### NEW TO NPMB CHURCH?

Welcome! It's great to have you here. We'd love to meet you and give you some information to help you get connected. Please fill out the Visitor card inside and drop it in the offering box at the Welcome Center.

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### Operating Budget Report NPMB Church

Last Week's Giving \$15,444.77

Giving to Date \$377,529.49

Budget to Date \$546,324.33

Creekside Fellowship Church Plant

Last Week's Giving \$1,573.07

Giving to Date \$134,235.61

Budget to Date \$102,832.84

(Our church year end is April)

Online Giving Option: e-transfers@npmbchurch.com

We also accept cheques and cash

# Sermon Notes

### Stay Connected!

Text "Connect" to (778)400-4549 and fill out the connect card to keep up to date with what's going on at NPMB!

Check out our church library.
Fiction & non-fiction, adult & children.
And movies.
Located downstairs.





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## WELCOME TO

# North Peage MB Church

November 19, 2023



"We exist to glorify God and make disciples of Jesus Christ."

### **Today**

9:00am Worship Service

(message livestreamed and in person)

Kids Zone

Sharing from Salvation Army

"Oh Little Sounds of Bethlehem" practice between the services in the lower auditorium at 10:30am for Pre School to Grade 1

11:00am Worship Service

Kids Zone

Sharing from Salvation Army

### This Week

Monday Young Adults – 7:00pm

Tuesday Sr. Youth -7:00-9:00pm at the church

Wednesday Men's Prayer Time – 6:00am

Women's Morning Study – 9:30-11:30am at the church.

Men's Study – 7:00pm @ the church.

Jr. Youth – 7-8:30pm – Gargoyles – Devo night

Saturday Trauma Workshop – 9:00am-12:30pm – see Church

Family News for details.

Christmas Concert practice – 10:00-11:30am – grades 2-8

55+ games night – 7:00pm at the church in the coffee

room. See Church Family News for details.

### **Coming Events**

Now – Dec 16	Christmas Concert Practice for grades 2-8. Saturdays from
	10:00-11:30am at the church.

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Dec 3 Alleluia Children's Choir concert – 3:00pm at the NPMB

Church. Admission is free, donations for Salvation Army accepted. See Coming Events bulletin board for details.

Dec 4 BreakOut Monday Group – 6:30-8:00pm at the church.

Dec 7 BreakOut Thursday Group – 6:30-8:00pm at the church.

Dec 9 Women's Ministry Christmas Event: Christmas in your

Jammies! 7:00-9:00pm See Church Family News or the

Ministries bulletin board for more details.

### Church Family News



**Congratulations to Lincoln and Rebecca Goertzen** on the birth of their daughter, Lyric Rosalie, born November 9, 2023 weighing 6lbs 7oz. Welcome to our church family, Lyric.

**John & Tina Thiessen are excited to announce the engagement** of their son, Edward Thiessen, to Grace Koop, daughter of Daryl & Samantha Koop! A December wedding is planned.

A Big Shout Out & Thank You to all the ladies who came out to make pierogies and to all those who helped serve downstairs at our Family Sunday.

-Janet Banman

**Trauma Workshop:** Gwen & Don invite you to join them on November 25th from 9am-12:30pm. Lunch will be provided. This workshop is for those supporting and/or dealing with past and present trauma. If you have any questions or for more information please contact gwen@npmbchurch.com or don@npmbchurch.com



There will be a 55+ games night this Saturday, November 25th at 7:00 p.m. in the coffee room at church. Please sign up on the sheet at the Welcome Centre. If you can bring some munchies for people to snack on that would be great (Some gluten free options would be appreciated). No Nuts Please! Some games will be provided for people to choose and play. If you wish to bring your own games to play and teach, you are welcome to do so. Any questions? Text Harold at 250-262-1912.

**Christmas Concert News!** Practices have begun! We have the musical ready to download so bring a thumb drive to the office and download the music so you can practice at home! "Fact or Fiction" practice for grades 2-8 is Saturdays from 10:00-11:30am. "Oh Little Sounds of Bethlehem" practice for Pre School—Grade 1 is Sundays between the services at 10:30am.

Christmas in your Jammies!: The NPMB Women's Ministry invites women and girls 8+ to an evening of Christmas Caroling, games, prayer, and treats. The event will take place December 9 from 7 PM-9 PM. We are inviting all participants to wear their cutest Christmas jammies! The winner of the contest will take home a prize! We are asking for volunteers to help make this event happen. If you can help with set up or decorating on the morning of the 9th, please contact the office or a member of the women's ministry team. Extra décor that you aren't using would be very appreciated! If you can bring a Christmas treat to share, please sign up at the Welcome Centre. General event sign up is also available at the Welcome Centre.

### Church Family News Cont...

**Jr. Youth Sponsors needed!** We are looking for both a male and female Jr. Youth sponsor to start at the beginning of January. Anyone interested, please contact Rosemarie (778-256-2065) or Nathanael (250-262-9765).

**Baby Bottle Drive reminder!** The baby bottle drive is done but filled bottles can still be returned to the church.

Mission Vision 2024: "Spur On To Love"- Planning has begun. Church Reps needed! If you would like to be our Church Rep please contact the church office and we will forward your info to the appropriate people.

### Missionary Corner

This campus year has been going by so fast for our campus ministry team in Edmonton! I can't believe it's already mid November and that there are only 3 weeks left until the winter exam season starts for students.



This week is called "reading week" for students in university, and they have a break in classes

to catch up with homework, reading, and assignments. It's a good time to catch up with students because of the break in their schedule.

We have been working through a series this semester with our students that deals with having a "performance narrative" mindset in the world of sports, but also how it can affect our spiritual life and being in a relationship with God, feeling like we always must perform for Him. One thing to pray for is a 4th year player on the women's soccer team who has started reading the Bible and praying for the first time in her life. One exciting praise item is that a member of our CFL Edmonton Elks football team has decided to follow Jesus after attending our chapels over the course of the last year.

Here is a link to his post and profile on Instagram. We are really praising God for his change of heart.

https://www.instagram.com/p/CzIKgefLTWi/?igshid=MTc4MmM1YmI2Ng==

Aaron & Megan Albu

### Prayer Needs

Please join us in praying for the ministry of the week: Northern Centre of Hope Shelter

**Note:** If you have a prayer request/praise item you would like to include in the bulletin, please contact the church office with the details.