

THIS WEEK

MONDAY	Oct. 7
9:30 am.....Men's Prayer	
9:30 am.....Women's Prayer	
7:00 pm.....Stewarding Sexuality Group	
7:00 pm.....PB&J	
TUESDAY	Oct. 8
9:15 am.....Luke in the Land Group	
9:15 am.....Family Discipleship 101 Group	
9:15 am.....Jesus & Women Group	
9:15 am.....Empowered MOMS Group	
3:30 pm.....Christmas Musical Auditions	
7:00 pm.....Youth Bible Study	
7:00 pm.....Parents of School-Age Children	
WEDNESDAY	Oct. 9
9:30 am.....Keenagers Bible Study	
4:00 pm.....AWANA	
5:45 pm.....Prayer for Our World	
7:00 pm.....Men's Basketball Outreach	
7:30 pm.....Young Adults Bible Study	
THURSDAY	Oct. 10
10:00 am.....Big Pictures Group	
12:30 pm.....Pickleball Drop in Group	
6:30 pm.....Alpha	
7:00 pm.....Men's Floor Hockey Group	
7:00 pm.....Jesus in the Marketplace Group	
FRIDAY	Oct. 11
5:00 pm.....Grace's Table	
SATURDAY	Oct. 12
5:00 pm.....Newcomers Thanksgiving Potluck	
SUNDAY	Oct. 13
9:15 & 11:15 am.....Worship Service	
9:15 & 11:15 am.....Children's Ministries	
9:15 & 11:15 am.....Grace's Pantry Food Drive	
1:00 pm.....Filipinos & Friends	

PRAYER

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Our Christian Workers - Ric & Karen Strangway live in Calgary where Ric is the Associate Professor of Pastoral Theology at Ambrose University. Karen's parents attend SGAC.

Our Pastoral Team - Keith Piquette, Pastor of Small Groups. Keith is married to Lacey-Jo & they have 2 children.

Our Elders Team - Dan Ibsen. Dan is married to Melodie & they have 4 children.

Our Support Team - Julianna Merritt, Children's Ministry Assistant. Julianna is married to Mike & they have 3 children.

We want to pray with you. If you have prayer or praise requests contact us at prayer@sgac.net or fill out a Connection Card & place it in the offering plate.

FAMILY MATTERS

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

are available by the library. Take a shoebox & a brochure home. Drop off the filled shoebox at the Welcome Desk. We will be collecting shoeboxes until Sunday, November 17.

LOST & FOUND HAS MOVED - If you have lost an item, please visit the church office or the Welcome Desk & we will do our best to help you locate your lost item(s).

FIND OUT MORE about what's going on at SGAC

Website - sgac.net



@Spruce Grove Alliance Church

The Loop scan the QR code to subscribe to receive Pastor Brent's weekly e-newsletter.



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2024



GIVING

HOW CAN I SUPPORT THE MINISTRIES OF SGAC?

- Cash or Cheque
- Interac at the Welcome Center
- Preauthorized Payments from your Bank Account



E-transfer Using give@sgac.net
Online Donations through the Website (sgac.net).

Please remember to include your full name, email address & envelope # on your e-transfers, online & offering envelopes.

Financial Update

Current financial updates for year to date July 1, 2024 – August 31, 2024

General Fund YTD:

General Fund Revenue	\$206,987
Budget Required	\$272,758
Budget Shortfall	-\$65,771

Mortgage Update YTD:

Mortgage Payment	\$27,282
Mortgage Balance	\$1,403,347

Current Interest Rate 7.20%



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THIS IS US

During this series we will journey through our newly established values at SGAC: Intentional Proximity, Transformational Discipleship, Sacrificial Service, Collaborative Community, Missional Imagination, & Radical Generosity. **Today we focus on Collaborative Community.**

Sermon Notes:

NEW TO SGAC? Check out the New Here brochure in the chairback in front of you to learn more & get connected!	THIS IS US MOSAIC PROJECT PHOTO NEEDED <u>The deadline to submit your photos is TODAY!</u> In partnership with our <i>This Is Us</i> sermon series this fall, we are excited to launch the This Is Us Mosaic Project. We want you to be part of it! Scan the QR code on the next page to submit your photos.
CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING is available today for nursery to grade 6. Nursery & 2 year olds check in at the nursery. 3 year olds to grade 6 check in at the Community Life Centre.	

