Upcoming Events and Activities

Impactus Men's Conference

Each year, Promise Keepers Canada hosts a one-day conference in Ottawa designed to help men grow in their faith. This year's theme is 'Rooted,' based upon Col. 2:6-7, and will take place Saturday, Feb. 22nd from 8:30 am – 4:30 pm at Bethel Pentecostal Church in Nepean. Early bird registration at a cost of \$60 per person ends on February 3rd, after which admission costs will rise to \$70 before the event, and \$75 at the door. Google 'Impactus Ottawa 2025' for more info.

Men's Chili Cookoff

Got a chili recipe that can warm up a cold winter's night? Wesley Community Church is hosting a men's chili cookoff on Friday, February 7th. Please contact David Yuke to register at: 613-639-9618 or davidyuke_9@hotmail.com.

Interested in Baptism?

TBC is planning to hold a baptism service before the end of March. If you have been personally considering baptism yourself, or have questions about what is involved, please contact Pastor Tim, as he would be thrilled to have a conversation with you on the subject.

NEXT SUNDAY AT TRAILHEAD:

Eternal Destinies (2 Thessalonians 1:5-12)

Trailhead's Weekly Ministries

TBC Weekly Prayer Group	Monday evenings, 7 pm
TBC Men's Study	Tuesday evenings, 7 pm
TBC Ladies' Study	Wednesday mornings, 9:30 am
Co-Ed Small Group	Thursday evenings, 7:30 pm



Sunday morning Weekly Worship 10:30 am at The Silver Threads Club 1163 Victoria Street, Petawawa

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"Righteous Evidence"

The Letter of 2nd Thessalonians, pt. 1 2nd Thess. 1:1-5

Pastor Tim Roddick

Sunday, February 2nd, 2025

Welcome to Trailhead Baptist Church

Trailhead Baptist Church's Mission

Trailhead Baptist Church exists as a church family focused upon inviting people to know and follow Jesus Christ within a supportive community of believers.

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Our Trailhead family has FREE access to over 25,000 faith-based videos created for adults, youth, and children, that can easily be accessed through your personal tablet, home computer, or mobile phone. Simply scan the following QR code below, or request an email invite from Pastor Tim, to create your own free account and begin streaming!



Supporting Trailhead Financially

There are two ways to personally give to support Trailhead:

- a) By placing your donation into a provided envelope, and depositing it in the black metal collection box located on Trailhead's welcome table.
- b) By means of an e-transfer, directed to the email: office@trailheadbaptist.com. Additional details concerning how one can give in this way, may be found on Trailhead's website under the 'giving' tab.

<u>Please note</u>: All monetary givings will be deposited into TBC's general fund, and annual tax receipts provided should the donor be identified on their cheque or envelope; with the exception of monies designated for TBC's 'Benevolent Fund.'

"Righteous Evidence" (2nd Thess. 1:1-5) The Letter of 2nd Thessalonians, pt. 1 Sunday, February 2nd, 2025

Sermon Summary

- Paul, Silas and Timothy give thanks to God, that: 1) the faith
 of the Thessalonians is growing abundantly; and 2) the love
 of every believer within the church is increasing as well.
- Before we can ever hope to grow in our faith, we first need to develop a proper understanding of who God is.
- When we, in faith, trust in the Lord, and personally experience His own faithfulness; such an experience naturally develops in us a greater desire to faithfully trust in the Lord even more.
- The Thessalonians' ability to 'grow in faith' and 'increase in love,' is not humanly possible without God's sovereign work and intervention.
- God's kingdom is not the source of the Thessalonians' suffering; but the church's belief and inclusion within this kingdom is arguably the reason for which they suffer.
- Are the Thessalonians being persecuted due to the righteous judgment of God, or should we consider instead, that their ability to remain steadfast in their faith amidst persecution is evidence of the righteous judgment of God.
- Judgment doesn't have to be thought of as negative in nature; judgment can actually possess a positive outcome, and be cause for celebration.
- When we suffer, we should consider ourselves to be suffering for the sake of the kingdom of God... personally suffering for the sake of Christ; and that's not a punishment, that's a privilege.

A growing faith IN Jesus Christ enables us to increasingly live LIKE Jesus Christ.