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

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Sunday Sept 12, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer

Praise Time Your Grace Is Enough
Lord, I lift Your Name on High

Tithes and Offerings

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading Judges 2:6-3:11

Message Bad Worship – Bad Life

Closing Praise Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah
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 SEPT 12, 2021

Things to Praise God for:

- *The Lord is my strength and my shield;
my heart trusts in him, and he helps me.
My heart leaps for joy,
and with my song I praise him. Psalm 28:7 NIV
- * “The Lord is my strength and my defense;
he has become my salvation.
He is my God, and I will praise him,
my father’s God, and I will exalt him. Exodus 15:2 NIV
- * For you are not a God who is pleased with wickedness;
with you, evil people are not welcome. Psalm 5:4 NIV
- * Your ways, God, are holy.
What god is as great as our God? Psalm 77:13 NIV

Prayer Items:

- * Please pray for the upcoming election.
- * 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. There are activity bins available for children during the service for the summer. Online service available on the church website at www.grimsbybaptist.org or [Centennial Park Baptist Church's YouTube Channel](#).

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 and Thursdays @ 7 pm

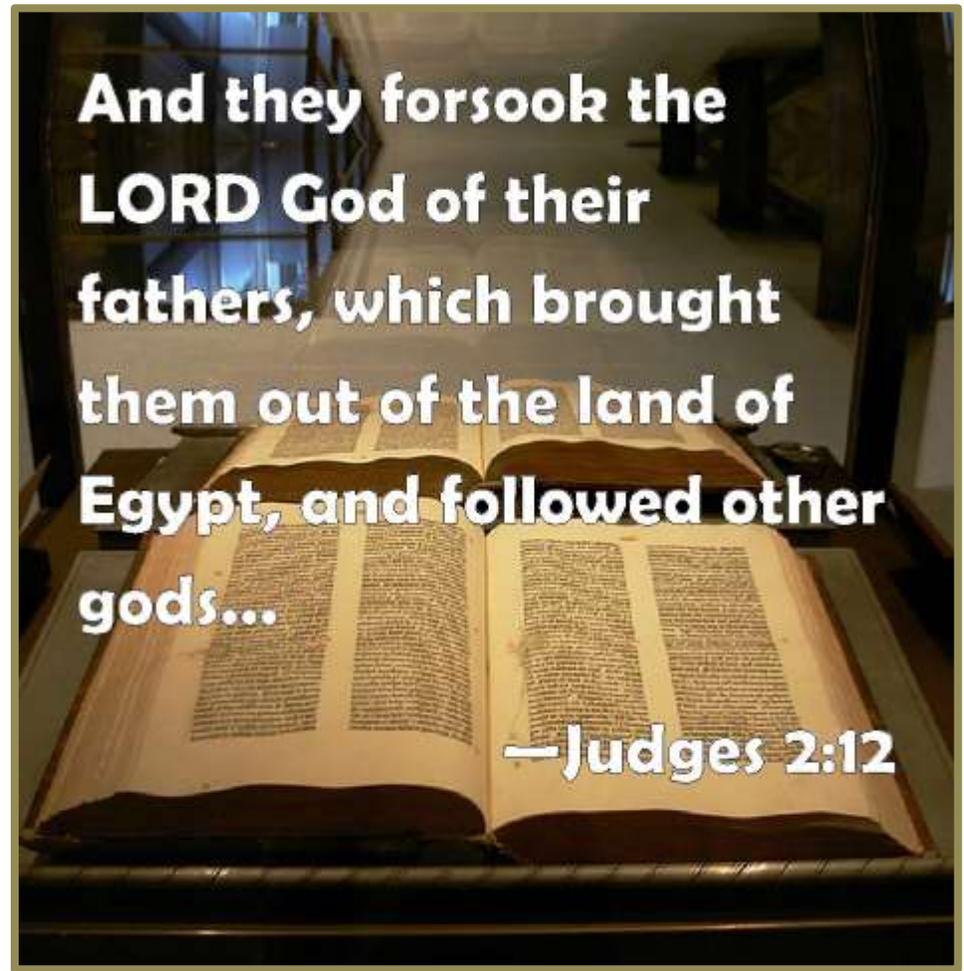
Meet out front of the church for brisk walking and friendly conversation in our community. For more details contact Ross McCallum.

Prayer Meeting – 1st 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 – 1st 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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Niagara Christian Gleaners

The Lord has been blessing the ministry of Niagara Christian Gleaners beyond words. We've had an amazing summer in many ways. Our produce supporters have not slowed down in sending us their extra produce and we've tirelessly worked through nearly 60% more produce than the same time last year! The need for food aid globally continues to escalate and we're challenged at the Gleaners to do all that we can as an extension of God's love and mercy in a hurting world. We have less than five pallets of dried food in our warehouse as recent containers to Africa, Haiti, Columbia and The Philippines are now on the seas.

