

Dear Church Treasurer:

**RE: CHANGES FOR 2026** 

**Cost of Living Adjustment:** CBAC is recommending a cost-of-living adjustment of 2% for all ministry employees.

**Benefits:** Effective January 1, 2026, the following rates will change for CBAC group benefits:

|                                      | 2025 Rates      | 2026 Rates      | %<br>Change |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Basic Life Insurance                 | 23.16           | 23.16           | 0           |
| Spousal & Dependent Life Insurance   | 5.17            | 5.17            | 0           |
| Accidental Death & Dismemberment     | 0.43            | 0.43            | 0           |
| Employee & Family Assistance Program | 3.15            | 3.15            | 0           |
| Long Term Disability                 | 2.788 per \$100 | 2.788 per \$100 | 0           |
| Medical Dental – Single              | 191.27          | 195.10          | 2%          |
| Medical Dental – Family              | 452.45          | 461.50          | 2%          |
| Administration Fee                   | 6.00            | 6.00            | 0           |

**Confidential Information Sheet:** If you have employees in the Pension and/or Insurance Benefit Plan, please complete and return the Confidential Information Sheet with your employees' salary as of January 1, 2026. This form should also be filled in during the year if there is a change in salary.

**Requesting a CBAC Speaker**: If your church would like to request a CBAC speaker for an event at your church, please complete the booking form found on our website: <a href="Speaking">Speaking</a> <a href="Engagement Request">Engagement Request</a> - CBAC. All honorariums are to be made payable to CBAC.

Respectfully,

Karen Gunn Pension and Benefits Manager



## Joining God in Our Neighbourhoods CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION SHEET

## **Long Term Disability and Pension Calculations**

Employee's Name:

|   | (last 6 digits of S.I.N.)    |
|---|------------------------------|
| Effective Date of Salary:   |                              |
| TOTAL GROSS SALARY, which includes either:  |                              |
| <ul> <li>Basic Salary PLUS Housing Allowance OR</li> </ul>  |                              |
| <ul> <li>Basic Salary PLUS Fair Rental Value of Parsonage AND utilities,</li> <li>if paid by the church on behalf of the member</li> </ul>  | <b>A</b> .\$                 |
| # OF PAY PERIODS (Weekly=52, Bi-weekly=26, Semi-monthly=24, Monthly=  | E12) B                       |
| PENSION CONTRIBUTION PER PAY PERIOD   |                              |
| • Employee portion -6% deducted from employee. (A divided by B x 6%)  | C                            |
| <ul> <li>Employer portion - 6% matched by the employer. (A divided by B x 6%)</li> </ul>  | <b>D</b> .\$                 |
| <b>TOTAL Pension Contribution per Pay Period:</b> (C + D)   | <b>E</b> .\$                 |
| <b>NOTE:</b> Send in the number of pay periods each month. Ex: If there are 3 pay periods each month. Ex: If there are 4 pay periods each month. Ex: If there are 4 pay periods each month. Ex: If there are 4 pay periods each month. Ex: If the exist each month. Ex: If there are 4 pay perio | ord Keeper, Canada Life, by  |
| Canada Life does not verify whether the amount is accurate or not.  | ount for each member.        |
| <b>Long Term Disability</b> (LTD) Monthly premiums are determined by Canada Life howe calculated using the following: Total Salary / 12 x .67 x .02788  | ever premiums can roughly be |
| TREASURER   |                              |
| Church:   |                              |
| Treasurer:  |                              |
| Email:  |                              |
| Phone No: Date:   |                              |
| Please complete this form and submit to CBAC whenever   | there is a change in         |

Please complete this form and submit to CBAC whenever there is a change in salary or if you have a new employee.

IMPORTANT: Please return to: Karen Gunn, Pension and Benefits Manager

By email: karen.gunn@baptist-atlantic.ca

Or by mail: PO Box 6003, Moncton, NB E1C 0V7