# Granum Christian Reformed Church

**Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom** 

Sunday, October 31, 2021

#### October 31, 2021 ~ Order of Worship Pastor Matt Vanden Heuvel

#### **Entering God's Presence**

#### **Experiencing God's Grace**

Call to Confession
Prayer of Confession
\*Song ~ "His Mercy Is More"

#### **Hearing God's Word**

Children Leave for Sunday School Scripture ~ Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-20 Sermon ~ "What God Said" Prayer of Application

#### Responding to God's Word

\*Song ~ "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" L776 Congregational Prayer \*Offertory Prayer for General Fund

#### **Receiving God's Blessing**

\*Benediction \*Song ~ "Our God" L580

\*Please stand if able

#### **MUSICIANS:**

Today- Worship Team Next Sunday- Worship Team

#### A/V TEAM:

Today- Stacey, Adam & Bryn Next Sunday- Adam, Alex & Aidan

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Today- Diane & Paige Next Sunday- Diane & Janessa

#### **OFFERING:**

Today- General Fund Next Sunday- World Renew

## **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

November 2- Emerson November 5- Sarah G.

November 6- Henny

- Hermina W

- Mary Lou

- Breanne

Congratulations to everyone celebrating Birthdays this week!

#### TODAY:

#### Sunday School

- Children Infant to Grade 1 leave during the service
- Children Grades 2-6 will meet after the service

#### THIS WEEK:

Wednesday- 7:00/7:30pm Elders/Council Meeting

#### **CHURCH FAMILY**

Congratulations to Trent and Alex Ovinge who were married last Saturday. May the Lord bless their marriage!

Congratulations to Tom and Rachel on the birth of their son, Denton Johan, on October 19. We also congratulate Johan and the van Haarst family for another grandchild added to the family. Praise the Lord for the gift of life!

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

### **OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We kindly request that an adult or older sibling assist children out of the sanctuary during Sunday school and nursery dismissal, and if applicable to ensure children have used the bathroom prior to drop off at the classrooms. Please be respectful of the volunteers and fellow classmates and keep children home if they are feeling unwell.

Recorded videos of services can be found on our Granum CRC YouTube channel.

Go to YouTube and in search box enter "GranumCRC AV" and click on that search result option.

Then click on the video you want to watch.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCs0yVIMAC\_bnTpqX8Ch0xfA
Previous bulletins with order of worship can be found on our website.
https://www.granumcrc.com/news-1

Website: <a href="www.granumcrc.com">www.granumcrc.com</a> Announcements: <a href="mailto:info@granumcrc.com">info@granumcrc.com</a> Submission deadline is Thursday 12:00 pm.

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# **GRANUM CRC NEWSLETTER**

October 31, 2021

#### **OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY**

October is Infant Loss Awareness Month. Lethbridge and District Pro-Life would like to honor and acknowledge the grief of mothers, fathers, and their families who have experienced infant loss, by offering a place to commemorate these children. Our Memorial in Royal View Cemetery in North Lethbridge has space for names and dates of children who do not have a burial site or were not able to have a funeral. These plaques are for miscarriages, abortions, stillbirths, or tragic losses after birth. There is no cost to the families. Please email <a href="mailto:infantmemorialldpl@gmail.com">infantmemorialldpl@gmail.com</a> with the child's name (can be first only or first and last) and date you would like to acknowledge, or if you have any questions about this memorial. Absolute confidentiality will be maintained. Going forward, this will be an annual event during October and the memorial will be updated with names once per year. For 2021 we are taking names until November 30. Names submitted after that will be added the following year.

October is Rehoboth Membership Month! We invite you to become a Rehoboth member and partner with our ministry of supporting persons with developmental disabilities. Membership fees are \$10 each and additional donations of any amount are greatly appreciated. You can donate online through https://www.rcmflourish.ca/donate/donation-form/. You can also mail in your membership to: Box 1312, Coaldale AB, T1M 1N1. Thank you for your prayerful consideration!

**The Elim Society** is looking for a person to assist with the administration of Elim Village, working two days a week, work days are negotiable. Duties include office administration, resident services and Board support. As a shared job position, the successful candidate will have the benefit of learning the job with an experienced administrator. For full details, please see the Elim Society website at elimlethbridge.org. Competition closes Nov. 15, 2021. Please send your resume to foodservice.elimvillage@gmail.com.

#### **CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD**

**Praise Prayers** - Check out this week's kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. What are some words that you can use to describe God? When we tell God how wonderful we think he is, it helps us remember who he is and everything he has done for us. Listen now at kidscorner.net and subscribe to KC's weekly emails for all the new content.

**Groundwork: Jonah: Running Away from God** - What happens when we try to run away from God? Join Groundwork as we begin our study of Jonah. Together we'll discuss the resonance of Jonah 1 for our lives today and find assurance in God's persistent and relentless love for his people. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

**At-home Faith Practice Reflection tip** - Reflection and Discussion Starter—the Practice of Gratitude: Today is "Reformation Sunday." Read "Ten Ways My Reformed Identity Shapes My Life" (tinyurl.com/10WaysReformed) and ponder or discuss the following questions. (For more on faith practices from Faith Formation Ministries, visit bit.ly/FaithPracticesProject) If you identify with the Reformed tradition, what difference does holding this worldview make in your daily life? What parts of the Reformed worldview especially spark gratitude in you? How might you more fully experience God's abundant grace so that you can live out of gratitude?