

# Summer

2018 Listing



# Summer Schedule

JUNE 30/JULY 1  
UNTIL  
AUG 25/26

## WEEKEND SERVICES

NEW! SATURDAYS 7 PM | SUNDAYS 10 AM

## SONBURST KIDS' CHURCH

NEW! SATURDAYS 7 PM | SUNDAYS 10 AM

JUNE 30/JULY 1 | FAMILY WORSHIP WEEKEND  
AUG 18 | OUTDOOR SERVICE  
AUG 19 | FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE

## LEGATO COFFEE & ESPRESSO

SATURDAYS 6:30-8:30 PM | SUNDAYS 9:30 AM-NOON

## BUILDING HOURS

NEW! SATURDAYS 8 AM-10 PM | SUNDAYS 7:30 AM-3 PM  
MONDAY-FRIDAY 8 AM-8 PM

FOR ALL OTHER DETAILS  
[SPAC.CA/SUMMER](http://SPAC.CA/SUMMER)

## Our Mission

To make disciples of Jesus...to love God, and to love others.

## Our Vision

To play a leading role in seeing every person in the Edmonton Metropolitan Region collide with God’s Kingdom.

## Our Values

### Hospitable

We’re committed more than ever to being a Hospitable church where it’s possible to belong before you believe.

### Transformational

We’re serious about being a Transformational church which produces disciples who love and live like Jesus.

### Missional

We’re passionate about being a Missional church known for advancing God’s Kingdom dream locally and globally.

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**NEW?**

- FEEL NEW? -



**PIZZA**  
- WITH THE -  
**Pastor**



Watch the Website for Upcoming Dates!

A CHANCE TO HEAR THE VISION OF OUR CHURCH AND  
DISCOVER WAYS TO CONNECT AND BE INVOLVED.

AND TO EAT PIZZA



BRING YOUR KIDS TOO!  
[spac.ca/new](http://spac.ca/new)



SHERWOOD PARK  
ALLIANCE CHURCH



I'mNew



## Welcome to Sherwood Park Alliance

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We're a church committed to loving everyone, extending hospitality and the grace of Jesus to neighbors locally and globally. We invite you to attend one of our weekend services and get connected.

As this church becomes your home, find a place to serve, engage your family in our thriving kids and youth programs, and grow your faith.

If you're facing a difficult season, Sherwood Park Alliance is also place where you can receive practical help. No matter where you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here.

## What Should I Expect?

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**Arrival.** When you arrive for a weekend service, greeters can help you with any questions you may have.

**Services.** You will experience worship through music and other art forms, prayer, Bible teaching, and the giving of tithes and offerings. Our worship gatherings are roughly 75 minutes in length.

**Prayer.** After services, Prayer Team members are available to pray with you.

**Legato Coffee & Espresso.** Feel free to linger and be in community or grab a beverage from Legato.

**Kids.** We offer programming during all services from birth to Grade 6 in SonBurst Kids' Church.

**Youth.** Each week, we meet to engage in meaningful relationships through worship, biblical teaching, small groups, and various activities.

## What do I Wear?

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We want you to feel comfortable. You will see a mix of jeans, suits, dresses and t-shirts. You are always welcome, and welcome to come exactly as you are.

## Summer Service Times

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**Saturday, 7 pm | Sunday, 10 am**

[spac.ca/watch](https://spac.ca/watch) | Facebook Live

**Regular Service Times**  
*(resumes in the fall)*

Saturday, 7 pm | Sunday, 9 & 10:45 am





# School OF Discipleship

LEARNING TO LOVE AND LIVE LIKE JESUS



**“I’ve become more overwhelmed with how loved I am by God.”**

**“I’m so thankful for the solid, down-to-earth teaching.”**

**“I appreciate the honesty of other students.”**

**- YEAR ONE AND TWO PARTICIPANT**



More Info / Register

[schoolofdiscipleship@spac.ca](mailto:schoolofdiscipleship@spac.ca)

[spac.ca/schoolofdiscipleship](http://spac.ca/schoolofdiscipleship)



# School of Discipleship

All courses for  
Year One, Two and  
Three begin late  
September 2018.

Following Jesus, being His disciple, is very different than “trying hard to be good.” School of Discipleship is about learning to live our whole lives in a love relationship with God. It’s about allowing His love to transform us and His heart to motivate us to a grand adventure that’s way bigger than ourselves.

Practically speaking, School of Discipleship is a relational learning pathway made up of courses, seminars and tools to help move disciples forward in the life-long adventure of following Jesus. It’s a great place to get connected because of its unique combination of both the classroom and small group setting.

