

St. Barnabas

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PRAY FOR OUR PARISH

- St. Barnabas Church with The Reverend Oz Lorentzen and Delynne, Soren & Laec
- The Reverend John Willems, Blenda and their family
- Andy, Rhonda and Mattew Birtle; Veronica Blocksage; Peter Boote & Nico Avery-Weitzel; and their families.
- Stewardship Committee.
- Compassion Canada - Teguh & Timothy
- The GriefShare Program
- The Saturday Meal Program
- Keep-in-Touch Groups
- The SMART Recovery Program
- Medicine Hat College Nursing Students - Senior Home Visits
- The Medicine Hat Ecumenical Campus Ministry

PRAY FOR OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS IN NEED

Kathy; Jim; Sherry; Deanna;
Betty Ann; Tobin; Lorna; Scott;
Kevin; Wade; Helen; Harvey;
Arleen; Becca; Chase; Alicia;
and their families



SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES

8:30 a.m. Service

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10:30 a.m. Service (live-streamed
to Facebook & YouTube)

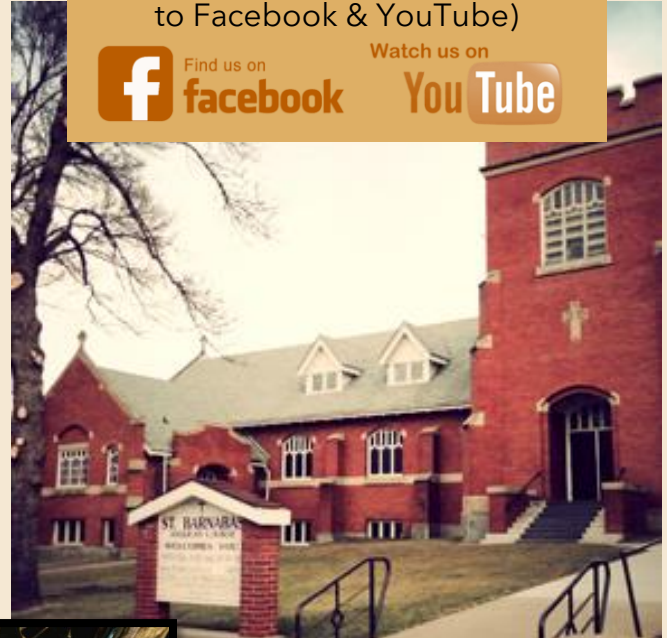


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DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1 - Geoff & Heather Barron
1 - Ugo Ikechukwu Osuagwu
17 - Richard Barron
19 - Stella Bell
29 - Sharon Hogg
31 - Muriel Erick

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

10 - Ike & Ugo Osuagwu
22 - Alan & Deb Deans



Did You Know...

- We are celebrating Communion Wednesdays at 12:30 p.m. Come and be refreshed!
- Our Readings for Sunday, December 1st include: Jeremiah 33:14-16; Psalm 25:1-9; 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13 and Luke 21: 25-36.
- Barnabas Connection is back in full swing every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. All are welcome!
- Join us on Thursday at 10:00 a.m. for coffee and fellowship.
- The Church Proper is open every Friday from 12:00 noon until 1:00 p.m. for prayer.

- Grieving the loss of a loved one. Please join us for "Surviving the Holidays" Receive encouragement, support, and valuable tools to navigate the challenges of the season. Thursday, December 5, 2pm-4pm, at St. Barnabas Anglican Church. To register: Text Grace-403-878-9889 or phone: (403)-526-7713. Online: griefshare.org/holidays
- You're invited to attend "Please Come Home for Christmas," a Christmas concert by Trevis De Silva, Sunday, December 15 at 5pm in the Medicine Hat College Theatre.
- Please join us for the third annual Community Christmas Carol Sing. Monday December 16 at 7pm. Donation of nonperishable accepted at door.
- We will be having our Service of Lessons and Carols, on Sunday December 22, at 10:30am.
- Come take a winter walk with the Tartones & The Joyful Sound of Music. December 18th at 7pm at 504-2nd street SE downtown.
- Longest Night, Almost (Blue Christmas). December 19, 7:00pm. Christmas always seems to be accompanied by jolly songs, ringing bells, and the expectation that you will have a good time. But that's not how it feels for many people. Maybe your year has been hard – for whatever reason (bereavement, illness, estrangement, not enough cheque and too much month, worry) – and Christmas seems to highlight the difficulties. Or maybe in an over busy life, you just want space to reflect, recall, regroup. Whatever the reason, whatever the need, you are welcome here. We hope that you will find the space and hope which the Christmas story offers.

Service Assistants
SCHEDULE
December 1st @ 10:30 a.m.

Lay Assistant	Reverend John Willems
Prayers of the People	Scott Raible
Lesson Reader(s)	Val Browne & John Fedoruk
Greeters	Barb & Brian Klein
Bread/Wine Presenters	Roger & Bev Jaeger
Lock-up	Steve Gloin
Music	Blenda Willems
Offering Counters	Steve Gloin, Barb & Brian Klein
Snow Removal	Billy Yasinchuk
Prayer Team	Val Browne & Jan Andreas

If you are not available for your assigned schedule, please find a replacement.



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