# Granum Christian Reformed Church

**Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom** 

Sunday, June 16, 2019

# June 16, 2019 ~ Order of Worship

# **Entering God's Presence**

Welcome & Call to Worship ~ 1 John 4:9-13

\*Song ~ "God Is Here" L246

\*God's Greeting

\*Song ~ "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"

# **Experiencing God's Grace**

Call to Prayer ~ Romans 8:12-16
Prayer of Confession
Song ~ "I Call to You, My Rock" L649
Call to Christian Living ~ Romans 12:3-5,10
\*Song ~ "For Freedom Christ Has Set Us Free" L679

# **Hearing God's Word**

Scripture Reading ~ 1 Corinthians 7:25-35 Sermon ~ Married or Not, We Belong to Christ Prayer of Application

# Responding to God's Word

\*Song ~ "Help Us Accept Each Other" L318 Congregational Prayer Offering ~ Aboriginal Ministries \*Offertory Prayer

# Receiving God's Blessing

\*Benediction
\*Song ~ "May the Peace of God (Benediction)

\*Please stand if able

# **OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

~ Youth Group will have a concession at the church picnic with the following for sale:

\$1 candy bags/cotton candy

\$1 water, pop, juice box

\$2 ice cream cone

\$2 Root beer float

Cash or cheques only, no I owe you.

### MUSICIANS:

Today- Hermina Next Sunday- Worship Team

#### **GREETERS:**

Today- Adam & Amy Next Sunday- Anton & Joanne

#### USHFR.

Today- Trudy & Jason Next Sunday- Grant & Menzo

#### A/V TEAM:

Today- Jeanette & Ben Next Sunday- Lynae, Alex, Bryn

#### NURSERY:

Today- Megan & Ben Next Sunday- Diane & Andrea

#### OFFERING:

Today- Aboriginal Ministries
Next Sunday- Roland Vanderburg

# LIBRARY:

June - Kay & Merry

#### TODAY:

Nursery is available and is located upstairs

VBS Volunteer Meeting- after service (upstairs)

Soup & Bun Lunch ~ Noon (Work Group #4 -Jan & Gary G)

LPCC Baby bottles are due back today

#### Coming Up:

June 25- Congregational Prayer meeting
June 29 – Church Picnic

Everyone is invited to join in the Fellowship Hall following the service for coffee and stay for Soup & Bun lunch at noon!

# **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.

# GRANUM CRC NEWSLETTER

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# IN OUR COMMUNITY

LPCC Baby Bottle Campaign- Still have your bottle from the Baby Bottle Campaign for the Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Centre? It's not too late to see your change become part of the formula for hope in the lives of the clients that access the LPCC's ministry. If you forgot to bring your bottle this Sunday, you can return it to the church next Sunday or drop it off at the Center anytime they're open (118-8 St. S. (check www.lethbridgepregcentre.com or call 403-942-1819 for directions and hours). If you don't get a chance to fill your bottle in the next few weeks, please return it anyway so it can be used next year!

# **CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD**

**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 openness to God's leading in all sessions. Pray that all who attend Inspire 2019 will hear his voice in their lives, and that presenters will listen and obey as they prepare and lead sessions. Pray that God will keep out all distractions, tension, fear, and other things that keep us from hearing his voice.

**Program Coordinator in Haiti -** Resonate Global Mission has a full-time opening for a Program Coordinator in Haiti. In this position, you'll be responsible for creating and maintaining effective programs in Haiti by empowering staff and volunteers, working closely with Haitian partner organizations, and more! Learn more about this position and how to apply at <a href="https://www.resonateglobalmission.org/servehaiti">www.resonateglobalmission.org/servehaiti</a>.

In China- Even though opposition to Christianity grows throughout China, churches in rural areas in particular are experiencing rapid growth. One Christian stated that "people are joining churches by the whole village, one village after another." When asked why, the believer said one factor is that limited financial resources force people to rely on God in their everyday lives. To counteract the growing impact of the church, the Chinese government is using a variety of tools. Throughout the country, churches have been shut down. Government departments accessed video footage from the church's entrance, identifying those attending. Church members were then contacted at their places of employment with threats of being fired Ask the Lord to work mightily in the hearts of government officials who are opposing the message of the cross