



A WORD FROM OUR PASTOR

Hi! It is my joy and my honour to be the Pastor of Bethany Baptist Church. I love God's church, which is God's primary tool to bring the message of his glorious kingdom of love, justice, order, and beauty to His people and to the world. It is my privilege to live into that call every day.

I cordially invite you to attend our Sunday worship service, which starts at 10:00 a.m. Our Communion Service is held the first Sunday of the month.

We enjoy both traditional music and contemporary Christian songs. We hope you will join us next Sunday.

Feel free to contact the office or email me at pastor@bethanybaptistchurch.ca.

Pastor Maryann Turcott



OUR LOCATION



We are at 382 Centrepointe Drive, near the corner of Baseline Road and Cobden Road.

Access to our carpark is from Centrepointe Drive.

Our Office hours are
9 am to 1 pm Monday to Friday
(Closed for public holidays)

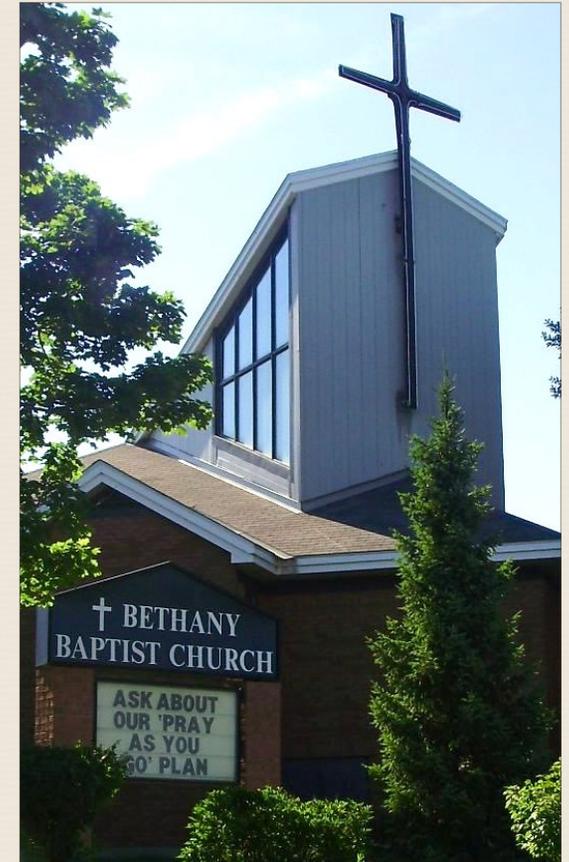
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LONGING FOR HOPE?



Bethany Baptist Church





Longing for hope or seeking salvation? Take refuge in the Lord and find the hope and salvation you need.

Our church takes its name from a village often mentioned in the Gospels, which is very closely linked to the ministry of Jesus.

Bethany was located on the southeastern slope of the Mount of Olives, about three kilometres east of Jerusalem.

The name comes from an ancient Syriac word meaning *house of affliction* or *poor-house*, which indicates the village had become a place of refuge for providing care and support to the sick and destitute. It would also have guided pilgrims on their way to the temple in Jerusalem, as it was a mere *Sabbath day's journey* away. (John 11:18, Acts 1:12).

Bethany is the inspiration for our community. We aspire to be a place of refuge for those seeking hope and a guide to those who seek salvation in the Lord.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE ALONE

"I will search for the lost and bring back the strays. I will bind up the injured and strengthen the weak" (Ezekiel 34:16). After two years of lockdowns and restrictions many people feel lost, afraid, and despairing. Many are looking for hope, some are even beginning to thirst for righteousness. If you feel beaten down, let us raise you up. If you are seeking salvation, let us guide you on your path.



OUR CHURCH COMMUNITY

The first groups of Christians met in people's homes for worship, but they also provided support in times of oppression (Acts 12:12). Jesus promised to call disciples out of the world and establish an assembly (Matthew 16:18). Our church is part of that assembly. Joining us will connect you to a local Christian community of people assembled from around the world ready to give support.



Baptist churches are self-governing communities of baptized believers



From earliest church times deacons have played a vital leadership and support role

WORSHIP: TOGETHER WITH SONG

Our Sunday service begins at 10 am. Our doors are open to everyone, so feel free to attend in person - just come as you are! Baptists have no formal creed, so our worship is more relaxed with our worship band bringing a mix of traditional hymns and contemporary gospel music. As a Christian ministry we also strive to give hope, guidance, and encouragement to all who seek the path to the Lord.



Our worship is conducted by the Pastor and a worship leader directs our singing



Join with us to sing classic hymns and modern gospel songs in mutual worship

BAPTIST CHURCH ORDINANCES

As Baptists we practice the two ordinances commanded by Jesus during His ministry, *Communion*, celebrated on the first Sunday of every month, and *Believer's Baptism*. Christians have practised full immersion baptism as a rite of initiation into the church and the community of faith from the very beginning. It is also one very important way to become a full member of our community.



Join with us in partaking in the Lord's Supper, first Sunday of every month



Baptism is a public confession of repentance and faith in the Lord