Fall 2018 is the best time to engage with School of Discipleship, so watch for more info to come later this summer on updated courses and registration.

## Looking for a Summer Study? - Going Deeper

This summer, join us for an 8-week study using the book *Meeting God in Scripture: A Hands on Guide to Lectio Divina* by Jan Johnson. Experience 40 guided meditations through Scripture with tools for engaging in reflection, study, and prayer. This virtual group is designed in a way that you’ll complete each day on your own at a time that works for your schedule.

**Jul 2–Aug 26**

**Register:** [spac.ca/goingdeeper](http://spac.ca/goingdeeper)

**Registration Closes: July 4**

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### More Info / Returning Students Registration

[schoolofdiscipleship@spac.ca](mailto:schoolofdiscipleship@spac.ca)

[spac.ca/schoolofdiscipleship](http://spac.ca/schoolofdiscipleship)

Summer is a great time to meet your neighbours,  
and be part of this wonderful community.

A full list of groups and events will be available in the fall listing.

Look for Ways to Engage or Join a Group!

## AdultMinistries

[spac.ca/adults](http://spac.ca/adults)





## Community Groups

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### Coffee@Tims | Men | [Join any time](#)

**8-10 am** Coffee, donuts and friendly conversation. We gather  
**Saturdays** weekly and it's a great opportunity to just connect  
**Meets year round** and learn together with other men. We gather at Tim  
Hortons on Victoria Trail and 137 Avenue.

*groups@spac.ca*

### Downtown Study | Men | [Join any time](#)

**12-1 pm** Connect over lunch with other men who work in  
**Tuesdays** downtown Edmonton. We bring our lunches and  
**1st and 3rd Tuesday** gather on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at  
First Baptist Church, 10031-109 St NW.

*groups@spac.ca*

### Hymn Sing | Adults | [Join any time](#)

**6:30-7:45 pm** Lift your voices! We gather once a month and  
**Sundays** worship in song by singing our favorite hymns  
**June 17** requested by those attending. More dates to come  
in the fall.

*groups@spac.ca*

## Man to Man | Men | Join any time

**8:30-10 am** Start your weekend off by connecting with other  
**Saturdays** guys. We gather weekly and explore relevant issues  
**Starting June 23** of life and faith through video teaching and lively  
**Weekly** conversation.

*groups@spac.ca*

## Seniors' Suppers and Gatherings | 65+

**4-8 pm** Come together for a summer time potluck picnic to  
**July 23** enjoy fellowship and fun. If your last name begins  
with A to L bring desserts, and if it begins with M to  
Z bring salads. We will be meeting at the Creamer's  
Acreage, 53201 Range Road 223.

*margaret.overland@spac.ca*

## Tuesday Noon Prayer | Adults | Join any time

**11:45 am-1 pm** Come to Jesus in prayer for our community, our  
**Tuesdays** church, and our personal lives. We gather weekly  
**Meets year round** over the lunch hour to pray together.

*groups@spac.ca*

## Wednesday Night Prayer Group | Adults | Join any time

**7-9 pm** Praying together is so valuable! We gather  
**Wednesdays** every other week for prayer and community in a  
**Bi-Weekly** welcoming home environment.

*groups@spac.ca*

## Support Groups

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### Cancer Support Network | Adults

Designed for cancer patients, caregivers, family and friends who are confronted with cancer. Receive support and encouragement wherever you are in the journey. For more information check the website or contact Margaret.

*margaret.overland@spac.ca*

### Foster/Adoptive Families | Families

**1-5 pm**  
**Sunday**  
**July 28, Aug 19**

Let's enjoy summer activities together. Come and connect and receive support from other foster/ adoptive families.

*glenn\_chelsea@msn.com | 780.999.3768*

### One to One Support | Adults

If you are experiencing a life transition and would benefit from support through listening, blessing and prayer, a member of the church is available to meet with you.

*margaret.overland@spac.ca*



# Serving

[spac.ca/serving](http://spac.ca/serving)



# Serve in your Church

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## Care

Want to be part of a team who does hospital visits? Or maybe you would rather make a meal for someone who is experiencing crisis in their life.

## Culinary Arts Team

We are looking for people who want to join a dynamic team focused on creating incredible culinary experiences for others. If you enjoy cooking and are passionate about great food, we need you! Cooking timeline is based on various events that are scheduled.

## Communion Prep

Generally, on the first weekend of the month we celebrate communion at SPAC. Those Saturday mornings we need a team to prep the elements for services. This is a once every three months rotation.

