CHURCH EMAIL LIST: Would you like to be included in the church email list to keep up to date with church events, sign-ups, etc? Sign up by sending Breanna an email at office@benton.church.

PRAYER MEETING: Join us online for our weekly Prayer Meeting on Wednesdays at 7pm. The Zoom link is emailed to the church family each week. Email <u>office@benton.church</u> to join our mailing list.

PARENTS AND TOTS: Parents and young kids meet in the church nursery on Fridays from 9:30-11am. Anyone is welcome, just show up. Enter at door #4. Questions? Email office@benton.church.

DONATION INFORMATION: Interested in contributing to the ministries taking place at Benton? Visit www.benton.church/give for information.



August 17th, 2025

10:45AM Worship Service

Pastor Jaye Rice



BSBC VISION

Our vision is to be a thriving congregation in downtown Kitchener: home to a diverse and growing family of believers united in Jesus Christ; a place where one can begin their Christian experience, belong to a caring family of fellow believers, and become a mature ministering disciple of Christ.

CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE:

office@benton.church 519-745-3792

VISIT US ONLINE:

www.benton.church

DOWNLOAD OUR APP:Benton Street Baptist Church

Welcome

We're glad you've decided to worship the Lord with us today.

If you are visiting, please let us know by emailing office@benton.church or connecting through our app. We'd love to get to know you better!

This Week:

Sunday, August 17th	Adult Summer Sunday School Worship Service Bible Connection	9:30am 10:45am 11:00am
Tuesday	Parents & Tots Get-Together	10:00am
Wednesday	Prayer Meeting	7:00pm
Friday	Parents & Tots	9:30am
Sunday, August 24th	Adult Summer Sunday School Worship Service Bible Connection	9:30am 10:45am 11:00am

PARENTS AND TOTS GET-TOGETHER: All parents with young children are welcome to join at the McNitt house for a swim and potluck lunch next Tuesday, August 19 at 10am. Older kids are welcome too. Please bring towels, life jackets, and food to share. You can email office@benton.church for more information.

YOUNG ADULT BRUNCH: All young adults are invited to a brunch and pool party at Gary & Marylou McNitt's home on Saturday, August 30th. Come anytime after 9:30am. Contact the church office if you need the address: office@benton.church.

COFFEE TEAM VOLUNTEERS: The team that provides coffee between Sunday School and our morning service is looking for a few more volunteers. Please email **office@benton.church** if you are interested in helping out with this ministry.

RIGHT NOW MEDIA: RightNow Media is an online library full of Christian material. **Sign up for free** or email **office@benton.church.**

AWANA REGISTRATION: AWANA is a weeknight program for kids in SK - Grade 6 that meets on Wednesday nights throughout the school year. Registration is currently open for Benton Families and returning AWANA Families, and will fill up very quickly. If you would like to have your child attend AWANA for the 2025-2026 school year please email the office today to receive the registration link: **office@benton.church**.

ADULT SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL: This summer we are running a Sunday School Series on the *7 Essential Truths for Christian Living*. Everyone is invited to join us in the Church Library on Sunday mornings at 9:30am. Childcare is provided! Dates and teachers are as follows:

Aug 17th......Holy Spirit: His Gifts and Presence (*Artur Borges*)
Aug 24th......Christ's Return (*Seth Lippert*)

BIBLE CONNECTION: Parents of kids in JK - Grade 5: please sign your kids in at the kiosk in the foyer before the service then have them sit with you in the service. After the announcements, kids will be directed out the back doors to the foyer. Pickup is upstairs in Room 202.

PARKING: Please remember to park in the Benton and Charles Parking Garage if you are physically able. The garage is free on Sundays.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP REPORT			
	June	YTD	
Actual income	71,793	361,662	
Expected income	74,654	413,745	
Shortfall	(2,861)	(52,083)	
Actual spending	67,735	405,952	
Expected spending	62,049	408,918	
Savings (deficit)	(5,686)	2,966	