

Granum Christian Reformed Church

Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom

Sunday, August 18, 2019

August 18, 2019 ~ Order of Worship

Entering God's Presence

Welcome & Call to Worship ~ Psalm 111:1-5,10

*Song ~ "O Give the Lord Wholehearted Praise" L502:1,4-7

*God's Greeting

*Song ~ "It Is Good to Sing Your Praises" L513

Experiencing God's Grace

Call to Confession ~ 1 John 1:8-2:2

Prayer of Confession

Song ~ "Not What My Hands Have Done" L624

Guide for Christian Living ~ 10 Commandments

*Song of Dedication ~ "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" L737

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading ~ Luke 11:1-13, 1 Timothy 2:1-6

Sermon ~ "Covenant Communication Is Worship"

Prayer

Responding to God's Word

*Song of Response~ "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

Congregational Prayer

Song ~ "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" L897

Offering ~ Paul Kaufman

*Offertory Prayer

Receiving God's Blessing

*Benediction

*Song ~ "Go My Children" L946

*Please stand if able

MUSICIANS:

Today- Jennie & Marg

Next Sunday- Jennie

GREETERS:

Today- Peter & Nadia

Next Sunday- Gary & Sylvia

USHER:

Today- Justin & Gary

Next Sunday- Jeanette & Chris

A/V TEAM:

Today- Jeanette & Chris

Next Sunday- Adam & Alex

NURSERY:

Today- Sherry & Charlie

Next Sunday- Kaylee W. & Alex

OFFERING:

Today- Paul Kaufman

Next Sunday- General Fund

LIBRARY:

Aug- Suellen & Alex

TODAY:

Nursery is available and is located upstairs

THIS WEEK:

Coming Up:

Aug 27- Congregational Prayer Meeting

Sept 1- Steve Frieswick preaching

Everyone is invited to join in the Fellowship Hall following the service for coffee.

CHURCH FAMILY

Please remember our members who need ongoing prayer, including:
Henrietta, Sippie, Thea, Ralph, Aylmer & Norma, Albert & Barb, Hetty & Bill, and Rob, Crystal & Alex.

Happy Birthday to Georgina August 18th!!

OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

~Fairbooth Ministry: Granum CRC along with other CRC churches is manning a booth at the Lethbridge Whoop Up Days, August 20 - 24. our time slot is Thursday, August 22, 2019 from 1 pm till 9 pm. If you are willing to help out for a minimum of 2 hours (visiting, handing out free Christian literature, self-help and other books), please see Margriet (687-2168). Exhibition ticket will be provided (parking at your own cost)

~ Sunday School is looking for some new volunteers for the upcoming Sunday School year. We are looking for people who have a desire to teach the youngest in our congregation about the love of God, to develop their love of God and to have a personal relationship with Him. All lessons will be provided and some prep work the week before will allow both you and the kids to get more out of each lesson. Currently teachers create their own schedules with their teaching partner, which is typically 2 weeks on and 2 weeks off. We run from September to May and the Lord willing plan to start the new year on Sunday September 15. Please contact Jenn or Leanne if you feel called to this wonderful ministry.

~ to the congregation of Granum CRC: We are grateful for your donations of \$5,019.50 for World Renew programs received from April to June 2019. Your gifts are making a difference through the Program Fund and projects in Tanzania. Every day, World Renew bears witness to God's love at work among people who live in poverty, as hope and grace overcome fear and despair. Thank you for your commitment to the ongoing work of transformation, to which we are all called. To learn more about how you can continue to partner with World Renew to change the story, visit worldrenew.net, and please get and use our latest prayer updates at worldrenew.net/pray.

August 14, 2019 Council Meeting Notes

- Council thanks Margriet and Sylvia for organizing and all who helped serve the Jamboree breakfast.
- Most of the meeting dealt with the general matters of church.
- Next council meeting: Wednesday, September 4 at 7pm. Elders will meet at 6:30pm.

GRANUM CRC NEWSLETTER

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OUR COMMUNITY

Immanuel Christian Schools Bits & Bytes Golf Classic - Saturday, September 7, 2019 at 9:00 am. Entry fee is \$125 and includes 18 holes of golf, a power cart, prizes and a fantastic steak dinner. Register online (link on Society for Christian Education website), email events@immanuelcs.ca or phone 403-634-7297 with your name and average score. Sponsors wanted! Email events @immanuel.ca or call 403-634-7297 if you would like to be a sponsor.

Shred Fest - Christian Credit Union - Member Appreciation Event, BBQ Lunch. Friday, Aug. 23, 11am to 2pm
Free! Paper shredding, Food and refreshments, Activities and prizes. Guests are welcome! www.christiancu.ca

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD

Bowden Walk-A-Thon- The men of Bowden are "Walking for Uganda"! On Saturday, Sept. 7, the men in the Bowden Institution here in Alberta, are having a walk-a-thon inside the walls of their prison. All the proceeds of the walk-a-thon are going to World Renew's work in Uganda Their goal is to raise \$25,000 in support of the farmers there. That goal will allow for agricultural training of 1,190 community members for one year. All donations will be doubled by the Canadian Government through CFGB.

You can help in any of these ways: Make a donation to the Bowden walk-a-thon online at www.worldrenew.net/Bowden, by phone at 1-888-975-3769, or by mailing a cheque with memo "Bowden walk-a-thon" to World Renew at 3475 Mainway, STN LCD 1, Burlington, ON L7R 3Y8.

- Put together a group to walk in your neighborhood at the same time.

Youth Justice Project - MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY! The Youth Justice Project is an annual video contest funded by NewGround (a program of Diaconal Ministries Canada). Teens from CRCs across Canada are invited to identify an injustice in their community and share ways they hope to address it. Winners will receive money, as well as coaching and support, from NewGround staff. Get more information on our website: diaconalministries.com/newground/new-ground-youth-justice-project/

Do you have a heart for young people with special needs? - Resonate Global Mission partner Tesoros de Dios needs you! Tesoros de Dios provides services to children and adolescents with special needs in Nicaragua, and they have opportunities to serve as an occupational therapist, speech and language pathologist, maintenance assistant, donor relations coordinator, chaplain, and more! Discover your opportunity to serve by visiting resonateglobalmission.org/go and searching for Tesoros de Dios.

World Renew Opportunities - If you are passionate about World Renew's work and advancing His kingdom, check out the following career and RFQ opportunities currently available with World Renew. These include: Director of Donor Relations, USA (based in Grand Rapids, MI); and an RFQ (Request for Quotation) for an Online Learning Facilitator. See worldrenew.net/careers for more details about these opportunities and the links to apply, or instructions for submitting proposals.

In China- A Christian woman from Shenzhen penned a letter titled, "Horrible," to describe the abuse her family suffered at the hands of governmental authorities. Shi Minglei was leaving for work on the morning of July 22nd when she saw a group of officials hiding in the fire escape. They rushed into her home, breaking down the door, to arrest her husband, Cheng Yuan. Cheng is reported to be a member of a non-government organization. Pray that Gods peace which surpasses all understanding will continue to rest on Cheng, Shi and their young daughter. Prayerfully uphold the many Christians in China who are imprisoned for their faith and that Gods peace will continue to rest on His people