



Drouin Baptist Church

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Our Mission:

- Engage** the God-seeker,
- Establish** disciples in community,
- Equip** the saints for service,
- Expand** the Kingdom of God into all the earth.

We hope that you feel at home with us this morning as we collectively focus our hearts, minds and activities on God, and desire only that He be exalted.

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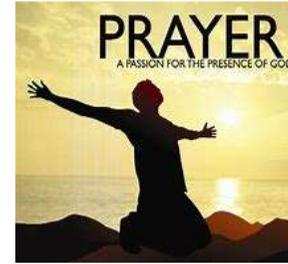
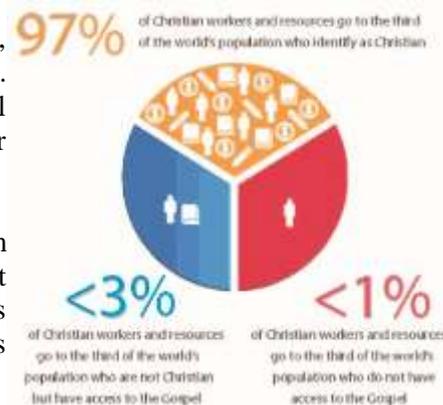
Injustice of the least-reached

Of the 16,000 people groups in the world, more than 6,000 are considered least-reached. These groups do not have access to the gospel due to cultural, linguistic, political or other barriers.

Many people in these groups will go from birth to death without ever hearing about Jesus. Less than 1% of people in these groups are believers, and Christians in nearby areas are not reaching out to them.

Currently 97% of Christian workers and resources are concentrated on the third of the world who already call themselves Christian. A further 3% is dedicated to another third who already have access to the gospel. This leaves a third of the world who have never heard the gospel, for which we have dedicated less than 1% of Christian workers and resources.

Funds raised through the May Appeal go towards reaching nine of these least reached people groups.



"To be a Christian without prayer is no more possible than to be alive without breathing." - Martin Luther

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. - 1 John 5:14

What's on this week

Friday

7.30pm LifeQuest Chill and Chat

Missions Mini Quiz

Here are some new questions from your Missions Committee

1. Through what mission agency does our church support children?
2. Who are the children?
3. In which country does each child live?

If you have the answers, or would like to know the answers, see a mission committee member today.

Some things you should never say

1. "The pastor is not meeting my needs"

He's not there to meet your needs. Jesus does that. The pastor is there as a shepherd to watch over the entire flock and to see that healthy food is available and safe procedures are in place. He's there to make you holy, not happy.

2. "I'm not being spiritually fed"

Babies have to be spoon-fed. Adults can feed themselves. Since I've been able to read the Bible for myself and study God's Word independently, I've not depended on the pastor to burp me.

3. "I have a right..."

The Christian faith is about the grace and mercy of God. We thank God He does not give us what we deserve. Faithful believers show the same kind of dedication and love to one another. But at no point is a child of God to insist on his rights.



Please stay behind after our service this morning for a time of fellowship over tea or coffee.

We do not need to stack the chairs after our service this morning.

The disposable coffee cups and lids are recyclable. Please leave them near the coffee

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