

Granum Christian Reformed Church

Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom

Sunday, May 19, 2019

May 19, 2019 ~ Order of Worship

Entering God's Presence

Welcome & Call to Worship ~ Psalm 118:24-29

*Song ~ "Give Thanks to God for All His Goodness" L196:1-3

*God's Greeting

*Song ~ "Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna" L204

Experiencing God's Grace

Call to Confession ~ Isaiah 55:6-7

Prayer of Confession

Song ~ "And Can It Be" L695

Call to Christian Living ~ Romans 12:1-3

*Song ~ "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" L325

Hearing God's Word

+Children's Blessing

Scripture ~ Luke 18:1-8, Catechism LD 45

Sermon ~ The Discipline of Praying Continually

Prayer of Application

Responding to God's Word

*Song ~ "Take Time to Be Holy" B451

Congregational Prayer

Offering ~ One Book

*Offertory Prayer

Receiving God's Blessing

*Benediction

*Song ~ "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" L936

*Please stand if able

+Children PreK-Gr.1 dismissed for Sunday School

TODAY:

Nursery is available and is located upstairs

Sunday School ~ PreK-Gr1 dismissed during service

~All other classes meet after

Assembly ~ Sunday School kids meet after the service

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

MUSICIANS:

Today- Hermina

Next Sunday- Worship Team

GREETERS:

Today- Charlie & Sonja

Next Sunday- Grant & Jeanette

USHER:

Today- Matt & Ryan

Next Sunday- Jeanette & Justin

A/V TEAM:

Today- Jeanette, Chris

Next Sunday- Lynae, Jeremy, Bryn

SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPER:

Today- Tyson

Next Sunday- Charlie

NURSERY:

Today- Sylvia & Sarah

Next Sunday- Sharla & Mary

OFFERING:

Today- One Book

Next Sunday- General Fund

LIBRARY:

May- Jo & Merry

CHURCH FAMILY

We extend our condolences to Sheila and Gerald and the family in the passing of Sheila's father, Roger VanDellen, on Wednesday. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, May 21 at Trinity URC at 1pm.

We thank the Lord that Thelma is improving and has returned home from the hospital. We pray the Lord will continue to give her healing.

Please keep Ralph in prayer as he was hospitalized after he suffered a stroke-like incident and is unable to move his foot or walk.

Please remember our members who need ongoing prayer, including:

Henrietta, Sippie, Thea, Ralph, Aylmer & Norma,
Albert & Barb, Hetty & Bill, and
Rob, Crystal & Alex.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

This Week:

Tuesday: Claresholm Chapel
2:30- Porcupine Lodge
3:45-Cottonwood
Wed/Thurs.: 7:00pm – Ladies Craft Nights
Thursday: 9:30am – Golden Hour (last meeting)

Coming Up:

Next Sunday May 26 - Soup & Bun
(Group #3 Joanne N. & Breanne)
May 28- Congregational Prayer Meeting

OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

~ Ladies craft night: Wednesday May 22 or Thursday May 23 at 7:00pm. Come out and create a unique flower pot for succulents. All materials to decorate your pot and succulents provided. Cost is \$20, sign-up sheet is located on the library counter. If you have any questions talk to Jenn or Diane.

~ Funeral luncheon services: You will find a brief note in your church mailboxes about funeral lunch services which can be organized by the Golden Hour Serving Committee. Please talk to one of the Golden Hour or Serving Committee members if you have any questions about this service.

~ Attention Graduates: We would like to celebrate your graduation with you and mark this milestone in your lives. Please send your name and level or program you are completing this spring to granumcrrpublications@gmail.com

~ROAR VBS!! July 22-29 (9-11:30am) Pre-registration is now open!! Please visit our website www.granumcrr.com and click on VBS to pre-register your children online. We hope to have a nursery available for parents that are willing to help out this year, so if you have any children younger than pre-school age please pre-register them as well and select "Nursery" for their grade. Children pre-school (3yrs) to entering Gr.6 are welcome to join us for VBS this year. Thank you for your support as always. For any issues registering online talk to Amanda.

If you have any other questions or are willing to help us out in any way please speak to Leanne.
We would greatly appreciate having you pre-register your children by June 1, so that we can prepare accordingly.

