

Pleasantville Baptist Church Newsletter

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Hello everyone,

This Sunday we will finish the series on the attributes of God by looking at the goodness of God. How is God great and good at the same time? Our service starts at 10:30am. The Alsmen will also be singing this week.

Also, in light of the recent surge in cases, we will be practicing social distancing and guiding you as you come into the church and as you leave. We are not going to have groups

gather and socialize until things settle down, and then we will let you know the changes. If you do need to count the offering, practice music, or wait for someone, then please stay in your seat after the service until everyone is dismissed before you do what you need to do. We want to make sure the congregation stays safe.

We would also note that our church, including any leaders or pastor, was not associated in any way with the recent outbreak that has been linked to a faith gathering. There has not been a single case of Covid linked with anyone of the 450 churches in our Baptist Convention. Here is link to a story on Global News affirming that the Convention was not involved in any way.

<https://globalnews.ca/news/8381021/baptists-of-atlantic-canada-amherst-church-covid-19-outbreak/>

SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER TIME

Sunday morning prayer time continues this Sunday at 9:30am.

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY

Continues next Wednesday, 7:00pm. Details below.

HEAR OUR VOICES - PANEL DISCUSSION

This was the discussion at Oasis this summer on anti-black racism and also looking at some of the history of black churches in Nova Scotia and also hearing from members in the Black community about present day experiences. Below is the link where you can watch it.

<https://vimeo.com/586724603>

OFFERING

The offering for this last Sunday was \$1661.05, including offering and e-transfers.

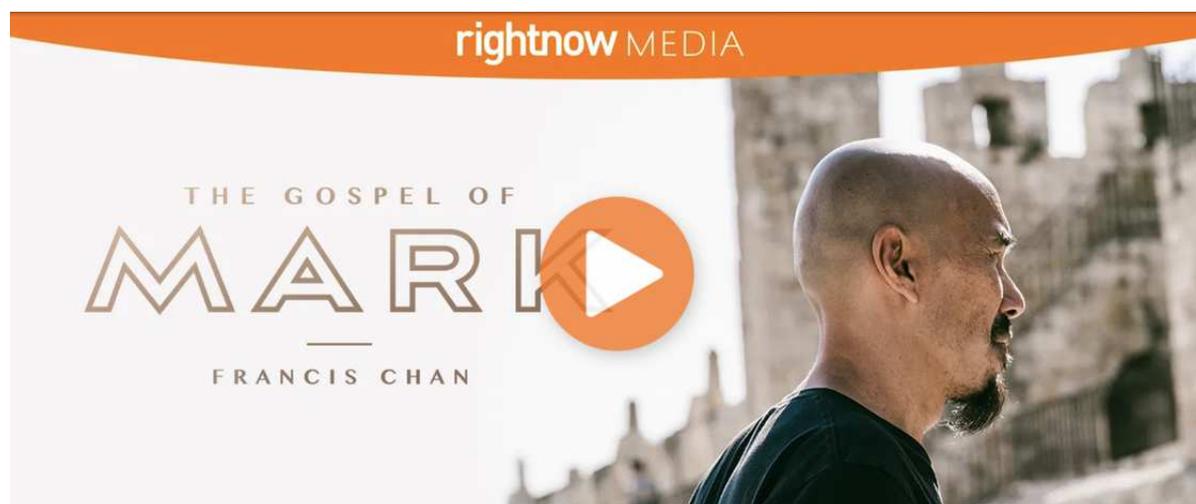
VOLUNTEERS THIS SUNDAY

Junior Church - Jean Haughn & Zoe Haughn

Attendance Table - Cheryl Foley

Church Cleaning Before Sunday - John & Audrey Manzer

Tellers - Richard Levy, Martin Bell



Small Group Bible Studies

Small groups continues next Wednesday evening, at 7:00pm.

We were looking at doing it in person, but due to the rising number of cases, we will start the study online and monitor how things are going.

The Gospel of Mark chronicles Jesus's journey from Galilee to Jerusalem. Along the way, the Messiah gathers a ragged band of disciples. As crowds grow and dwindle on the road to Jerusalem, only a few stick by the Suffering Savior on the road of discipleship.

In this 11-part series on the Gospel of Mark, author and speaker **Francis Chan** invites us to walk with him along the ancient ways of the Master. Tracing the steps of Jesus and the Twelve through Israel, Francis explores the major themes of the **Gospel of Mark**, and asks: Are we willing to take this journey to embrace discipleship?

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 894 4485 2247

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BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

Nov 24 - Julia LeBlanc

Nov 26 - Marguerite Larkin

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

Nov 24 - David & Marguerite Larkin

When God hits you with “be still and know I’m God” on isle 4 of Walmart



“What is worldliness? — That system of values, in any given age, which has at its center our fallen human perspective, which displaces God and

his truth from the world, and which makes sin look normal and righteousness seem strange. It thus gives great plausibility to what is morally wrong and, for that reason, makes what is wrong seem normal.” -
David F. Wells



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