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Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom

Sunday, September 20, 2020

September 20, 2020 ~ Order of Worship

Entering God's Presence

Call to Worship ~ John 1:1-4, 9-12 *Song ~ "How Great Thou Art" L553 *God's Greeting *Song ~ "O Praise the Name"

Experiencing God's Grace

Call to Prayer ~ Romans 8:28-34 **Prayer of Confession** Song ~ "Grace" God's Word of Assurance ~ Romans 8:35-39 *Song ~ "His Mercy Is More"

Hearing God's Word

Scripture ~ Acts 9:1-19 Sermon ~ Irresistible Grace **Prayer of Application**

Responding to God's Word

*Song ~ "All I Have Is Christ" Congregational Prayer *Song: "The Lord Is My Salvation Offering ~ Resonate Missions Offertory Prayer

Receiving God's Blessing

*Benediction *Songs ~ "May the Peace of God (Benediction)" "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*Please stand if able

MUSICIANS:

Today- Worship Team Next Sunday- Worship Team

GREETERS:

Today-Next Sunday-

USHERS:

Today- Justin & Adam Next Sunday- Allyn & Gary

A/V TEAM:

Today- Lynae, Jeremy & Bryn Next Sunday- Adam, Andrea & Aidan

OFFERING:

Today- Resonate Missions Next Sunday- General Fund

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

September 21- Jack V. September 24- Gracelyn September 25- Klaas

- Beverly

September 26- Rob V.



Congratulations to everyone celebrating Birthdays this week!

TODAY:

Nursery is not available today Sunday School- no class today

This Week:

Tuesday- Women's Bible Study 7:30 pm

CHURCH FAMILY

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

OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The women's bible study at Amy's house will be starting up again this Tuesday, September 22 at 7:30 and will continue to run every other Tuesday. We will finish up our study of "The Armor of God" by Priscilla Shirer which will take 3-4 weeks. All women are welcome, just bring your bible and yourself! For more information, contact Amy.

The Lord willing, Coffee Break will be starting up on Wednesday, Sept 30 at 9:45. We have two more lessons to finish to complete our study on Revelation. Next, we will be doing a study by John MacArthur called Courage in Times of Trouble based on 1&2

Peter. All are welcome to join!

September 14, 2020 Council Meeting Notes

- Discussion continued about starting group ministries. The tentative start date for Sunday School and
 other youth ministries is sometime in October. Other groups may begin when they choose, observing AB
 health guidelines, and should inform the custodians to ensure used spaces are cleaned after meetings.
- Council reminds the congregation that worship services are shown in the gym on Sunday mornings.
 Space is available for social distancing and if parents need to take their children out of the sanctuary.
- Issues related to the recorded services were discussed. It is an unfortunate reality that it takes hours to
 upload the video to our YouTube channel because of our rural internet. Also, our internet cannot handle
 live-streaming our services. If you watch our recorded services, you are encouraged to subscribe to our
 "Granum CRC AV" YouTube channel. By subscribing, you will receive notification when new videos are
 uploaded and available rather than having to wait for the video link to be emailed.
- Council began the process of collecting names for new office-bearers. The congregation can submit names to the Clerk. This year we need two elders and one deacon.
- All are invited to attend the informal prayer meetings on the 2nd and last Tuesdays of the month. If you have items for prayer, you can let Pastor Henry know.
- Next Council meeting: Monday, October 5, 2020 at 7pm. Elders will meet at 6:30pm.

GRANUM CRC NEWSLETTER

September 20, 2020

OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

Fort Macleod/Granum Local of Immanuel Christian Schools are excited to host a Croquette Fundraiser in lieu of our Annual Turkey Supper (which sadly we had to cancel). As the Turkey Supper was always a very successful fundraiser for our schools, we would very much appreciate monetary donations in addition to your croquette order if you are able to do so. Charitable Donation tax receipts are available upon request. Turkey croquettes will be available to pre-order online, for \$15/dozen. Order deadline is September 21, 2020. Croquette orders will be available for pick up at ICSS (in the parking lot by ball diamonds) on October 8 between 12:00-4:00pm. If this date does not suit you please make arrangements for someone to pick up your order for you. At this time, we will be preparing Croquettes based on pre-orders only. Payment by cheque payable to ICS (memo: Croquette Fundraiser) or cash is required on pick up date. Online order link: bit.ly/croquetteorder If you have any questions please contact Heidi at 403-393-3060 or email ics.fmglocal@gmail.com

Rehoboth is seeking a new contact person/family for your church! This would include stuffing mailboxes for special events (4 times a year), passing out newsletters (2 times a year), and advocating for Rehoboth for the Membership Campaign in October. Please consider if this might be a calling for you, and contact Sigrid at Rehoboth Christian Ministries in Coaldale: sigrid.miklos@rcmflourish.ca or 403-320-5199 ext 302 if you have any questions. Thank you for considering this area of service.

The Elim Society for Seniors Care- is a not-for-profit Christian organization dedicated to providing quality seniors housing in Lethbridge. We are looking to hire a part-time accountant to work approximately 20 – 25 hours per month. You will prepare, manage and analyze all accounting data, in order to provide quantitative information on financial position, solvency, liquidity and cash flows of our organization. For a detailed job description or more information please contact us at elimsocietylethbridge@gmail.com, or call 403-715-1929.

Lethbridge Pro-Life's LIFE CHAIN will be changed to LAWN CHAIN FOR LIFE this year due to COVID restrictions! We will not gather at Henderson Lake to stand side by side holding our signs for one hour. Instead, we ask that you place a lawn-ready coroplast sign in your yard during the month of October. We hope that the messages we put out in our neighborhoods would be conversation starters and heart-changers. We would be happy to drop off a sign with a message that you choose from the options that we have. Simply message us on Facebook, email us at lprolife@shaw.ca, or call us at 403-320-5433 with your address. We will make the best arrangements to get to out-of-town supporters as well!

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD

GROUNDWORK: BE HOLY - The theme of Leviticus—to be holy because God is holy—still applies to followers of Christ today. Join Groundwork as we study Leviticus 11:44-47, Leviticus 19:14-37, and 1 Peter 1:13-16 to help us better understand God's command and what it means for how we live our lives. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

BEIRUT RESPONSE - An explosion took place in the Lebanese capital of Beirut in early August causing enormous damage, killing at least 190 people, injuring 6,500, and leaving more than 300,000 homeless. World Renew would like to extend our thanks to Canadian churches and individuals who have demonstrated Christ's love in giving to the Beirut response—over \$500,000 has been received and many gifts are having double the impact with the Canadian government's match from August 4-24. Through World Renew's partner, MERATH, 6,000 hot meals have already been provided to families affected by the blast. World Renew is also committed to a longer-term response providing food vouchers, hygiene kits, COVID-19 informational leaflets, and winterization supplies (blankets, warm clothes, stoves, and fuel) to vulnerable families. Please join us in praying for our Lebanese brothers and sisters. To stay updated on our response, visit us online at worldrenew.ca or contact us at 1-888-975-3769.