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## Your Contributions to Date

Century II donations have funded 128 projects since it began, with around \$695,000 being channeled into CBWC churches and ministries across Western Canada.

We give thanks to God for His faithfulness through you.

## How to Donate:

You may donate online at [www.cbwc.ca/donate](http://www.cbwc.ca/donate) or by sending a cheque to Canadian Baptists of Western Canada.

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# Century II Winter 2020 Appeal



First Baptist Church, Nelson, BC: Exterior Repairs

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## History

Century II began as a project of the Baptist Men in 1980. It is a program where individuals can pledge support for new initiatives with CBWC churches. Churches wanting to make renovations or upgrades to their facilities can apply to their Regional Minister, who takes recommendations forward to the CBWC's Executive Staff.

Each Century II participant promises to give a minimum of \$20 to each project (up to 4 times a year). 90% of each donation goes to the project, while 10% is used to help cover communication and receipting costs. **To account for inflation over 30 years, please consider increasing your gift above the original \$20, if possible.**

Please send your contribution to the CBWC office in Calgary, in care of Century II. Or you can donate online at [www.cbwc.ca](http://www.cbwc.ca). In an effort to keep administration costs to a minimum, you will receive one official income tax receipt for the total contribution made to all projects for the year, sent in February of the next year. If you have any questions regarding your receipt, please contact the CBWC at 800.820.2479.

## Other appeals:

Calvary Community, Weyburn – \$3,276  
Brownfield Baptist Church – \$3,438  
Berea Baptist Church, Surrey – \$3,217  
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Saskatoon – \$3,330  
Bonnie Doon Baptist Church, Edmonton – \$3,290

## Recent Appeal:



Thank you for your support in helping renew the ministry space at Calvary Community Church in Weyburn, Saskatchewan. There is still more work to be done on their facility, but the church is grateful for your generosity. Here's a note from their treasurer, Stan Runne:

"I want to start with a big thank you from Calvary Baptist in Weyburn, Saskatchewan for the cheque for our upgrading projects. Please convey our appreciation to the program supporters for their support and encouragement."

## Winter Appeal: First Baptist Church, Nelson

First Baptist Church Nelson has been active since 1897. The community of Nelson has been using the current building for various events since 1958. When First Baptist Church of Nelson took ownership nearly 25 years ago, the community continued to make use of the available space.

The facility hosts memorial services, weddings, a free lunch for the local college students, a quilting club, the Nelson City Band and the annual Wild and Tame dinner that is hosted by FBC's men's group with support from several local hunters.

There are many other community benefits that the church provides, including Cornerstone preschool, school age, and after school care program which meets a real and critical need in the City of Nelson.

The primary concern is the exterior finish of the church. The building has a wood exterior with stain finishing. The wood is beginning to

deteriorate and needs to be repaired in several spots and the paint is peeling and falling off.

While the entire building needs to be repainted, of special concern is the south side where the sun damage is extreme.



## THE NEED

Due to the scale of this project, FBC Nelson can't rely on volunteers to complete the repairs to the exterior of the building.

Labor and materials are estimated at up to \$10,000 depending on how much structural damage is hidden under the peeling paint.

Will you help First Baptist continue to shine their light in Nelson by supporting them as they complete this important project?