## Guest Services

Be part of a group that helps make church inviting for everyone who walks through the doors. We are looking for ushers and greeters to serve once a month at the service of their choice.

## Facilities

We are looking for people who are available during the summer for odd jobs like painting and basic maintenance. Any amount of time you're able to give will be greatly appreciated.

## United in Prayer

Join a prayer community that receives weekly prayer requests for our world, community, church, and ourselves. If you are interested in being part of this, send us an email.

*[annemarie.hagens@spac.ca](mailto:annemarie.hagens@spac.ca)*

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**More Info / Sign up**

[spac.ca/serving](https://spac.ca/serving)

## Legato Coffee & Espresso

Love Coffee? Try your hand at being a volunteer barista! We offer the opportunity to develop a diverse range of skills in a fast-paced, fun environment. Barista and cashier positions available on a once every 4 weeks rotation.

## Kids' Ministries

Join a team of youth and adults making a difference in kids' lives with opportunities midweek or on the weekends in SonBurst.

## Weekend Ministries

When God is present, lives are changed. In Weekend Ministries, we get to help facilitate an environment where people can experience God in Biblically and culturally relevant forms of worship. We use music, art, film, spoken word, silence, technology, dance and other mediums to engage our hearts in worship.

## Youth Ministries

God has placed people like you in strategic positions to change the lives of entire families. We have the privilege of partnering together to take on the responsibility of blessing and caring for students!



Serve in  
Your Church  
Legato Coffee  
& Espresso

## Serve in your World

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### Global Partners

Join a prayer team to support our partnering International Workers around the world.

*rebecca.trask@spac.ca*

### Detours

Regularly check back to [spac.ca/detours](http://spac.ca/detours) for additional opportunities to serve in a context outside our everyday experience.

## Serve in your Community

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### PALM

Spend time with individuals who are brand new to Canada. Volunteer to help teach English, provide on-site child care, or assist youth with homework.

*rebecca.trask@spac.ca*

### We Care

We Care is a ministry run with folks in our inner city. Help prepare bagged lunches during the week, pick up leftover bread from stores in town, or build community at the parking lot all on a once/month rotation. Sundays, 10-11 am.

*rebecca.trask@spac.ca*

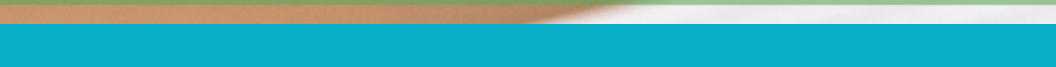


We Care

[spac.ca/wecare](http://spac.ca/wecare)



# Classes





# Classes

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## Baptism Prep

Watch for  
upcoming dates

**What does Baptism mean?** Baptism is an enactment of your new life in Christ. It announces the end of life ‘my way’ and announces your choice to live ‘Jesus’ way.’ Baptism does not “save” you; only your faith in Christ does that. Baptism is a public declaration that you will follow Jesus.

[spac.ca/baptism](http://spac.ca/baptism)

## Membership

9 am  
Sept 16  
Oct 21

**What is Membership?** I want to be part of a particular local body of Christ, committed to it’s unique calling.

If you believe in what God’s doing here at Sherwood Park Alliance then join the team.

[spac.ca/membership](http://spac.ca/membership)



Baptism

[spac.ca/baptism](http://spac.ca/baptism)



# Events

[spac.ca/events](https://spac.ca/events)



## Events

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### Endless Summer Car, Truck & Motorcycle Show

**11 am-3:30 pm**  
**Saturday**  
**Aug 18** This free family-fun event includes kids activities, concession stand and live music. Net proceeds benefit the ministries of The Mustard Seed, We Care and Car Care. *\$10 entry fee.*

[spac.ca/carshow](http://spac.ca/carshow)

**Interested in Volunteering?** Fill out the form on the website and someone will be in contact with you.

### Global Leadership Summit | [Registration required](#)

**Thurs-Fri**  
**Oct 18-19** The Global Leadership Summit is a two-day event telecast LIVE from Willow's campus near Chicago. The 2-day event will hone and improve your leadership skills with fresh perspectives from world class leaders. Join a diverse community of leaders from 130 countries and 60 languages who attend the Summit around the world.

[spac.ca/summit](http://spac.ca/summit)

### Outdoor Service

**BBQ | 5:30 pm**  
**Service | 7 pm**  
**Saturday**  
**Aug 18** You'll find things a little more relaxed for this service – we've come together to enjoy God's Creation, His Word and each other.

Come early for a BBQ dinner, create chalk drawings with the kids, and meet someone new today. And don't forget to stick around after the service for great community.

