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**TO KNOW CHRIST TO SHOW CHRIST  
TO SERVE CHRIST**

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**Sunday Oct 3, 2021**

### Welcome and Announcements

### Opening Prayer

**Praise Time** Are You Washed In The Blood?  
How Deep The Fathers Love

### Tithes and Offerings

### Congregational Prayer

**Scripture Reading** Judges 6:1-32

**Message** God's Call for His People to Clean House

### Service of Communion

Song of Preparation Lead Me To The Cross  
The Elements Bread and The Cup  
Benevolent Offering

**Closing Praise** 10000 Reasons

### Benediction

**Thanks be to God for His faithfulness to us and to all of you for continuing to support the work of Centennial Park Baptist Church!**

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## **PRAYER AND PRAISE - WEEK OF Oct 3, 2021**

### **Things to Praise God for:**

- \* **The Sovereign Lord is my strength.  
he makes my feet like the feet of a deer,  
he enables me to tread on the heights. Habakkuk 3:19**
- \* **Surely God is my salvation.  
I will trust and not be afraid.  
The Lord, the Lord himself, is my strength and my defense.  
he has become my salvation." Isaiah 12:2 NIV**
- \* **You will keep in perfect peace  
those whose minds are steadfast,  
because they trust in you. Isaiah 26:3 NIV**
- \* **The Lord gives strength to his people.  
the Lord blesses his people with peace. Psalm 29:11 NIV**
- \* **Great peace have those who love your law,  
and nothing can make them stumble. Psalm 119:165 NIV**

### **Prayer Items:**

- \*Please pray for all who are caring for family and friends who are sick or incapacitated.
- \*Please pray for our sister church First Baptist Church, Fort Erie.
- \*Please pray for our pastor and deacons as they shepherd our church.

Send prayer and praise items to [office\[at\]grimsbybaptist.org](mailto:office[at]grimsbybaptist.org)

**Therefore, confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective. - James 5:16 (NIV'84)**

## Centennial Park Baptist Church Events

### **Sunday Prayer Time – Sundays @ 9:30am**

Meet in the prayer room for a time of prayer to bring our praise and concerns to God together. If you have any prayer items, please contact Tina Kort.

### **Sunday Worship Service - Sundays @ 10:30am**

A time to gather as a church family to worship, pray, study God's word and encourage each other in our Christian walk. Kidz Church during the service for children after the first set of worship songs. Online service available on our website at [www.grimsbybaptist.org](http://www.grimsbybaptist.org) or [Centennial Park Baptist Church - YouTube](#)

### **Weekly Bible Study – Wednesdays @ 7-8:30pm**

Group Bible study time with Pastor Chris. Open discussion time as we look into God's word together.

### **Walking Club – Mondays & Thursdays @ 7:00pm**

Meet out front of the church for brisk walking and friendly conversation in our community. For more details contact Ross McCallum.

### **Prayer Meeting – 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the Month @ 10:00am**

Join us at the church as we meet to pray for our church, community, province, country and world needs. You don't need to pray out loud if you don't want to. Please join us and pray in your heart.

### **Communion – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month**

During our regular Sunday Worship on the first Sunday of the month we take time to celebrate communion together as a church family and remember Jesus' sacrifice on our behalf. As part of our worship, we also take up a benevolent offering during communion to help those in our midst and our local community who may have a special financial need.



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## Dinner is on You!

In the past we had people make extra meals (soup, casserole, meat pies, etc.) and put in our church freezer to have on hand for those who needed it during times of health crises or bereavement. If you would like to do this you can participate at any time just use a container that you don't need returned (dollar store or GBF has great items for

this). Label and date your cooked food and put in our freezer. Anyone who has a need can help themselves if there is something available as well. We will begin restocking now. This is a valuable help to many in our congregation during emergencies and time of extreme emotional pain. Please contact Karen if you need more information.

You will do everything you have promised.  
Lord, your love is eternal. Complete the work  
that you have begun.  
Psalm 138:8 (GNT)

## Thanksgiving Food Drive

Consider supporting the GBF over the next few weeks leading up to Thanksgiving on October 11<sup>th</sup>. Bring in your items and we will deliver to GBF.



Items most needed right now: Toilet Paper, Kleenex, Laundry Detergent, Dish Soap (Liquid), Children's Snacks (Granola Bars, Cookies, Fruit Cups, Crackers, Pudding Cups, Applesauce), Canned Meats, Canned Fish, Canned Stew/Chili, Pancake Mix and Syrup, Packaged Pasta and Rice (i.e., Sidekicks), Canned Fruit, Condiments (Ketchup, Mustard, Mayo, Salad Dressing, Cooking Oil), Coffee (Instant or Ground), Tea

## Great News – Did you Know?

On average, for every six gift-filled shoe boxes distributed, one child commits his or her life to Christ. Also, the 12.7 million children around the world that have come to faith through "The Greatest Journey", the 12-lesson discipleship and evangelism program offered to all shoe box recipients, has led to the creation of 1,000 new churches in 2020 alone!



