

**Financial Update:**

	For month of September	July 1– Sept. 30 2024
Received into General Fund	\$ 92,750.00	\$ 284,650.00
General fund expenses	\$ 92,150.00	\$ 274,100.00

Ways to give to support the work at ACC

Sunday Mornings—Offering boxes are located on back wall of sanctuary and at the Connect Centre.

Debit/Credit machine available at Connect Centre.

During the week—A drop box is located on the exterior of the building, or in-house during office hours.

Etransfer - [giving@alliancecommunitychurch.ca](mailto:giving@alliancecommunitychurch.ca)  
Make sure we have your full name & contact information.

Credit card online—RebelGive  
(online resource: link available on website).

**ROOM TO GROW** New build campaign

Donations to date (as at Sept. 30, 2024 )	\$ 1,789,700.00
Balance in new build account	\$ 50,350.00
Balance owing—loan due to District	\$ 0.00
Mortgage paid in full July 31, 2024	

# LIVING IN THE LIGHT

October 24 &amp; 27, 2024

1 John 2:28-3:24

## Welcome NEWCOMERS & VISITORS

We're glad you're here! As a local church, we strive to be a community who are seeking God together. Hopefully through the songs, prayers, teaching of scripture and friendships, you find yourself taking some important steps forward in your relationship with the Lord.

Scan to fill in a CONNECT CARD online!  
(Hard copy available at Connect Centre)

Please stop by the CONNECT CENTRE

before you leave today and receive a welcome gift.

Our volunteers will be there to answer any questions you may have.



**Please note:** the 9:00am Sunday service is livestreamed.

**Alliance Community Church**

4404—47 Avenue

Sylvan Lake, AB T4S 1N4

(403) 887-8811

Office hours: Mon.—Thurs. 8:30am-4:00pm

Friday 8:30am– noon

**Email:** [office@alliancecommunitychurch.ca](mailto:office@alliancecommunitychurch.ca)**Website:** [www.alliancecommunity.ca](http://www.alliancecommunity.ca)

# ACC CONNECTION

We want to help you get connected! Please visit our website, fill out a Connect Card and drop it off at the Connect Centre, or contact our office at 403-887-8811.

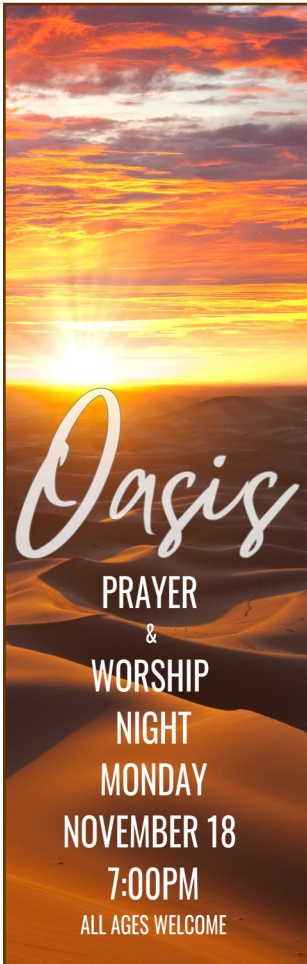
## MENS' BREAKFAST

Saturday, November 2, 8:00am  
Alliance Community Church  
In the Fellowship Hall  
No registration necessary!  
Come for food & fellowship!  
Bring a friend!




## Baptism Service

Thursday, November 14, 2024  
7:00pm  
Alliance Community Church  
Please speak to one of our pastors if you are interested in baptism or in being baptized at this celebration!  
All are welcome!




# Oasis

PRAYER & WORSHIP NIGHT  
MONDAY  
NOVEMBER 18  
7:00PM  
ALL AGES WELCOME



## GET INVOLVED, MAKE A DIFFERENCE!



- ♥ donate gifts /money for the boxes by Thursday, November 9th.
- ♥ donate funds for the shipping costs (NOTE: include OCC on your offering)

Check in at the Operation Christmas Child (OCC) table in the foyer at any of our services for more information!  
Packaged boxes and items due Monday, November 18th!  
Packing Party November 18th,  
5:00pm-7:00pm at Alliance Community Church

# ANNUAL TRUNK OR TREAT

Drop your candy donations off at the church during office hours or at one of our services anytime between now and October 31!

OCTOBER 31 5:00-7:00PM

FOR ALL **30+** SINGLES & COUPLES

## IT'S PIES AND PUZZLES TIME!

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 7:00PM  
ALLIANCE COMMUNITY CHURCH



Eat pie, attempt a puzzle, build community what's not to love?

Bring games, in case talking or puzzles get boring!

Got Questions? Talk to Pastor Khristie!


Haha

## Seniors Breakfast

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 9:00AM  
ALLIANCE COMMUNITY CHURCH  
REGISTER: AT WELCOME CENTRE OR EMAIL FREDCHELSTAD@GMAIL.COM

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

All seniors are welcome to join this monthly get-together.



## BACK TO BETHLEHEM

By Kait Sloboda

A group of cousins travel back in time to the birth of Jesus and encounter the true meaning of Christmas and what it means to truly believe in a loving Saviour!

**FAMILY WORSHIP NIGHT: Tuesday, November 26, 7:00pm**  
Join us for carol singing, the play, and a hot chocolate bar to follow!  
Donations will be going towards ACC Kids Ministry Next Gen-erosity Project. Monetary donations are welcome as well as winter clothing items for families in need (hats, mittens, coats, scarves).

**PERFORMANCE ONLY**  
Fri., Nov. 29, 7:00pm, Sat., Nov. 30, 2:00pm & 7:00pm  
By donation only! Doors open 30 minutes prior to performance.  
All ages welcome!

## LIFE GROUPS

Our Life Groups Catalogue is live on our website!  
Please check there regularly as new groups are added.  
If you want to host a small group, please contact Pastor Khristie:  
[khristie@alliancecommunitychurch.ca](mailto:khristie@alliancecommunitychurch.ca)  
To join a life group, please contact the facilitator of that life group.

By God's grace and for His glory, we are a loving community who are passionate about God, compassionate to those in need, constantly pointing people to Jesus, all with extravagant generosity.

# LIVING IN THE LIGHT

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### SERMON QUESTIONS

#### WEEK 3

1. Read 1 John 3. What jumps out to you as you read this passage?
2. What is the most lavish event you have ever been at?  
What made it lavish?
3. Why is God's love described as lavish?
4. Read Ephesians 2:8-9. What do we bring to the table when it comes to salvation?
5. John says that when we become children of God there will be signs that a change has happened. Do you agree with this?  
Why or why not.
6. What does John mean when he says, *"No one who is born of God will continue to sin, because God's seed remains in them; they cannot go on sinning, because they have been born of God"*?
7. According to this passage, what does real love look like?  
When do you find it hardest to show this kind of love?
8. Pastor Tim said that the opposite of faith is not doubt, it's certainty. Do you agree with this statement? Why or why not?
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