### Church BBQ & Flag Football

**Service | 10 am**  
**Sunday**  
**Aug 19** Join us for service inside at 10 am, followed by a BBQ and flag football tournament. Sign up as a team for the tournament. Kid activities provided. Watch for more info coming soon.

[rachel.fawcett@spac.ca](mailto:rachel.fawcett@spac.ca)



# YouthMinistries

[spac.ca/youth](http://spac.ca/youth)



# Youth Ministries

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## Are you looking to serve with SPAC Youth? We would love to hear from you!

Summer is our season of recruitment and we are currently seeking volunteers to serve in the following roles:

### Routine Volunteers

**Small Group Leaders.** Lead a small group of 10-15 students each week, with another leader, through provided curriculum and activities.

**Ministry Support Volunteers.** Volunteers who assist the staff with the execution of Junior High programming here at SPAC.

**Host House.** Our Senior High programming operates offsite at homes throughout Sherwood Park. This role involves providing space for our small groups to meet, and providing a meal each week for our leaders (costs are reimbursed). The level of involvement with the execution of youth is limited, but we encourage them to create a strong relationship with the leaders in the house.

**Senior High Serve Program.** Are you in grade 9-12 looking to volunteer with SPAC Youth? Come fall we will have numerous roles for you to fill! Email us if you're interested and let's chat!

### Occasional Volunteers

**Event Support.** Two to three times per year we run larger events that require extra hands to facilitate and supervise activities.

**Cooks.** Serve 35 volunteers by preparing them a meal to share on programming nights. Kitchen space is available and you are reimbursed within a budget. Sign up for one or as many as you'd like.

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### More Info / Register

[spac.ca/youth](http://spac.ca/youth)

# THE GATHERING

A WEEKEND YOUTH CONFERENCE

SEPTEMBER 28 & 29, 2018

REGISTRATION OPEN






SHERWOOD PARK  
ALLIANCE CHURCH

[spac.ca/thegathering](http://spac.ca/thegathering)



We meet each week to engage in meaningful relationships through worship, biblical teaching, small groups, and fun activities.

Youth Programming will resume in the fall.

   | @thespacyouth | youth@spac.ca | spac.ca/youth



KidsMinistries

[spac.ca/kids](http://spac.ca/kids)



## Kids' Ministries

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### Canada Day | All ages

**10 am-4 pm**  
**Sun**  
**July 1** Come and participate in our community Canada Day festivities. SonBurst will have a carnival games area on the main field. To volunteer contact Lisa or call the church office.

*[lisa.myck@spac.ca](mailto:lisa.myck@spac.ca) | 780.467.8404*

### Summer Day Camp | Elem-Gr 1-4

**Mon-Fri, 9 am-noon;**  
**Thurs, 9 am-4 pm**  
**July 16-20** Jungle Jam Day Camp is an active summer camp for kids Grade 1-4. Every day will include jungle style activities, crafts, snacks, and Bible stories & songs. Our team of leaders will guide kids through all the fun. There is an optional field trip on the Thursday to Snow Valley Aerial Park.

*\$80 (extra \$30 for field trip)*

*[spac.ca/daycamps](http://spac.ca/daycamps) | [lisa.myck@spac.ca](mailto:lisa.myck@spac.ca)*

### Saddle Lake Daycamp Detour | Families/Individuals

**Sun-Wed**  
**July 29-Aug 1** This is a 3.5 day detour to the Saddle Lake First Nations community. Our team will partner with Saddle Lake leaders to implement a daycamp for children in that community. This detour is for families or individuals who love kids and want to be a part of building relationships with our friends in Saddle Lake.

*[lisa.myck@spac.ca](mailto:lisa.myck@spac.ca)*

# SONBURST kids' church

July 28-30, 2014



**SONBURST**  
kids' church

SonBurst Kids' Church is a place where kids get to know Jesus, feel they belong and have opportunities to serve.

Available during services (nursery-Grade 6).



| [kids@spac.ca](mailto:kids@spac.ca) | [spac.ca/kids](http://spac.ca/kids)

A young boy with short brown hair, wearing a blue and white striped shirt, is smiling broadly. He is holding a large, light-colored wooden frame in front of him. The background is a vibrant, textured orange-red color.

**JOIN US  
THIS SUMMER**

Serve in SonBurst

**[SPAC.CA/SUMMERSONBURST](https://SPAC.CA/SUMMERSONBURST)**

**SIGN UP ONLINE OR FILL OUT A CARD  
AND RETURN TO SONBURST**



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ALLIANCE CHURCH

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