**Shoeboxes are available today.**

## Monthly Prayer Meeting Tomorrow

**Monday October 4th**

**Time: 10:00 am**

**Location: Centennial Park Baptist Church**

**Please join us as we pray for the needs of our congregation and the world around us.**

Just a reminder to keep our CBOQ Church Prayer Partner in your prayers. We are praying for Fort Erie Baptist Church this year.



Lord, I have heard of your fame,  
I stand in awe of your deeds, Lord.  
Repeat them in our day,  
in our time make them known.  
in wrath remember mercy.  
Habakkuk 3:2 - NIV

## **Today's Scripture Reading:**

### **Judges 6:1-32**

Gideon

6 The Israelites did evil in the eyes of the Lord, and for seven years he gave them into the hands of the Midianites. 2 Because the power of Midian was so oppressive, the Israelites prepared shelters for themselves in mountain clefts, caves and strongholds. 3 Whenever the Israelites planted their crops, the Midianites, Amalekites and other eastern peoples invaded the country. 4 They camped on the land and ruined the crops all the way to Gaza and did not spare a living thing for Israel, neither sheep nor cattle nor donkeys. 5 They came up with their livestock and their tents like swarms of locusts. It was impossible to count them or their camels; they invaded the land to ravage it. 6 Midian so impoverished the Israelites that they cried out to the Lord for help.

7 When the Israelites cried out to the Lord because of Midian, 8 he sent them a prophet, who said, "This is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says: I brought you up out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery. 9 I rescued you from the hand of the Egyptians. And I delivered you from the hand of all your oppressors; I drove them out before you and gave you their land. 10 I said to you, 'I am the Lord your God; do not worship the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you live.' But you have not listened to me."

11 The angel of the Lord came and sat down under the oak in Ophrah that belonged to Joash the Abiezrite, where his son Gideon was threshing wheat in a winepress to keep it from the Midianites. 12 When the angel of the Lord appeared to Gideon, he said, "The Lord is with you, mighty warrior."

13 "Pardon me, my lord," Gideon replied, "but if the Lord is with us, why has all this happened to us? Where are all his wonders that our ancestors told us about when they said, 'Did not the Lord bring us up out of Egypt?' But now the Lord has abandoned us and given us into the hand of Midian."

14 The Lord turned to him and said, "Go in the strength you have and save Israel out of Midian's hand. Am I not sending you?"

15 "Pardon me, my lord," Gideon replied, "but how can I save Israel? My clan is the weakest in Manasseh, and I am the least in my family."

16 The Lord answered, "I will be with you, and you will strike down all the Midianites, leaving none alive."

17 Gideon replied, "If now I have found favor in your eyes, give me a sign that it is really you talking to me. 18 Please do not go away until I come back and bring my offering and set it before you."

And the Lord said, "I will wait until you return."

19 Gideon went inside, prepared a young goat, and from an ephah of flour he made bread without yeast. Putting the meat in a basket and its broth in a pot, he brought them out and offered them to him under the oak.

20 The angel of God said to him, "Take the meat and the unleavened bread, place them on this rock, and pour out the broth." And Gideon did so. 21 Then the angel of the Lord touched the meat and the unleavened bread with the tip of the staff that was in his hand. Fire flared from the rock, consuming the meat and the bread. And the angel of the Lord disappeared. 22 When Gideon realized that it was the angel of the Lord, he exclaimed, "Alas, Sovereign Lord! I have seen the angel of the Lord face to face!"

23 But the Lord said to him, "Peace! Do not be afraid. You are not going to die."

24 So Gideon built an altar to the Lord there and called it The Lord Is Peace. To this day it stands in Ophrah of the Abiezrites.

25 That same night the Lord said to him, "Take the second bull from your father's herd, the one seven years old. Tear down your father's altar to Baal and cut down the Asherah pole beside it. 26 Then build a proper kind of altar to the Lord your God on the top of this height. Using the wood of the Asherah pole that you cut down, offer the second bull as a burnt offering."

27 So Gideon took ten of his servants and did as the Lord told him. But because he was afraid of his family and the townspeople, he did it at night rather than in the daytime.

28 In the morning when the people of the town got up, there was Baal's altar, demolished, with the Asherah pole beside it cut down and the second bull sacrificed on the newly built altar!

29 They asked each other, "Who did this?"

When they carefully investigated, they were told, "Gideon son of Joash did it."

30 The people of the town demanded of Joash, "Bring out your son. He must die, because he has broken down Baal's altar and cut down the Asherah pole beside it."

31 But Joash replied to the hostile crowd around him, "Are you going to plead Baal's cause? Are you trying to save him? Whoever fights for him shall be put to death by morning! If Baal really is a god, he can defend himself when someone breaks down his altar." 32 So because Gideon broke down Baal's altar, they gave him the name Jerub-Baal that day, saying, "Let Baal contend with him."