



**Welcome to Springhill Baptist Church**  
**A Celebration of Worship**  
**Sunday, January 6<sup>th</sup> 2019 10:30 a.m.**

Prelude:  
 Call To Worship:

Songs of Praise:

Living Hope  
 Blessed Be Your Name

Welcome and Offering

Ministry of Music:

Children's Time  
 Children will remain in the service with their families.  
 (RISE KIDS resumes next week)

Scripture: Philippians 1:1-11  
p. 830 Pew Bible. / p.1822 Large Print

Pastoral Prayer

Message: The Marks of A Christian Life

Sharing At The Lord's Table The Bread and The Cup

Closing Song: We Bow Down

Benediction

### OUR INVITATION

If God's Spirit has been speaking to your heart today, and you want to respond to Him in love and obedience, we invite you to speak to one of the pastors or deacons to indicate your decision...

- to repent of your sins and commit your life to the Lord Jesus Christ.
- to renew your commitment to the Lord.
- to seek baptism and church membership.
- to follow God's leading into a new mission or ministry.
- to ask for prayer.

Let us affirm your response to God's call and help you in the next step in your Christian walk.

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### SBC Kidsmin Shared Bible Verse for JANUARY



*Hide God's word in your heart alongside the kids.  
 Children may ask if you know it and you can ask them.*

**A gentle answer turns away wrath,  
 but a harsh word stirs up anger.**

Proverbs 15:1

### OUR MISSION

*"To Glorify God as we draw others to Christ and His family, and to help one another grow in obedience and service to Him."*

WEEKLY SCHEDULE	
<b>Sun. Jan 6</b> <b>9:45am</b> Choir Practice <b>10:30am</b> Worship	<b>Mon. Jan 7</b> <b>1:30pm</b> Rodney Prayer Pod <b>5:50pm</b> (Sparks) <b>7:00pm</b> Willing Workers
<b>Tue. Jan 8</b> <b>10:00am</b> Ladies Bible Study at 30 McDougall St. <b>12:00pm KD Tuesdays</b> <b>3:00pm Kix 5/6</b> <b>6:30pm</b> (Brownies) <b>8:00pm</b> (AA)	<b>Wed. Jan 9</b> <b>6:30pm</b> Prayer & Bible Study <b>7:00pm Gameplan:</b> <b>Men's Fellowship</b> <b>7:00pm</b> (Guides)
<b>Thu. Jan 10</b> <b>5:30pm</b> (Beavers) <b>7:00pm</b> (Scouts)	<b>Fri. Jan 11</b> <b>7:00pm</b> B laze <b>Youth</b> <b>Devotional (Watch your email to stay up to date)</b>
<b>Sat. Jan 12</b> <b>2:30pm</b> Care Group Activity (to be announced)	

## MEMORIALS

*Donations were given over the past week in loving memory of...*

\*If you would like to place a memorial donation, feel free to contact Susan MacKenzie at (902) 763-2242 or [mackenzie.susan@eastlink.ca](mailto:mackenzie.susan@eastlink.ca)



## Sunday Prayer Link

Happy New Year! As we gather together for worship today, let's celebrate and give thanks to God for this

new beginning. Consider Isaiah 42:9-10 - "Behold the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth I tell you of them. Sing to the Lord a new song, his praise from the end of the earth, you who go down to the sea, and all that fills it, the coastlands and their inhabitants." Consider what "new things" God is declaring in your own life, your church and your neighbourhood. Where is God asking you to join him? ~If you have a prayer request or concern that you'd like us to pray for this week, contact Elsie Brayley and the prayer chain at 902-597-2903.

## Kids Spotlight



### CHILDREN & YOUTH DURING THE SERVICE

**Newborns to Age 3** ~ Nursery – Located just to the left of the sanctuary doors, staffed by a trained and caring worker after the children's feature.

**Age 4 – Grade 6** ~ RISE Kids – Dismissed after the children's feature - see schedule below

**Older Children and Youth** ~ Service - There are notebooks and pencil cases available at the back of the sanctuary for those who listen better with busy hands.

DATE	ACTIVITY	LEADER	SNACK	NURSERY
Jan 13	RISE KIDS	Leah, Dale, Kyesha		Julie/Kim Mc

## Leadership Team Contact Information

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Pat Rushton	Outreach & Missions	(902) 597-2971

## Celebrations This Week

Happy Birthday!  
 Jan 8 Mayla Hobbs



## Annual Reports

It's that time again where reports are compiled for the year 2018. If you are leader of a group, board, committee, or ministry team, please ensure that a year-end report is completed following your last meeting of 2018 and submit it to the church office, preferably by email to [secretary@springhillbaptist.ca](mailto:secretary@springhillbaptist.ca).

