

THE FIRST SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH OF TORONTO
Quarterly Business Meeting
Clerk's Report
For the period January 1, 2018 – March 31, 2018
April 29, 2018

“But as for you, be strong and do not give up, for your work will be rewarded.”

2 Chronicles 15:7 NIV

“Humble work become holy work when it is done for God-ODB”

During this quarter Pastor Herlitz Condison was absent from church due to illness. The Clerks presented bulletins and announcements on a rotational basis – alternate months.

Weekly programming included:

- Sabbath School
- Divine worship
- Rotational afternoon program including –
 - Bible Study
 - Women's Auxiliary
 - 13th Sabbath programs

Some of our ongoing ministries/ outreach programs were

- the Nursing home visitations – 1st and 3rd Sabbaths monthly
- Prayer Line - Tuesdays
- Sabbath Day Prayer meetings

Highlights for the quarter were:

- Jan 6 Infant dedication- Elisha Floyd Parkinson, son of Sis Safiya and Brother Floyd Parkinson
- Jan 1-7 Week of Prayer, *“The Meeting Place Was Shaken”*
- Jan 20 Communion Service
- Feb 17-18 First Seventh Day Baptist Church Women Conference – “Prison Break”
- Feb 24 13th Sabbath Programme
- Mar 12 Sis Marva Edwards informed Advisory that she will not be returning as church clerk due to unforeseen circumstances.
- Mar 18 Annual Business Meeting
- Mar 24 Prayer and Praise Service (in lieu of church fasting)

Special Mention: We mourn (though not as those without hope) the passing of the 2018 SDB World Federation President-Pastor Jonas Sommer his wife, Clarice , children Marcos & Paula on Thursday February 15, 2018 in a car crash.

We expressed our sympathy and prayed for Brother Reynolds who lost a brother and brother-in-law during the period under review.

Respectfully submitted,

Sis Marva Edwards- Church Clerk

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