

# WHO we ARE

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## Ways to GIVE

**Cash or Debit/Credit Card** - debit machine is located in the foyer giving centre.

**Cheque.** If post-dating please mark "post-dated" and date on envelope.

**On-line** at www.ctbrandon.com

By **E-Transfer** to info@ctbrandon.com

## ENVELOPES and GIVING NUMBER

**Envelopes** - blank envelopes are available in the pews and at the giving centre in the foyer. Please take a few or a box as needed.

**Your number** - please ensure your giving number is marked on the envelope.

**New to Calvary Temple?** - a giving number is available, please contact the office.

**Tax Receipts** - are processed in February for the prior year's giving.

## The Operation of SPIRITUAL GIFTS

The Apostle Paul said in I Cor. 14:1 "...eagerly desire spiritual gifts." Paul goes on to say in verse 3, that these spiritual gifts are given for the "...strengthening, encouragement and comfort" of the church, and that everyone in the church body can participate. During our services, if you have a word or vision from the Lord that you believe is for the church, please come to the front row, and approach one of the pastors.

## The Church I See - Vision 6 (Released ministry)

The church I see is a church where each person attending eagerly desires to be equipped for ministry and is involved in the vision of the church. I see effective ministry taking place that meets the needs of every age. I see a church that refuses to settle for the status quo, or the comfort zone, but is innovative and adventurous when it comes to exploring new opportunities and methods of ministry.

~Pastor Gary

# Calvary Temple

"Passion for God  
Compassion for people"

## TODAY

Message:

Pastor Vern Kratz

Worship: Kerrie Gibbs

Youth Class

Meet in the library  
(balcony level) after worship.

## KIDS' CHURCH

Happening right now in the  
Lower Auditorium  
for children age 3 to Grade 5.

*Supervised nursery available.*

## NEXT SUNDAY

Message: Pastor Nikki Ragush

Worship: Pastor Vern Kratz  
and the BG Club Band

# WELCOME



February 25th, 2018



Though your sins  
are like scarlet, they  
will be as white as snow.  
Isaiah 1:18

If you are visiting with us today we would love to hear from you.  
Welcome cards are located in the pews. Once completed  
please give to an usher or stop by the welcome centre in the foyer.

## This WEEK at CT

Pastor Gary is out of the office and will return on March 6th

<b>Tonight</b>	<b>Ladies Bible Study</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Stay and Play</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Men at 8</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>GAP Youth</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>FOCUS Youth</b>	<b>7:30 pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>BG Club</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>

## MULTICULTURAL Ministries

<b>EAL</b>	<b>Tuesday's in lower auditorium</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
<b>Spanish Service</b>	<b>Saturday's in lower auditorium</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
<b>African Service</b>	<b>Sunday's in upper room (balcony level)</b>	<b>12:00 pm</b>
<b>Chinese Study</b>	<b>Friday, March 2nd</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
<b>Chinese Service</b>	<b>March 11th in lower auditorium</b>	<b>12:30 pm</b>

## UPCOMING Dates

<b>March 11th</b>	<b>Spring Forward</b>	
<b>March 11th</b>	<b>Young Adults Clubhouse</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
<b>March 19th</b>	<b>Annual Meeting</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
<b>March 25th</b>	<b>Young Adults Sunday Social Lunch</b>	<b>Noon</b>
<b>March 26th - 31st</b>	<b>Wordless Walking Stick at Winter Fair</b>	
<b>April 1st</b>	<b>Easter</b>	

## RAP: Read Apply Pray - Feb 25th to March 4th

Sunday	Mark 6:1-32	Thursday	Mark 8:1-21
Monday	Mark 6:33-58	Friday	Mark 8:22-38
Tuesday	Mark 7:1-13	Saturday	Mark 9:1-29
Wednesday	Mark 7:14-37	Sunday	Mark 9:30-50

*Transformed*

by the living Word of God

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Raysha and Steven Prentice on the birth of their son, Brock Aidan born on February 14th, 7lbs 15oz.  
May God Bless your family.

## FEBRUARY Opportunity to BLESS

Random acts of kindness is considered to be "servant evangelism". Servant evangelism is demonstrating the love and kindness of God by offering to do humble acts of service with no strings attached.

*It's doing small things with great kindness to un-expectantly interrupt a person's day with the love of God.*



## In our COMMUNITY

Canadian Christian band **The Color** presents the **First Day of My Life** tour

**March 6th 7:00 pm** at Bethel Christian Assembly

Advance Tickets: \$10 • Family Pass \$35 • Groups of 5+ \$7

[www.thecoloronline.com](http://www.thecoloronline.com) or Bethel at 204.727.0639

## MINISTRY Position OPENING

**Program Facilitator at Kairos Maternity Home**, part-time hours, responsible for working with residents on personal plans and goals as they prepare for the birth of their baby.

**Respite House Staff at Kairos Maternity Home**, live-in position for one or two weekends a month to allow house staff to have some time away. Responsible to oversee residents and household activities from Friday evenings to Sunday evenings.

### For more information:

Crisis Pregnancy Centre, 204-727-6161 or [info@cpcbrandon.ca](mailto:info@cpcbrandon.ca)

## MARCH OPPORTUNITY TO BLESS

### Wordless Walking Stick Winter Fair Outreach

### Winter Fair March 26th to 31st

To volunteer or if you have questions contact Dave Loewen at 204.476.0330

If you wish to give financially to this outreach, please indicate "FAIR" on your envelope. Thank you!

## In SYMPATHY

Our sympathies to Hilda and Gary Richardson and family on the recent passing of Hilda's Father.  
May God sustain you during this difficult time.



Interested in joining a small group? Check out the information in the literature rack or contact Pastor Vern.



- ♥ Please return overdue books.
- ♥ Remember to sign books out.
- ♥ Check out the new books!

Our library is located on the balcony level.  
Open during office hours and Sunday morning.

## HOSPITAL and CARE HOMES

Our pastors make regular visits to those in hospital or care homes. Please contact the church if a family member is in hospital or care home and would like a visit. Volunteer Ministry teams participate in care home church services throughout the year.

### The next services are:

<b>Valleyview Centre</b>	<b>April 1st</b>	<b>2:00 pm</b>
<b>Assiniboine Centre</b>	<b>March 11th</b>	<b>9:45 am</b>

### Need PRAYER?

There is a prayer team available at each service. If you would like someone to pray with you please come forward at the end of the service and we will be glad to agree with you in prayer.

If you need prayer at any other time please call the church office at 204.728.8500 or Mary Jane Lawrence at 204.728.1803 and the prayer chain will be contacted on your behalf.

The sanctuary is open during office hours if you need a quiet place to pray.

### Please PRAY for

#### Our Seniors in care home facilities:

Celina Chambers, Agnes Fraser, Bonnie Shellenburg  
John Nelson, Roberta Martens, Miriam Fowke

#### Physical Healing:

Walter Fowke, Al Gibbs, Dave Eaton,  
Pastor Pedro Toloso, Norm Ziprick

#### Our Missionaries

#### Our Canadian Troops

**Nominate NOW!**

### CHURCH BOARD NOMINATIONS

Information in the foyer.

**Last day for nominations is March 5th**