

Granum Christian Reformed Church

Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom

Sunday, May 21, 2023

Ascension Sunday ~ May 21, 2023

Entering God's Presence

Welcome & Call to Worship ~ Luke 24:46-53

*Song ~ "Across the Lands" L775

*God's Greeting

*Song ~ "Lift High the Name of Jesus"

Celebrating God's Grace in Baptism

Baptism of John Richard Perry van Haarst

Prayer of Blessing

*Song ~ "Grace"

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading ~ Acts 1:1-11

Sermon ~ "Ascension Ambassadors"

Prayer of Application

Responding to God's Word

*Song ~ "Praise the Lord-Psalm 150

Congregational Prayer

Song ~ "Before the Throne of God Above" L682

Offering ~ ReFrame-Back to God Ministries

*Offertory Prayer

Receiving God's Blessing

*Benediction

*Song ~ "Jesus Shall Reign"

*Please stand if able

CHURCH FAMILY

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

Musician

Today- Worship Team

Next Sunday- Jennie

A/V TEAM:

Today- Neal, Adam & Aidan

Next Sunday- Marianne & Bryn

Nursery

Today- Lynae & Avry

Next Sunday- Nadia & Anna

OFFERING:

Today- ReFrame- Back to God Ministries

Next Sunday- General Fund

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 21- Amber

May 23- Gerald

- Bryn

May 24- Kenton



**Congratulations to everyone
celebrating Birthdays this week!**

TODAY:

Sunday School will resume in the fall.

Nursery is available.

THIS WEEK:

Friday- 10:00 am Golden Hour

UPCOMING DATES

June 25- Church Picnic

July 24-28 - VBS

OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday, May 28, we hope to have **Lord's Supper**. We are all encouraged to come prepared to celebrate God's love and grace extended to us in the sacrifice of our Lord Jesus.

Soup & Bun: We are in need of a few more pots of soup as well as a few more helpers in the kitchen for Soup & Bun next Sunday. If you are able to help out, please sign the sheet located by the library. Thank you.

VBS registration is open! Visit <https://granumcrc.myanswers.com/keepers-of-the-kingdom2/> to register.

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_bnTpgX8Ch0xfA

Previous bulletins with order of worship can be found on our website.

<https://www.granumcrc.com/news-1>

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GRANUM CRC NEWSLETTER

May 21, 2023

OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

Did you know that you are making an impact when you give to the Baby Bottle Campaign? More individuals are turning to the Centre for free pregnancy testing, options information, and practical supports in the current economy. Your giving makes it possible for the Centre to meet these growing needs! If you didn't get your bottle last week, you can still participate — just pick one up today and fill it with coins, cash, or a cheque between now and Father's Day. Prefer to give online? Visit www.lethbridgepregcentre.com/BabyBottles.

Rehoboth Camp Ministry is a summer camp for persons with developmental disabilities, and we really need your help! We currently have a camper waiting list for all of our weeks because it is such an awesome place to hear about Jesus' love. We need Cooks, Nurses/LPN's, a Bible Leader, Night Watch, and especially Counselors (buddies) willing to hang out and be a friend during Camp. We completely rely on volunteers to continue this important ministry, and we are getting close to having to cancel some of our weeks because we don't have the volunteers. You can see the specific type of camp week, dates, and needs at www.rcmflourish.ca/camp/volunteers. Don't delay, come out to Camp today. You'll never know whose life may be changed!

LET'S HIKE FOR LIFE! Come *support LIFE* on Saturday, June 3, 2023 at the Pro-Life Hike for Life, Kiwanis Picnic Shelter at Henderson Lake in Lethbridge. Registration/kickoff begins at 9:00 a.m. This fun family event includes T-shirts for participants, bouncy castle, games for kids, draw prizes, lunch, refreshments for everyone and a time to meet new friends. Rain or Shine! If you cannot walk, come join us for fellowship or sponsor another hiker! Your involvement in this fund raiser is a way to support the Pro-Life message online; through educational ads; billboards, pro-life training, life curriculum, youth presentations, as well as Elsie's House, our maternity home in Lethbridge for women in need. Will you support this crucial work? For more information or to get a sponsor form, please download a form from our website: <https://www.lifelethbridge.org/hikeforlife>, or e-mail prolife@shaw.ca.

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD

Kids Corner: Great Joy. Deep Roots. - Check out this week's kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. In Psalm 92, the writer takes great joy in God's faithfulness, praising him day and night. When we praise God, we share his goodness with others. Praising God also helps us grow deep roots of gratitude that can last for a lifetime. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net like the The Bible in One Year Plan.

Groundwork: Money and the Attitude of Your Heart - Can we strike a balance between being grateful for what we have and not being overly attached to it? Join Groundwork as we dig into Mark 10:17-27, Matthew 6:19-24, and 1 John 2:15-17 to reflect on such a balanced attitude toward money and possessions. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

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