

# Oct 6, 2019

## The Lord's Day

Welcome....We are so glad that you have joined with us today for worship, Bible teaching and fellowship. We trust that God may be glorified in our midst and that you might be strengthened in your faith and encouraged in your walk with the Lord Jesus. If you have not already done so, please sign our guest book today before you leave. Thanks!

**Sunday Bible School @ 9:30 a.m.**  
**Rosh HaShanah, and Yom Kippur**  
**Leviticus 23**

**Fellowship Around the Lord's Table**  
**Message: "The Holiness of God - Pt.2"**  
**"Scripture Reading: Exodus 3:1-17"**



**Evening Service @ 6:30 p.m.**  
**Message: "The Bible's Interesting People:**  
**Samuel - Pt.6"**  
**Scripture Reading: 1 Samuel 7:1-17**

**Prayer Meetings Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.**

### Ancient Understanding

Where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? declare, if thou hast understanding. (Job 38:4)



One of the reasons given by theistic evolutionists for why they cannot accept that Genesis 1 teaches a 6 x 24-hour creation is that they do not believe God could have communicated how He had made everything to an ancient people.

Their understanding would not have been sufficient for modern scientific concepts. One commentator says, "We gain nothing by bringing God's revelation into accordance with today's science. In contrast, it makes perfect sense that God communicated his revelation to his immediate audience in terms they understood."

The idea is that God actually made life by evolution, but ancient people would not have been able to understand these concepts, so God explained to them the six-days scenario instead.

Creation science historian Dr. Terry Mortenson has shown that this presupposition is not correct. He showed that words, concepts and categories were available in ancient Hebrew thought to explain an evolutionary process. Since God is truth, He would have used such language if that indeed were what had happened.

Mortenson suggests that an evolutionary Genesis could have read like this: "When God began to create the heavens and the earth, He expanded a small grain of dust and said, 'Let there be light.' And it eventually became so. From this grain of dust, over many great ages He formed the stars and then the sun and finally, after a long age, the earth and the moon."

Ref: Mortenson, T. (2004), Genesis According to Evolution, Creation 26, no. 4 (September 2004): 50-51.

Creation Moments :“Churches may freely copy these bulletin inserts”

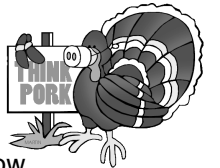


### Happy Birthday

Oct 9...Averie Little  
Oct 10...Conrad Bloomfield  
Oct 11...Ruth Turpin  
Oct 12...Anna Reed  
Oct 13...Bruce Eynon  
Oct 20...May Finch  
Oct 23...Elena Ellis  
Nov 3...Jeff Allen

### Coming Up at Berean

Today ~ Communion - 10:30am  
Sun Oct 13 ~ Thanksgiving Sunday  
Mon Oct 14 ~ Thanksgiving Day - be thankful!  
Tues Oct 15 ~ P&D meeting - 1pm  
Sat Oct 19 ~ Ladies Day Out - more info to follow...  
Fri Oct 25 ~ Seniors Luncheon - 10:30am  
Sat Nov. 2 ~ 3rd Quarter Business Meeting - 10:30am  
Sun Nov 3 ~ Daylight Saving Time Ends - clocks back 1



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September's Prayer letter:

We are so thankful for churches and friends who pray for us by taking our name to the throne of grace. Last night at prayer meeting, I was reminded by the Lord to never stop praying for our loved ones. Out of the blue, Milad, Silva's brother-in-law, showed up with his two boys, which was his first time ever in an evangelical church.

Here are some prayer requests:

- (1) Michel Caron's health,
- (2) Milad's and his family's salvation,
- (3) our outreach with our distribution ministry
- (4) for our safe travels in October to the Maritimes.

FYI - Terrebonne is an off-island suburb of Montreal, in western Quebec. It is located on the north shores of the Rivière des Mille-Îles and of the Rivière des Prairies, North of Montreal and Laval.

Colossians 3:15 "And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful." (Believer's Bible Commentary): Christ called us to enjoy His peace, both as individuals and also in the church. Do not overlook the importance of the latter part of this verse: "To which also you were called in one body." One way in which we could enjoy peace would be to live in isolation from all other Christians. But this is not God's purpose. He has set the solitary in families. God's intention is that we should gather together in local churches. Although living with other Christians may try our patience at times, yet God in this way can develop virtues in the Christian's life which He could not produce in any other manner. So we should not shirk our responsibilities in the local church, nor give them up when we are annoyed or provoked. Rather we should seek to live compatibly with our fellow believers and help them in all we do and say.



Thank you to everyone who have given to the Missions Cupboard. The blue box will still be out for a while. We could still use socks, washcloths, napkins, and children's books, and anything else useful that comes to mind. Our mandate is to offer the everyday things that everyone uses so that missionaries can use their support money for more specific needs. And while you're thinking of what they can use...remember that prayer is the best gift of all.

You say, "If I had a little more, I should be very satisfied." You make a mistake. If you are not content with what you have, you would not be satisfied if it were doubled. ~ Charles Spurgeon

**Last Sunday's Attendance Report**  
 SBS - 12 A.M. - 35 P.M. - 19  
 Prayer Meetings A.M - 9 P.M. - 7

**Here's an idea....** a pastor from Quebec is challenging pastors across Canada to pray at **9:38am** and **9:38pm** for the Lord to send labourers into the harvest field... 9:38 is based on Mat 9:38; Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest. This is a prayer for workers with the gospel to go and preach the Word of God...in Canada and beyond! Want to take up the challenge to pray? Let me know if you do. ~pb

Time Change Warning: put a big red **X** on your calendar on Nov. 3. That's the day you get an extra hour's sleep. Set your clocks **BACK** an hour on Saturday night or you'll get here Sunday before the doors are unlocked.



**Have You Googled Us?**

We have a new, revamped website online now...check it out at [bereanbaptistlondon.org](http://bereanbaptistlondon.org)... Recent sermons are posted there. Let me know what you think of it. ~pb

**Just For Fun**

- There are some days when my life is like a bald guy who just won a comb.
- I finally got 8 hours of sleep. It only took me 3 days.
- When someone asks me what I did on the weekend, I squint and ask, "Why, what did you hear?"
- Growing up at my house we always had 2 choices for dinner: eat it or go without.

Budget Notes for Last Week

**Tithes & Offerings**

Missions @ 17%	\$355.00
Ministry (\$1833 req'd)	\$1735.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,090.00</b>

**Designated:**

Missions	\$90.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$90.00</b>
<b>Total Receipts for the Day</b>	<b>\$2180.00</b>

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2019's Theme  
*Everything  
 By Faith...  
 To Please God!  
 Hebrews 11:6*



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 the  
 Scriptures  
 Daily..."**

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**...to the Glory of God!!**