

Granum Christian Reformed Church

Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom

Sunday, April 5, 2026

Easter Sunday ~ April 5, 2026

Anticipating the Good News of Easter

Welcome

Christ, Dead & Buried ~ Luke 23:44-46, 50-53

*Song ~ "The Power of the Cross/Oh to See the Dawn"

*God's Greeting

*Song ~ "The Wonder of Your Cross"

Celebrating the Good News of Easter

Christ, Resurrected ~ Luke 24:1-12

*Song ~ "See What a Morning"

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Song ~ "Low in the Grave He Lay"

Hearing Christ's Easter Message

Christ, Reappeared ~ Luke 24:33-49

Sermon ~ "The Risen Christ Opens Minds"

Prayer of Application

Responding to Christ's Easter Message

*Song ~ "Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed"

Congregational Prayer

Choir ~ "Christus Victor"

Offering ~ CRC Resonate Global Missions

Song ~ "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" L182

*Offertory Prayer

Receiving the Blessing & Hope of Easter

*Benediction

*Song ~ "Living Hope"

*Please stand if able

CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Allyn and his family on the birth of a granddaughter, Frankie Patty, born to Justin & Annie on March 18.

Please remember our members who need ongoing prayer, including:
Henrietta, Alex, Tom & Jean

MUSICIAN

Today- Worship Team

Next Sunday- Worship Team

A/V TEAM

Today- Aidan & Esther

Next Sunday- Stacey & Bryn

NURSERY

Today- Sheree, Beverly & Janessa

Next Sunday- Nadia, Rachel & Avry

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today- No Sunday School

Next Sunday- Katie, Mary & Brianna

OFFERING:

Today- CRC Resonate Global Missions

Next Sunday- Rehoboth

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

April 10- Hermina V.

- Tita

April 11- Peter



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

TODAY:

Nursery is available prior to start of service.

No **Sunday School** today.

THIS WEEK

Tuesday- 7:30 pm Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday- 10:00 am Coffee Break

- 7:00/7:30 pm Elders/Council Meeting

Friday- 7:00 pm Adult Bible Study

UPCOMING DATES

July 20-24 -VBS

OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Classis Church Visitors plan to attend our May 6 council meeting. Professing members who would like to meet with the visitors can let the clerk know by email stating their reason for wanting a meeting and that request will be passed on to the visitors.

Church Directory sheets are on a table in the library. Please update your (and your family's) information. This information is for our congregation only and will not be published on the internet or be given out beyond the congregation.

OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

Annual General Meeting of the Elim Society for Seniors Care – Thursday, April 23, 2026 at 7:00 pm at Elim Village, 275 Lettice Perry Road North. What can you expect at the meeting?

1. Hear the details of what took place during 2025
2. Listen to what may lie ahead for the Society in 2026
3. The opportunity to pay your yearly membership dues of \$25.00
4. Meet and vote for new board members
5. Fellowship together

We are still looking for nominations for board members, so if you feel a calling to serve our Christian seniors, please contact the Board President prior to the meeting. Call or text or email Rene Barendregt at 403-394-5369, or barendregt@uleth.ca. For those interested, copies of the 2025 budget will soon be available at the Elim Village office during weekday mornings. Financial statements and budget will also be available at the meeting. See you there

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD

Kids Corner Devotions - Check out this week's kids' devotion, "Resurrection People," at www.kidscorner.net. Early on a Sunday morning, Mary Magdalene felt very sad; in fact, she felt hopeless. Her teacher and friend had been crucified on Friday, and now, mysteriously, his tomb was empty. Read what happens next. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like KC's Lent and Easter Collection.

Groundwork: Jesus' Death, Burial, and Resurrection - We've reached the pinnacle moments of salvation history in our Stations of the Cross journey. Join Groundwork as we study Mark 15:33-16:8, Luke 23:44-49, John 19:28-42, and Matthew 27:62-28:10 to witness the thirteenth and fourteenth Stations of the Cross, which invite us to remember Jesus' suffering, death, and burial. Then linger at the tomb to witness the glory of his resurrection and celebrate his Easter victory over death. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

Thrive Faith Formation Tip - Happy Easter! We now move from Lent into Eastertide, a season of extended celebration of Jesus' resurrection. This week spend some time reading and reflecting on 2 Corinthians 5:14-21. What part of the passage connects with you the most? Create a reminder of Jesus' death and resurrection by writing a few words from this passage, such as a prayer of gratitude to God, or by drawing a picture that reflects Jesus' work on the cross. Place your reminder in plain site as a reminder throughout Eastertide to continue your Easter celebration. Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive

Recorded videos of services are on our Granum CRC YouTube channel on www.youtube.com

Use the first link below, or go to www.youtube.com and in search box enter "GranumCRC AV"

Click on that search result option, then click the video you want to watch.

General Granum CRC YouTube channel: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCs0yVIMAC_bnTqX8Ch0xfA/featured

As of December 8, 2024 recorded live-stream service videos are under the "Live" tab, or use this link:

<https://www.youtube.com/@granumcraeam8400/streams>

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

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