

Granum Christian Reformed Church

Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom

Sunday, January 13, 2019

January 13, 2019 ~ Celebrating Epiphany ~ Installation Sunday

Entering God's Presence

Welcome & Call to Worship: Isaiah 49:5-7

*Song ~ "Shine, Jesus, Shine"

*God's Greeting

*Song ~ "O Church, Arise" (Arise, Shine)

Experiencing God's Grace

Call to Prayer ~ Hebrews 4:14-16

Prayers of God's People

*Song ~ "Before the Throne of God Above" L682

Hearing God's Word

Children's Blessing

Scripture ~ Isaiah 60:1-11, 19-22

Sermon ~ "Christ, the Light of the World"

Prayer of Application

*Song of Response ~ "Christ, Be Our Light" L908

Serving God and His People

Installation of Office Bearers (Grey p.1004)

*Song of Dedication ~ "Be Thou My Vision" L859

Offering ~ Roland Vanderburg

*Offertory Prayer

Receiving God's Blessing

*Blessing ~ Psalm 67:1-2

*Closing Song ~ "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun"

*Please stand if able

+Children PreK-Gr.1 dismissed for Sunday School

MUSICIAN:

Today- Amy

Next Sunday- Hermina

GREETERS:

Today- Mike & Jenn

Next Sunday- Peter & Nadia

USHER:

Today- Peter & Trudy

Next Sunday- Jason & Matt

A/V TEAM:

Today- Glenn, Jeremy, Aidan

Next Sunday- Jeanette, Chris

SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPER:

Today- Tyson

Next Sunday- Charlie

NURSERY:

Today- Sharla & Mary

Next Sunday- Sherry & Olivia

OFFERING:

Today- Roland Vanderburg

Next Sunday- OneBook

TODAY:

Nursery is available and is located upstairs

Sunday School ~ PreK-Gr 1 dismissed during service

~All other classes meet after the service

Installation of new Council Members

2pm- Pioneer Lodge Singing

3pm- Extendicare Singing

3pm- Young Adults

Following the Worship Service, everyone is invited to join for coffee in the Fellowship Hall.

CHURCH FAMILY

Please keep Annika, Joe & Yvonne, and family in prayer. Annika will go to Montreal this month to undergo a spinal fusion to help treat her scoliosis. We pray the surgery and recovery will go well and be effective.

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

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

This Week:

Tuesday 9:30am – Ladies Bible Study
Wednesday 9:45am – Coffee Break
Thursday 7:00pm – Volleyball

Happy Birthday:

Pastor Henry~January 17th!

Coming Up:

Jan 20- Soup & Bun Lunch (Work Group #8- Jeanette & Tom)
Jan 21- Cadets/GEMS (Danae snack)
Jan 22- Womens Bible Studie
- Ladies Evening Bible Study
Jan 23- Coffee Break
Jan 24- Golden Hour
-No Volleyball (Tentative Ladies Craft night)
Jan 26- Men's Life

OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

~ Anyone interested in making Profession of Faith can contact Pastor Henry. We will meet over the winter on a flexible schedule that suits the group.

~The 2019 Getty Conference on Music in Worship will happen August 19-21 in Nashville. The theme this year is "The Life of Christ." Anyone interested should look at the Getty website or talk to a previous attendee for more information, and then let Worship Committee know if you'd like to go. Council has okayed some funds for this event.

~Movie Night will begin again on January 25 at 6:30pm. We will watch "Paul, Apostle of Christ" with a different movie for kids.

January 9, 2019 Council Meeting Notes

- Outgoing Council Members reflected on their terms in council and mutual encouragement was expressed by all. Thank you to Menzo, Peter, Adam, and Ryan for their service.
- Election of Executive Officers: Chair ~ Jerry; Vice-Chair ~ Charlie; Clerk ~ Fred; Vice-All ~ Gary
- The Pro-Life panels on our billboard sign were damaged from wind and vandalism. Council is looking for suggestions on what message to put on billboard. Please let David know your ideas.
- Council completed the annual Pastor's Review where feedback with pastor is given.
- Our local Foodgrains Growing Project produced \$78,918 for 2018. The Canadian Government matches this amount 4 to 1. Thank you to all involved in this project; your efforts will make a great impact on people's lives.
- Next council meeting: Wednesday, February 6 at 7pm.

