

LANCASTER BAPTIST CHURCH

July 1st, 2018 at 10:30am



Thank you for joining us this morning, we're glad you're here. If you are visiting with us today, please fill out a connection envelope.



Baptism

Jesus calls us to be baptized when we decide to follow him and commit ourselves to him. Baptism is kind of like an engagement/marriage ceremony where we say "Yes!" to Jesus' proposal and we commit to Him. It declares to others that you have your faith and allegiance in Jesus as Saviour and Lord (even if you don't know all of what that means yet). It also demonstrates your pledge to be faithful to Jesus and the life he calls us to live. Our baptism actively demonstrates the burial of our old lives without Jesus as well as the renewal of our lives in Jesus. Just like a wedding ring can be used to help remember one's marital identity, baptism can be used to help us remember our identity in Jesus and what that means.

In early fall we're planning a baptism. If you believe you are ready to take this next step of faith please speak to Pastor Wayne or one of the deacons today.



3000 people praying @ 1pm EVERY DAY
for 3000 baptisms in one year by 2025

— Will you join us and be 1 of the 3000? —

Sign up at: BAPTIST-ATLANTIC.CA/3K43K



CANADIAN BAPTISTS
of ATLANTIC CANADA

Ushers: Shirley Miller, Harvey Keats, Holly Walsh, Pat Marshall, Verna Mills

Ushers Next Week: Ken Milner, Marjorie Milner, Audrey Gillespie, John Mulcahy, Carol Mulcahy

Nursery: Lorraine Herrington, Beth Banks, Jordan Hume

Nursery Next Week: Lindsay Hill, Mildred Mercuri, Becca McKenzie

Tellers for July: Richard & Audrey Gillespie

COMING IN AUGUST . . .



V.B.S. needs donations of 70 empty water bottles, with the caps please. If you are able to help with this, please speak with Pastor Andrew following the service today.

L . O . V . E . = *LIVING OUR VISION EVERYDAY*



A group of *young* ladies are planning another chatting/cooking session in the CE Center kitchen **this Saturday, July 7th at 9AM.** The **L.O.V.E. Group** cooks & freezes meals that can be delivered to families/individuals at short notice during various situations that may arise. We can provide a meal in the occasion of job loss, accident, surgery, move to a new home, new to a neighborhood, financial difficulty, new baby, health problems...the list goes on and on. Our other goal is to involve YOU, we welcome all *young* women to join us slicing, dicing, (laughing), & cooking. No commitment necessary. **We know** how busy life is, and we know you want to make a difference. This offers a chance for you to be involved in a real, tangible way.

Families helping Families.

L.O.V.E...Won't you join us?

CANADIAN BAPTISTS OF ATLANTIC CANADA PRAYER LINK:

Many pastors and lay leaders take vacation during July & August. Please pray for those who travel, and that these vacations may be times for rest, renewal and spiritual replenishment.

* **Church to pray for:** Second United Baptist Church (New Glasgow), New Glasgow, NS(African United Baptist Association, Region 7);
Rev. Moses Adekola.

A.B.W. MISSION PRAYER LINE:

Local: Pray that the partnership between churches and ABW's Daily Vacation Bible School teams will be strong and produce an exciting week of learning for the children. Pray that the DVBS Bible lessons from Daniel will teach children to children to be courageous and stand up for their faith.

Global: (Africa) The Baptist Women's Union of Africa asks for prayer for God's Word to transcend culture, and that a ministry to the deaf would be initiated. Pray that grace and forgiveness would mark the lives of widows facing difficulty raising and supporting their children. Ask the Lord that the Holy Spirit would fill the lives of women in polygamous marriages.

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Passionate Followers of Jesus

