



40 days

ON MISSION

IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD

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WELCOME TO FAC!

New or Visiting?

We're glad you're here! Stop by "NEXT" in **Meeting Place 2** after the service – we'd love to meet you.

Need Prayer?

Prayer teams are available at the front after the service, or fill out the attached **Contact Card**.

Get Connected

We'd love to help you get connected! Visit **faccalgary.com/smallgroups** or fill out the attached **Contact Card**.

DISCOVERYLAND KIDS

Do you love kids? We have a need for volunteers in our Early Childhood and Preschool classrooms at our Sunday 9:15 and 11:15 services. Contact Crystal Sylvester csylvester@faccalgary.com/403-258-8293.

STUDENTS

For full student ministries (Grades 7-12) service times and event details visit faccalgary.com/students.

SONG WRITERS' FELLOWSHIP

Calling all songwriters, poets and lyricists! Join us for an opportunity to seek connection and feedback while we write together. **Saturday, February 26** at 7:00 pm in the Rehearsal Room; no cost. Contact Jayne Luy, Artist in Residence, jluy@faccalgary.com.

REFORMATION TRIP

In 2017, the world celebrates the 500th anniversary of the Protestant Reformation. The Ambrose Reformation 500 Tour will explore and celebrate the German and Swiss Reformations from July 26-August 10, 2017. To find out more visit the table on Main Street after the services or contact Dr. Bernie Van De Walle bvandewalle@faccalgary.com.

CAMP CHAMISALL

Summer camp of the Christian & Missionary Alliance for Southern Alberta, located about 100 km north-west of Calgary at the foot of the Canadian Rockies. Each summer they offer 8 camps and registration is now open. For more info and to register visit campchamisall.com.

Opportunities to be On Mission



COMMUNITY IMPACT

Through various teams and partnerships in Calgary, we want to share the love of Christ in our city in practical ways, and make a long-term difference in the lives of Calgarians. Be part of the ripple effect ... get involved in Community Impact!



Contact Pastor Al Hall to learn more:
ahall@faccalgary.com/403-212-8842

WAYS TO SERVE AT FAC

Communion Server: We celebrate communion once/month and require servers at each service.

Service Translator: Translate the 9:15 am Sunday service from English into French.



Contact Cindy Bartlett to learn more:
serve@faccalgary.com/403-258-4355

TRAVEL WITH A PURPOSE

Ever considered volunteering during your personal vacation? Spend a week teaching English, join a prayer team to a creative access country, participate in construction projects, etc.



Contact Pastor Craig to learn more:
globalimpact@faccalgary.com/403-258-7274

A more extensive list of On Mission Opportunities is available at the Sanctuary exits or at the kiosks at the north and south ends of Main Street.

Service Times (& Translations)

Saturdays 6:30 pm

Sundays 9:15 am (Spanish)

11:15 am (Farsi & Mandarin)



One Woman's Story



I was no stranger to dysfunction growing up. When I was a child I was abused and as a young teenager, raped. These were a few of many factors that made me vulnerable to exploitation. I began working for an escort agency when I was 18. Involvement in this industry led me from self-exploitation to pimp-exploitation and being trafficked against my knowledge or will. I was forced to work on the street. Everything I ate or smoked or any movement was controlled. **I had to escape as the violence escalated.** With

the help of another woman being prostituted, I did.

I ended up back in the sex industry, as my understanding of healthy belonging had become so distorted. By choice I began distancing myself from the toxic things within my life and decided to have a baby. I am on a continued journey of healing and transformation. Recovery from trauma, addiction, and exploitation is an important part of my story. CHILL, a local non-profit, has become part of my story; for the first time ever I felt valued as a person and for my experiences. **The CHILL team introduced me to Jesus and I have received His continual healing and freedom.** There has been a lifting of my soul and I do not feel the heaviness I once did. I love what Jesus is doing in my life. I am finding my identity in Jesus.

- CHILL (Christ Heals In Low Light) is committed to offering hope and healing to those trapped in the web of human trafficking right here in Calgary. Want to learn how you can help? Visit **www.chill.community**



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**EVERYONE
EVERYWHERE
ALL THE TIME**



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FEBRUARY GIVING UPDATE

	YTD Budget	Received	Shortfall
General	\$3,487,840	\$3,087,944	\$399,896
Capital/Debt	\$ 550,473	\$ 408,523	\$141,950
Missions	\$ 598,958	\$ 499,261	\$99,697
Total	\$4,637,271	\$3,995,729	\$641,542

2016 Tax Receipts are now available for pick-up at the north entrance. Receipts not picked up by **Monday, February 27** will be mailed out. Have questions? Please contact John Siebring jsiebring@faccalgary.com /403-212-8850.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

In Hospital: Stella Jacobson, Marion Quiring, Elizabeth Stahl, Chris Taksas. For updates, please contact Anne Freeman afreeman@faccalgary.com/403-258-8290.

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