

First Alliance

a christian & missionary alliance church

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Weekend Services

Saturdays 6:30 pm
Sundays 9:15 & 11:15 am
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Congregational Care

In Hospital/Care: Gayle Capon, Kim Downs-Mitchell, Tayla Gerber, Susan Gregoire, Jesse & Micah Lam, Shirley Hill For updates, please contact Anne Freeman afreeman@faccalgary.com/403-258-8290.

February Giving *(as of Feb. 25)*

	Budget to Feb. 29/16	Received	Required
General	\$3,570,524	\$3,382,521	\$188,003
Capital/Debt	731,973	503,998	277,975
Missions	635,123	563,127	71,996

Tax receipts are available for pick-up at the North Entrance THIS WEEKEND ONLY. All receipts not picked up will be mailed out on Monday, February 29. Contact Jigs Gonzales 403-212-8850/ jgonzales@faccalgary.com.

Inspired to Serve



For many months I had been asking God to reveal a personal ministry for me; the Micah 6:8 initiative as part of the *40 Days in the Word* series gave me the push I needed to take the next step. I contacted Pastor Ray Matheson and asked if I could help people who randomly call the church office each week in need of financial or personal assistance, and he agreed. The first person I had the opportunity to serve was a struggling addict to whom I was able to deliver a gift card – and I took the opportunity to deliver the gospel as well. I was also invited to deliver some meals prepared by Harvest Ministries to an elderly woman and listened to her share about her life and reminisce with her about “the good old days.”

It feels great to be following God's prompting to serve in whatever capacity He reveals as the top priority in my life, and to bring joy and assistance to those in need. I hope to make living out Micah 6:8 more than just a one-time project, but an ongoing part of my life.

– Darryl McKinnon

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He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the LORD require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. (Micah 6:8)

THE PLAYERS

THE CHALLENGERS

FEBRUARY 27/28, 2016

MARK 14:53-65



WELCOME!

New or Visiting?

Feel free to fill out a **Contact Card** in the seat back in front of you, or stop by the **Info Desk** – we'd love to answer any questions you have, and we have a coupon for you to enjoy a Café/Bistro drink as our guest! Visit us online: faccalgary.com.

Need Prayer?

After every service, our prayer team is available at the front of the Sanctuary. You can also ask for prayer through the **Contact Card** located in the seat back, call our prayer hotline **1-877-677-2948**, or visit faccalgary.com/prayer anytime.

Get Connected!

We'd love to help you get connected with a small group for regular Bible study, prayer, and community! Drop by the **Connect Desk** this weekend or contact Janelle Emery jemery@faccalgary.com/403-258-8289.

Building lives that honour God*all for Jesus!*

Community Impact

Food Drive: Let's continue to be a "Micah 6:8" church by helping to meet the increasing need for food hampers in our community – we'll be collecting non-perishable items for the Calgary Food Bank March 12-20; wish lists and bags will be available March 5/6.

Grow

Resolving Everyday Conflict: An 8-week course on practical, Biblical ways to maintain unity with co-workers, family and friends offered Thursdays, 7:00-9:00 pm in Room 255 starting March 3. Cost: \$20; register online or at Cornerstone Marketplace.

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DiscoveryLand

We're sad to announce the resignation of our Administrator, Cindy Duffin, effective March 31, 2016. She's been a valued team member, and will be truly missed.

Employment Opportunity: We're currently hiring a Children's Ministry Administrator (30 hrs/week). A full job description and application details are available online: faccalgary.com/employment. Contact Cathie Hall chall@faccalgary.com/403-258-7249.

Students

Grade 5&6 will meet Easter weekend (March 26/27)! **Jr. High Students:** There will be no JHS on March 5 due to the retreat, and we will join the main services March 26/27.

Sr. High Students: Join us Wednesdays, 7:00 pm in the Gym! **Young Adults:** Sports & Board Games Night February 27, 8:15 pm, Gym. *To learn more, contact Sara Vanderveen 403-212-8849/svanderveen@faccalgary.com, visit faccalgary.com/students or stop by the Information Desk after the service.*

Serve Opportunities

PreSchool Small Group Leaders:

Help provide a safe and fun environment for 5-year-olds to discover God at the Sunday 11:15 service. Sound like the role for you? Contact Jenn Limacher 403-723-6391/jlimacher@faccalgary.com.

Grade School Small Group Leaders:

Encourage Grade School children to a deeper understanding of God in DiscoveryLand during the Saturday 6:30 pm or Sunday 11:15 am services! Contact Jen Jantzen 403-258-4358/jjantzen@faccalgary.com.

Making Room

In anticipation of increased attendance leading up to Easter, **please sit towards the centre of the row** to leave open seats on the aisles for late guests, especially at the Sunday 11:15 am service. This simple move makes it easier for those looking for a seat.

Women2Women

Girls' Night Out: Ladies, are you feeling the winter "blahs"? Plan to join us for dinner and a movie in the Harvest Rooms on Friday, March 11! Invite some friends to join you for a fun, relaxed evening with other women at FAC. Doors will open at 6:00 pm; dinner served at 6:30 pm. Tickets: \$15 available online or at Cornerstone Marketplace.

NEED TO KNOW

Alpha

Wanting to explore Christianity? Are you new to church, or just wanting a safe place to ask questions about life and faith? Alpha is for everyone! Join us for dinner and discussion Thursdays, 6:30 pm in the Harvest Rooms, March 31-May 19, 2016. NO COST. Registration is required, available online or through Cornerstone Marketplace. **Spanish & Mandarin Alpha also offered.** To learn more, contact alpha@faccalgary.com/403-252-7572.

Weekend Resources

Wanting to dig deeper with the current teaching series? Visit facthisweek.com for easy access to the bulletin, teaching notes and all sorts of other resources including service video archives – or download our free **FAC Experience app** available for Apple and Android devices! Stay connected ... we've got you covered.