Join us at the front for prayer after each service.

CHURCH LIFE UPDATES

GRACE'S TABLE - We all go through tough times. If a warm & nutritious meal would be helpful for you or someone you know, register by visiting our website, or call the office by noon TOMORROW, Mon, Oct. 7. Meal pick up is Friday, Oct. 11 between 5 pm & 6:30 pm at SGAC.

CHRISTMAS MUSICAL AUDITIONS - Calling all grade 2 to 6 students who would like a special role in this year's Christmas Musical. If you would like a solo, a speaking or non-speaking role or to be a dancer, join us Tuesday, Oct. 8th 3:30 – 5 pm for auditions. Visit our website or scan the QR code to find rehearsal dates & additional info.

THANKSGIVING CHOIR during both services on Sunday, Oct. 13. It's not too late to join! If you are interested in being part of the Thanksgiving Choir, email: zach.mildenberger@sgac.net.

NEWCOMERS THANKSGIVING POTLUCK - Calling all who were born in another country & now call Canada home. You are invited to join us for a Thanksgiving potluck meal Saturday, Oct. 12 at 5 pm in the CLC Upstairs Auditorium. Scan the QR code to register online. Registration deadline is Oct. 9.

GRACE'S PANTRY FOOD DRIVE - Plan to bring some pantry items to our Sunday services on Oct. 13 & help us bless our community this Thanksgiving. Scan the QR code to find a list of the most needed pantry items.

YA MISSIONS TRIP GARAGE SALE FUNDRAISER - The Young Adults Mexico missions team is collecting items for a garage sale fundraiser! Drop off donations for the garage sale Oct. 15-18 from 5 pm - 7 pm at SGAC. Then, come ready to shop on Saturday, Oct. 19 from 9 am - 5 pm.

LOSS OF SPOUSE SEMINAR - Saturday, Oct. 19 at 1pm. The SGAC Grief Share team is hosting this seminar for those grieving the death of a spouse. Come hear practical advice from those who have been there, what to expect in your grief, how to cope with life without your spouse, & why it won't always hurt this much. Visit our website or scan the QR code to register.

REGISTER FOR THE EVENTS BELOW:

Scan the QR code or visit our website sgac.net/EventRegistrations.



GRADE 5/6 COMMUNITY NIGHT - Mark your calendars for Friday, Oct. 25 at 6pm. Come out for our first Community Night of the season.

GIRL'S NIGHT OUT TOUR - Wednesday, Oct. 23 at 7 pm at SGAC. Tickets are available at the Welcome Desk on Sundays or in the church office for \$15, or purchase tickets online for \$20. Visit our website for details about the event.

BAPTISM SUNDAY - November 24. If you are interested in being baptized visit our website to submit your intent to be baptized. You can view our baptism booklet online or pick one up at the Welcome Desk.



THE SECOND MILE
Oct. 2024 Community Life Centre - Debt Reduction Campaign

THIS OCTOBER WE NEED YOUR HELP TO GO THE SECOND MILE!

During the month of October ALL Building Fund donations will go directly to lowering the debt for our Community Life Center mortgage.

Last year SGAC raised over \$180,000 towards reducing the debt during the "This Changes Everything" drive.

That was an amazing first push & we hope to match that again in 2024 with our SGAC family.

If we meet our target this year, we will lower our current debt of \$1,403,347 by 13% & be closer to freeing up thousands of dollars per month for ministry purposes.

So many people have given so much over the last several years to get us this far in our journey for the CLC. If you are newer to SGAC, will you please join those who started the journey to go the Second Mile this year.

Please pray about a one-time donation by designating as a gift to the Building Fund above & beyond all normal General Fund giving.

Watch a short video of SGAC's journey toward launching the CLC last year by scanning the QR code:

