

Richmond Hill Baptist Church

Connecting with God, His Word, His Church, His Mission

Prelude

Prayer at the Altar

Call to Worship

God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

Baptism: Maria Magbanua

Welcome

Worship in Song

Angels We Have Heard on High

Joy to the World

I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day

All Who are Thirsty

Children's Corner: Lighting the Advent Wreath

Offering Prayer and Announcements

Offertory

Mary, Did You Know

Sermon: *Unwrapping Christmas: Lessons from the Lineage of Christ. Four Women Matthew 1*

Dr. Shane Spannagel, Senior Pastor

Response Song

This is Our God

Postlude

Angels We Have Heard on High

Richmond Hill encourages families to worship together. We offer Children's Bulletins for children age 5 to 12 in the church foyer. There is childcare during worship for babies through 4 years downstairs in the Preschool area.

Please feel free to sit or join us in standing as we worship.

CHRISTMAS TREE CUTTING TODAY, December 4 in the Sibbald Flats area. Meet at McDonald's on Highway 1, across from Canada Olympic Park at 2:00 pm.

WOMEN'S QUILTING BEE Tuesday, December 6, 2011 at 9:15 am at Ruth Ann's home. RSVP to Ruth Ann at 403-249-4142.

AMBASSADORS AND VICTORY CONNECT CLASS CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION: Saturday, December 10, 2011 at 5:00 pm Please join us and bring your family and friends for food, fellowship and a great music program. We'll serve a variety of hot and cold hors d'oeuvres. Sign up at the Information and pay Pat DeFoe - \$5.00 cost/person.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION CHOIR CONCERT next Sunday, December 11 at 10:30 am.

OCC WAREHOUSE GROUP VOLUNTEERING Tuesday, Dec. 13. Those registered, meet at the Samaritan's Purse warehouse at 20 Hopewell Way NE by 6:35 pm to sort and pack OCC (Operation Christmas Child) shoebox gifts.

FAMILY CHRISTMAS PARTY Sunday, December 18, 3—6 pm skating, sledding, caroling! At the Battalion Park Rink on Sienna Park Drive.

LOTTIE MOON OFFERING FOR INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS Please see the enclosed Prayer Guide and Offering Envelope.

CHRISTMAS LOVE OFFERING: will be received for all church staff to express our appreciation for their service and dedication. Please use the envelope enclosed last Sunday with the red heart (and note your offering envelope number for a tax receipt). From the total love offering received, the Personnel Committee will determine the amount given to each staff. This offering will be collected today and next Sunday.

CHRISTMAS DAY CAROLING AND DINNER: Irene & Gene Huber would like to invite anyone (single or families) to join them to go caroling at the Brentwood Nursing Home at 2 pm on Christmas Day. This is a gift to those who do not get to leave the nursing home and a personal blessing. Following the caroling, you are invited to the Hubers for a fun Christmas afternoon and potluck dinner (turkey provided). If you cannot come to both part of the afternoon, that is fine too. The Hubers wish to reach as many as possible who are looking for fellowship and/or service on Christmas Day. Please sign up at the Information Centre or call Irene & Gene at 403-284-1071 or email at huber@ucalgary.ca

Today

Worship Team Practice 8:00am

Connect Classes 9:15 am

Worship Service 10:30am

Monday

Spannagel Home Group 7:00 pm

Latilo Home Group 7:00 pm

Tuesday

No Women's Bible Studies

Church Council 5:00 pm

Wednesday

Fast Home Group 10:00 am

Praise Team 6:00 pm,

Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm

Thursday

ESL 9:30 am

Ambassadors' Study 1:30 pm

Women's Bible Study 1:30 pm

Stott/Likely Home Group 7:00 pm

Friday

Youth: Impact @ RHBC 7:00 pm

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Birthdays this Week

Thomas Kuhn (4), Grant Likely (4), Sarah Kalmanovitch (6), Bruce Blough (7), Derek Lian (7), Jenny Carr (11) Chelsea Deren (11) Joanne Dryer (11)

If we missed your birthday, please call the church office and we will update our records.

THIS WEEK (Dec 4)

CHILDCARE

Babies: Gwen G, Breanna M
Toddlers: Gayle D, Josephine R
Preschool: Jane C, Taylor S

GREETERS

9 am: Gene H, Irene H
10 am: Derek L, Carol L
Info Centre: Tanis R, Josephine T

COFFEE SET-UP

Tim C

COFFEE CLEAN-UP

Laura S, Dorothea D

TELLERS

John J, Bunmi L, Willa K

DEACON ON CALL

Bunmi L

NEXT WEEK (Dec 11)

CHILDCARE

Babies: Ligia C, Carol L
Toddlers: Jennifer P, Katherine A
Preschool: Marisa S, Ellen Sp.

GREETERS

9 am: Eugene K, Willa K
10 am: Jeff S, Jody S
Info Centre: John E, Debbie E

COFFEE SET-UP

Kay K

COFFEE CLEAN-UP

John S, Ruth Ann S

TELLERS

Glenn B, Brian S, Bunmi L

DEACON ON CALL

Patrick D, Gayle D

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

Connect Classes 162

Worship 267

CHURCH GIVING & INCOME

Last Sunday \$ 9,111

Month to date \$49,945

DONATION TAX RECIEPTS:

The church issues tax receipts for all eligible donations. Please call the office if you wish to have envelopes.

Sunday, December 4, 2011

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**Unwrapping Christmas: Lessons from the Lineage of Christ
Four Women**

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Tamar

Matthew 1:3
Genesis 38

Rahab

Matthew 1:5
Joshua 2,6

Ruth

Matthew 1:5-6
Ruth

Bathsheba

Matthew 1:6
2 Samuel 11

Why would Matthew include these four women in the lineage of Christ?

Answer:

Guests:

Please complete the **Connect Card** in the seat pocket in front of you and place it in the offering plate so we can better serve you.

Please visit our **Information Centre** in the foyer where you will find more information about RHBC and our ministries.

Join our Family:

By Baptism- If you have trusted Jesus Christ as your personal Saviour and have not been baptized by immersion, we will receive you as a candidate for baptism.

By Transfer of Membership- If you are a Christian who was baptized by immersion after conversion we will accept you as candidates for membership with a letter from a former church.

By Statement- If it is not possible to get a letter of certification from a former church, you may be accepted as a candidate for membership based on a statement that you are a Christian who was baptized by immersion after conversion.

If you have questions about salvation, baptism or church membership, please indicate on the Connect Card or call the church office.

Richmond Hill BAPTIST CHURCH



PASTORAL STAFF

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