Our valuable summer student volunteers have headed back to school. They have been an incredible help in getting all of this work done over the last couple of months and they will be missed. If you are able - please consider coming out for a morning (or more) so that we can effectively carry on with the work that needs to be done. The atmosphere is pleasant and we love being able to introduce new volunteers to the mission and goals of NCG. **Please check us out at www.niagaragleaners.org and consider how you, your friends and your family could get involved in something amazing and impactful.** May God be praised as we commit the work of the Gleaners as an offering of praise to Him.

SHOE BOXES – SAMARITAN'S PURSE

It's getting closer to the time that we remember children across the sea through the shoe box ministry.

School supplies are on the store shelves at good prices, especially at the Superstore to help you get a good start to filling your box for that special child. Boxes will be available soon!



Niagara Hamilton Association Business Meeting

When: Saturday September 25, 2021

Where: Centennial Park Baptist Church, Grimsby

Time: 9:00am (Register at 8:30am)

Everyone is welcome to attend but please contact the office before September 18th to let us know you're coming. At the meeting there will be a budget presentation, slate of current officers and presentation of the revised constitution and bylaw for the NHA. There will also be updates on Camp Oneida and Matthew House.

Galatians 6:2 (NIV'84)

2 Carry each other's burdens, and in this way, you will fulfill the law of Christ.

Join the Weekly Bible Study on Judges

When: Wednesdays

Time: 7:00-8:30pm

Location: Centennial Park Baptist Church

Please contact Pastor Chris for more details.

Today's Scripture Reading:

Judges 2:6-3:11

Disobedience and Defeat

6 After Joshua had dismissed the Israelites, they went to take possession of the land, each to their own inheritance. 7 The people served the Lord throughout the lifetime of Joshua and of the elders who outlived him and who had seen all the great things the Lord had done for Israel.

8 Joshua son of Nun, the servant of the Lord, died at the age of a hundred and ten. 9 And they buried him in the land of his inheritance, at Timnath Heres in the hill country of Ephraim, north of Mount Gaash.

10 After that whole generation had been gathered to their ancestors, another generation grew up who knew neither the Lord nor what he had done for Israel. 11 Then the Israelites did evil in the eyes of the Lord and served the Baals. 12 They forsook the Lord, the God of their ancestors, who had brought them out of Egypt. They followed and worshiped various gods of the peoples around them. They aroused the Lord's anger 13 because they forsook him and served Baal and the Ashtoreths. 14 In his anger against Israel the Lord gave them into the hands of raiders who plundered them. He sold them into the hands of their enemies all around, whom they were no longer able to resist. 15 Whenever Israel went out to fight, the hand of the Lord was against them to defeat them, just as he had sworn to them. They were in great distress.

16 Then the Lord raised up judges, who saved them out of the hands of these raiders. 17 Yet they would not listen to their judges but prostituted themselves to other gods and worshiped them. They quickly turned from the ways of their ancestors, who had been obedient to the Lord's commands. 18 Whenever the Lord raised up a judge for them, he was with the judge and saved them out of the hands of their enemies as long as the judge lived; for the Lord relented because of their groaning under those who oppressed and afflicted them. 19 But when the judge died, the people returned to ways even more corrupt than those of their ancestors, following other gods and serving and worshiping them. They refused to give up their evil practices and stubborn ways.

20 Therefore the Lord was very angry with Israel and said, "Because this nation has violated the covenant I ordained for their ancestors and has not listened to me, 21 I will no longer drive out before them any of the nations Joshua left when he died. 22 I will use them to test Israel and see whether they will keep the way of the Lord and walk in it as their ancestors did." 23 The Lord had allowed those nations to remain; he did not drive them out at once by giving them into the hands of Joshua.

3 These are the nations the Lord left to test all those Israelites who had not experienced any of the wars in Canaan 2 (he did this only to teach warfare to the descendants of the Israelites who had not had previous battle experience): 3 the five rulers of the Philistines, all the Canaanites, the Sidonians, and the Hivites living in the Lebanon mountains from Mount Baal Hermon to Lebo Hamath. 4 They were left to test the Israelites to see whether they would obey the Lord's commands, which he had given their ancestors through Moses.

5 The Israelites lived among the Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites. 6 They took their daughters in marriage and gave their own daughters to their sons, and served their gods.

Othniel

7 The Israelites did evil in the eyes of the Lord; they forgot the Lord their God and served the Baals and the Asherahs. 8 The anger of the Lord burned against Israel so that he sold them into the hands of Cushan-Rishathaim king of Aram Naharaim, to whom the Israelites were subject for eight years. 9 But when they cried out to the Lord, he raised up for them a deliverer, Othniel son of Kenaz, Caleb's younger brother, who saved them. 10 The Spirit of the Lord came on him, so that he became Israel's judge and went to war. The Lord gave Cushan-Rishathaim king of Aram into the hands of Othniel, who overpowered him. 11 So the land had peace for forty years, until Othniel son of Kenaz died.