GRANUM CRC NEWSLETTER

May 19, 2019

IN OUR COMMUNITY

ICS Spring Membership Meeting: Please join us for the Spring Membership Meeting on Monday, May 27, 2019, at 7:30 pm at Immanuel Christian Secondary School. All parents and Society members are encouraged to attend as the Board will present the final plans and financials regarding the proposed expansion at the elementary campus. Further information for the meeting is available online at www.societyforchristianeducation.org or a few printed copies are in the foyer of your church and at the Society Office.

Rehoboth Christian Ministries invites you to come and play at our Annual Charity Golf Classic, on Saturday May 25, at the beautiful Paradise Canyon Golf Resort. Register online at: <https://www.rehoboth.ab.ca/events/golf-tournaments/>, or by calling Sigrid at 403-345-5199 ext. 302. Our goal is to raise \$50,000! All monies raised will be used towards our Coaldale & Lethbridge programs.

NEWS! GEMS Camp This year we are introducing a Transition Year program for Grade 9 girls. It will be a camp year between being a camper and being a Junior Counselor. The girls will be taught leadership skills, be encouraged to discover their unique talents and gifts, and will be challenged to build on their faith, all within the unique atmosphere of camp. The registration process will remain the same, except for the cost, which will be \$100. The deadline for registration for the TY year will be May 30, 2019. Please contact Bonnie Bennik at gbbennik@platinum.ca if you have any questions.

Mission Thrift Store is looking for 2 energetic students for the summer for 30 hours a week. Job duties would include receiving, sorting, merchandising, tagging and cashier. Start date will be July 2 and end August 31, 2019. If interested please drop your resumes off at the Lethbridge Mission Thrift Store, 3001 32nd Street S or email Marlene at lethbridge@missionthriftstore.com. Closing date June 8, 2019.

World Renew in Nobleford Are you interested in the work of World Renew? You are invited to attend a presentation by Faye Yu of World Renew Malawi on Sunday, May 26 at 6:00 pm in the Nobleford CRC. Come to hear Faye speak about the work World Renew is doing on behalf of our denomination working with people who are disadvantaged through no fault of their own. Hear how World Renew is helping people lift themselves out of poverty through community development in the areas of health, agriculture, financing, cooperation, etc. Stay afterward for coffee and fellowship and a time to talk with Faye and other World Renew representatives. No RSVP needed.

LPCC Baby Bottle Campaign- Did you know that when you give to the Baby Bottle Campaign for the Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Centre, you're helping relieve some of the financial and emotional pressures for many women facing unplanned pregnancy? In the current economy, more women are turning to the Centre for free pregnancy testing, options counseling and support. Your giving makes it possible for the Center to meet these growing needs! If you didn't get your bottle last week, you can still participate —just pick one up today and fill it with coins, cash, or a cheque between now and when we collect the bottles on Father's Day, June 16th.

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD

Canadian National Gathering 2019 - Members of CRC churches from across Canada will be gathering in Edmonton at King's University next weekend (May 24 - 26) to listen to what the Spirit is saying to the CRC. Through intense prayer, discussion, and celebrative worship, your fellow CRC members will try to discern where the Spirit may be leading the church in an increasingly secular age where actions speak louder than words. Please bathe Gathering 2019 with your prayers.

Career Opportunities- World Renew is currently recruiting for the following positions: Director of Donor Relations, USA, based in Grand Rapids, MI; Chief Advancement Officer based in Grand Rapids, MI; Monitoring and Evaluations Intern based in Grand Rapids, MI and Director of Donor Relations, Canada based in Burlington, ON. If you are passionate about seeing transformation as people are empowered to live healthy, fruitful lives, please see our website for more information on these positions, and for the links to apply: worldrenew.net/careers.

In Belarus- Officials have rejected the registration application for the Your Will Be Done Church in Minsk for the sixth time after a government official pressured a potential landlord to not rent their facility to the church. Due to fear of punishment, the congregation has chosen to not meet for worship without registration. Earlier plans to have Franklin Graham as one of the featured guest speakers were cancelled when permission for him to speak had been denied. The Baptist Union intends to continue with plans for the festival at a later date, provided permission can be obtained. Pray for the many churches in Belarus that are facing these trials that the Lord will make a way for this needed ministry