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***Fort Macleod Alliance Church exists to equip Godly Disciples of
Jesus Christ who:
Share Christ's Life, Show Christ's love and Shine Christ's light.***

DISCOVERYLAND CHANGES

Due to new Plan to Protect and insurance requirements, if you have a child between ages 3 and Grade 3 who will be dismissed for Discoveryland Junior church during our morning services, you will need to sign them in on a sign in sheet in the foyer prior to the service. The person who signed them in will also need to pick their child up and sign them out from the Discoveryland area at the end of the service. Children will still be dismissed for their Discoveryland time during the morning service as has been taking place. This change will took effect Dec. 10. Thank you for your understanding.

Discoveryland is a ministry time with our kids ages 3 to Grade 3. Dismissal for Discoveryland will take place just before our morning sermon.

****Please Note** – A Gr. 4-6 Discoveryland module called “Christianity Explored” will be starting up on Sunday mornings beginning in mid – January. It will last for seven weeks with the possibility of transitioning into an “after school” group. More information to follow.

MAY 30TH

Yes....I know May is a long way away....unless you hibernate for the winter. We are looking at hosting the Watoto Children’s Choir on Thursday, May 30th . We will need many billets for hosting this event. If you potentially have room to host for this event, please let Pastor Kevin know and/or email the church office. Thank you.

SMALL GROUPS

Please check with your group facilitators for when they will restart in January!

NEXT CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING – Thursday January 18th @ 7:30 pm

NEXT YOUNG ADULTS – January 23, 2024 at 7:00 pm. The Venue varies, please contact Brent and Ashley Brussee at 403-360-2402 or 587-220-5214

“What is Faith?”

“I heard about a man some years ago who was rolling a wheelbarrow back and forth across Niagara River on a tightrope. Thousands of people were shouting him on. He put a two-hundred pound sack of dirt in the wheelbarrow and rolled it over, and then he rolled it back. Then he turned to the crowd and said, “How many of you believe that I can roll a man across?”

Everybody shouted! One man in the front row was very excited in his professed belief. The man pointed to this excited professor and said, “You’re next!”

You couldn’t see that man for the dust! He actually didn’t believe it. He said he believed it, he thought he believed it – but he was not willing to get in the wheelbarrow.

Just so with Christ. There are many people who say they believe on Him, who say they will follow Him. But they never have gotten into the wheelbarrow. They actually never have committed and surrendered themselves wholly, one hundred percent to Christ.

There are many people who ask, “Well, how much faith does it take?” Jesus said only the faith as of “a grain of mustard seed.”

Others ask, “What kind of faith?” It is not a matter of any special kind of faith. There is only one kind, really. It is the *object* of the faith that counts. What is the object of your faith? The object of your faith must be Christ. Not faith in ritual, not faith in sacrifices, not faith in morals, not faith in yourself – not faith in anything but Christ!

Now the Bible teaches that faith will manifest itself in three ways. It will manifest itself in doctrine – in what you believe. It will manifest itself in worship – your communion with God and the fellowship of the church. It will manifest itself in morality – in the way you live and behave.”

-Billy Graham “Peace With God”