**Deadline for reports: Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup> 2019.**

## Care Groups

God said in Genesis 2:18, "It is not good for the man to be alone. Yes, He was talking about sending "a helper." We all need helpers to walk through life. Let's face it, life is not easy. We have a fundamental need for community. Here at Springhill Baptist Church we need each other. We need to be in community and fellowship so that we may bind and be a part of the divine mandate of God.

In the next couple of weeks we will begin the process of being family in the smaller groups to be able to bless, care, and walk together. Let's be Acts 2:42-47 Christians at the close of 2018.

### Group 1

Greg & Candice Porter  
Ken & Gloria Thompson  
Bud & Cathy Anderson  
James & Brenda Mosher  
Ethel Gilbert  
Christine MacNeil  
Anne Rushton  
Russel Fisher  
Dale MacNeil  
Mark & Angela McNutt  
Gina Michaelson

### Group 2

Gerald & Pam Davis  
Russell & Marie Oickle  
Donald Fraser & Anna Kierstead  
Tyler & Leah Hobbs  
Gordon Fullerton  
Brian Berry  
Bill Ward  
Amanda Eastwood  
Julia, Allison Small  
Diana Matthews  
Doris Dickson

### Group 3

Ken & Susan MacKenzie  
Dan & Joyce McMillan  
Scott & Pippa McNutt  
Mickey Cole & Alex Mackey  
Norman & Darlene Greenaway  
Erdean Crowe  
Sylke Grant  
Devin, Dennis, Anthony Embree  
Megan McNutt  
Bev Brown  
Marie Blue

### Group 4

Colin & Kim McCormick  
Henry & Marg Hibberts  
Joe & Carissa Atkinson  
Mark & Andrea, Daniel Small  
Jack & Sharon Simons  
Marilyn Thompson  
Dianne Rushton  
Andrew & Wanda Nicholson  
Carlyle & Cindy Brown  
Clara Miller  
Starr Blue

### Group 5

Derrick & Debbie Eason  
Doris McNutt  
Allan & Bonnie Stubbert  
Mark & Julie McCormick  
Deanna Moore  
Don Osborne  
Doug Embree  
Pat Rushton  
Kyesha Godfrey  
Ronald Farnell  
Stephen & Cheryl Hibberts  
June Henwood

### Group 7

Murray & Linda Scott  
Ethel McCormick  
David & Barb Murray  
John & Gloria Gabriel  
Rupert & Mary Boss  
Elsie Brayley  
Chris Van Luven  
John & Dale Mont  
Connie Lowther  
Marjorie Davis  
Audrey Ryan  
Laura Sherman

### Group 6

Bob & Kim Henwood  
Fred & Sippie Riemersma  
David & Sandy Meekins  
Robert & Bev Gilbert  
Ida Mae Myers  
Dory Gilroy  
Joyce Cole  
Leona Schuurmans  
David & Betty Hyatt  
Beth Adams  
Elizabeth Alderson  
Alan Hicks

## Opportunities for Service

- We are looking for volunteers to cover the monthly teller duties for 2019. There will be a signup sheet on the bulletin board in the entryway.

For position descriptions and more information, see Don Osborne.

## 2019 Offering Envelopes

Offering envelopes for next year are available on the bench next to the nursery. Search for your name in alphabetical order.

## Camp Pagweak - 2019 – Staff Needed

### Camp Director

May 1 – Oct. 31 – 6 month position  
(house provided and meals during the camping season)

### Assistant Director/Promotion

May 1 – Aug. 23 – (16 weeks)

### Program Director

May 1 – Aug. 23 (16 weeks)

### Camp Cook\*

June 24<sup>th</sup> – Aug. 23 (9 weeks)

The job descriptions and applications for these positions are found on the  
Camp Pagweak Web Page

[www.pagweak.org](http://www.pagweak.org)

\*A resume only is required for the position of Camp Cook

**Applications close – Feb. 15, 2019**

**Please forward applications to**

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## A Cushy Opportunity...

Wondering what to get the person that “has everything”? Well, we have an idea that they are sure not to have...a comfortable chair in church! 😊 The Leadership Team is raising funds to switch some more of the pews to chairs - comfortable, interlocking chairs. Each chair will cost approximately \$60. To make this transition happen, we'll need your help. Donations can be marked 'sanctuary chairs'. If you'd like to try out a chair first, we have a sample at the back. If you have any questions or are interested in upcycling all or part of a pew, please contact Bob Henwood.

This fits with the part of our VISION that states we want SBC to become more of a HOME and a REFUGE. In other words, we want people comfortable here so they can meet God.

**NEW CHAIRS  
FUNDRAISING  
PROGRESS**

**59%**