GRANUM CRC NEWSLETTER

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IN OUR COMMUNITY

~From Immanuel Christian Schools

- Immanuel Christian Schools offers Christ-centred Early Education to Grade 12 at two campuses in Lethbridge, AB, as part of Lethbridge School District No.51. Registration dates for the 2019-2020 school year are as follows:
 - Monday, January 14 – Registration opens for K-Gr.12 (Kindergarten students must be 5 years old by Dec 31, 2019)
 - Monday, January 21 – Registration opens for continuing Early Education Program students
 - Monday, February 4 – Registration opens for new Early Education students
 - Monday, April 15 - Early Education & Kindergarten Open House, 6:30-8:00pm at ICES
 - Registration and Society membership forms are available online at www.societyforchristianeducation.org or at the school offices. If have any questions, please contact the Society Office at 403-327-4223. School tours are available upon request.

~From Lethbridge Pro-Life

- YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR ANNUAL DINNER, AGM & SPEAKER to be held Thursday, February 7, 2019 at Trinity Reformed Church, Lethbridge (1100 – 40 Ave. N). Our guest speaker this year is Peter Heck — TOPIC: “A Time for Choosing”. Peter is an author, speaker and teacher who lives in Kokomo, Indiana with his wife Jenny, and their 3 children. Peter has a Bachelor of Science in both Social Studies Education and Political Science, and a Masters in Political Science. For more information about Peter, go to his website: www.peterheck.com
Doors open at 6:00 p.m. with a delicious dinner served at 6:30 p.m. (PCCS Caterers) and speaker at approx. 8:00 p.m.
Tickets are paid at the door: \$25 for adults and \$15 for students. Speaker only (7:45-8:00 start time): free with a donation to the Food Bank. Please reserve your dinner seat ahead by calling the pro-life office at 403-320-5433; e-mail: lproulife@shaw.ca; or visit our website at www.lifelethbridge.org through the contact form.

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD

~CRC Communications

- Pray for Inspire 2019 - Inspire 2019 is a conference to connect people from across the 1000+ churches in the Christian Reformed Church for three days of worship, workshops, speakers, and conversation. As we plan and prepare for this event, happening August 1-3 in Windsor, Ont., please join us in praying for the event and all who will attend. This week, please pray for those involved in the planning - that they will be encouraged in their ongoing work and that many will be blessed through the event.

~World Renew

- World Renew Career Opportunity - Donor Relations and Advancement Manager - Are you passionate about donor relations? Do you have experience leading a team? If so, we have an opportunity for you! World Renew, an agency of the CRCNA, has a full-time opening for a Donor Relations and Advancement Manager within our Constituency Relations (CORE) team, based in Burlington, ON. This position will cultivate and maintain relationships with donors; provide analysis and financial reporting of donor development; provide leadership and supervision to the team in Canada and manage donor administrative systems in Canada. Please visit our website at worldrenew.net/careers for more information, or to apply
- World Renew Career Opportunity - Project Manager - Do you have a heart for responding to disasters around the world? Do you have a passion and gift in project management and administration? World Renew is looking to hire a Project Manager to join our International Disaster Response Team. Primary responsibilities include designing and submitting of proposals; managing, tracking and monitoring project implementation (including budgets and personnel) and contributing to efficient processes and systems. More information about this position, and the link to apply online, can be found on our website at worldrenew.net/careers.

~In India

- Christians in India have frequently faced opposition from neighbours as well as authorities. A growth in Hindu nationalism has exacerbated the problem. According to Evangelical Fellowship of India, incidents have risen to a never-before level in Uttar Pradesh, India's most populous state. An incident that took place late October, where a group of believers were meeting in Agra when a mob of 40 to 50 people forced their way in. Many of the gathered Christians were beaten, and seven of them left in serious condition. Please uphold these Christians in India in your prayers Pray that those affected will stand firm in their faith Also that Christians in various denominations will support and encouraging each other.