link](#).** The Zoom ID is 648 4054 7657 and the password 413664.

Youth and Young Adults Games Night

The next Youth and Young Adults **Zoom games night will be on Saturday, February 20, 7:30 p.m.** Access [here](#) and use ID 851 704 4556. All welcome!

"Daily Bread" Available

Copies of the **new issue of "Daily Bread"** are **now available**. Please contact the church office, if you'd like one.

New Books

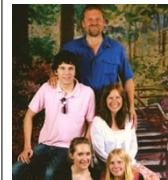
Congratulations to Ebenezer member **Sig Stark** and to former Interim Pastor, Dr. **George Sears**, who both **have new books recently published!** Details of Sig's memories of life at her and Loren's church outside Edmonton, *Potluck at Rabbit Hill*, can be found [here](#). George's new book on biblical authority, *By What Authority*, is available [here](#).

Sunday Services

Recordings of all our services since March 29, 2020, are **available** at www.rockofhelp.com, [Facebook](#), and the church's [YouTube page](#).

PRAYER AND PRAISE

Monday



Among our supported missionaries and missions, we remember **Randy & Sandy Huebert of El Refugio**, and their ministry "providing a safe location where anyone can come to participate in ministry opportunities in Ensenada, Mexico, "as they "share God's love . . . to meet educational, emotional, physical, and spiritual needs."

Tuesday

We lift up our neighbourhood and all who live and work in South Vancouver. We thank God for the opportunities we have to serve and to reach out to them and we ask God's help and guidance to do so.

Wednesday

We pray for our whole church community. May we know "the peace of Christ" as individuals, families, and a church community.