Granum Christian Reformed Church

Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom

Sunday, February 4, 2024

February 4, 2024 ~ Order of Worship

Entering God's Presence

Call to Worship ~ Psalm 103:1-5, 20-22
*Song ~ "O Come, My Soul" L672:1-3
*God's Greeting
*Song ~ "I Will Sing of My Redeemer" L568

Celebrating God's Grace in Lord's Supper

Lord's Supper
Prayer of Thanksgiving
*Song ~ "O Christ, Our Hope, Our Heart's Desire" L828:1-4

Hearing God's Word

Children's Blessing Scripture Reading ~ Matthew 3:13-17 Sermon ~ "Jesus, Baptized as One of Us" Prayer of Application

Responding to God's Word

*Song ~ "There Is a Redeemer" L833
Congregational Prayer
Song during Offering ~ "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" L426
Offering ~ OneBook & Benevolence Fund
*Offertory Prayer

Receiving God's Blessing

*Benediction
*Song ~ "Alleluia, Sing to Jesus" L831:1,2,3

*Please stand if able

CHURCH FAMILY

Please remember our members who need ongoing prayer, including: Henrietta, Ralph, Aleda, Alex, Tom & Effie.

MUSICIAN

Today- Jennie Next Sunday- Worship Team

A/V TEAM

Today- Marianne & Sharla Next Sunday- Adam, Esther & Mary

NURSERY

Today- Amber, Sandra & Janessa Next Sunday- Rebecka, Lauren & Adalynn

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today- Diane & Anna Next Sunday- Diane & Janessa

OFFERING:

Today- OneBook & Benevolence Fund Next Sunday- Back to God Ministries

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

February 4- Doug

- Nolan

February 6- Joanne G.

February 7- Alex Ov.

- Alice

February 9- Henry H.

February 10- Marianne

Congratulations to everyone celebrating Birthdays this week!

TODAY: Lord's Supper

Nursery is available prior to start of service.

Sunday School

- Children age 4 to Grade 1 leave during the service
- Assembly directly after service in sanctuary age 4 to Grade 6. After assembly grade 2-6 Sunday school teachers will lead children to their Sunday school classrooms
- -Grade 7/8: meets directly after church

Chapel at Pioneer Lodge 2:00 pm Chapel at Extendicare 3:00 pm

THIS WEEK:

Monday- 6:30 pm GEMS/Cadets Tuesday- 7:00/7:30pm Elders/Council Meeting Wednesday- 10:00 am Coffee Break Friday- 10:00 am Golden Hour

- 5:30- 8:00 GEMS Valentine's Dinner

OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **GEMS** are hosting a Valentine's Day Dinner, Friday February 9 from, 5:30-8:00 pm to help raise funds for Lethbridge Soup Kitchen. We will be serving Beef Bourguignon (French Stew) with all the fixings. There will be 2 seatings at 5:30 and 6:15 (sorry no take outs) cost is by donation. Please book your reservation by February 5. Call or text Margriet to book.

Change of Number: Ryan and Breanne have changed their numbers so their previous numbers no longer will work.. Also, Ryan will have his classical examination on February 24th, and Lord willing be ordained and installed on March 3. We appreciate your prayers and support as we approach this important step in God's calling. ~ Ryan, Breanne, and family.

OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

Southern Alberta Men's Ministry is having a gathering on March 15th at 7pm. We would like to invite men from the Granum CRC to this evening with Jon Gartley from SABC. Jon will be speaking on Equipping Men, being ready for the call. There will be wings, refreshments and fellowship after the service. This event will be held at Free Grace Fellowship 1807 2A Ave. N., Lethbridge, Ab.

The Elim Society for Seniors Care is hiring a live-in manager for our southside apartment building, Balmoral House. This position would be ideal for a couple and includes a rent-free two-bedroom (tax deductible) apartment. Major duties include cleaning of common areas, renting suites and minor maintenance items. For a full job description or to forward your resume, please visit our website at www.elimlethbridge.ca Closing date for applications is February 23.

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD

Kids Corner: Names of God: The Father of Compassion - Check out this week's kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Check out the story of Joseph. He was sold into slavery by his brothers, wrongly accused, thrown in jail, and forgotten for a long time. He comes face to face with his brothers and forgives them! When you receive God's mercy, you extend that mercy to others, even those who have hurt you. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like KC's Valentine Cards.

Groundwork: Truthfulness - As humans, we tend to value honesty over lying, but have you ever considered truthfulness a virtue? Join Groundwork as we explore Numbers 23:19; John 17:13-18; John 1:1-2, 14; and Ephesians 4:17-25 to discuss the Christlike virtue of truthfulness, why it's important, and the practical ways we can embody it in our daily lives. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

Thrive Faith Formation Tip - Proverbs 14:31 says, "He who oppresses the poor shows contempt for their Maker, but whoever is kind to the needy honors God." Who in your community is needy? What might you do to show kindness to that person or group of people? Learn more at crcna.org/FaithPracticesProject

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_bnTpqX8Ch0xf
Previous bulletins with order of worship can e found on our website.
https://www.granumcrc.com/news-1

Website: www.granumcrc.com Announcements: info@granumcrc.com Submission deadline is **Thursday 12:00 pm**.

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