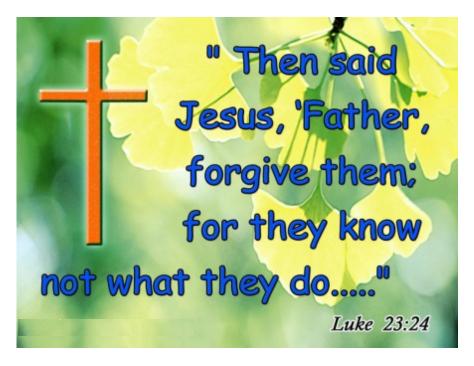


# **Duncan Christian Reformed Church**

930 Trunk Road, Duncan, British Columbia, V9L 2S1

## February 18, 2018



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The bulletin and weekly sermons can be found on our website www.duncancrc.org
Christian Reformed Communications: communications@crcna.org

Child care for infants to 3 is located in the wing to the right of the sanctuary. Sunday school children 3 years to grade 5 are dismissed part way through the service and return during the service.

Hearing assistance is available upon request from the usher.

# 10 am Worship Service

Song: Come, People of the Risen King Welcome

Song: What a Beautiful Name

Song: The Stand

Lent Reading and Prayer Song: No Longer Slaves

Children's Message

Congregational Prayer

Offering: Church Ministries and (Resonate Global Missions (former World and Home Missions) - label cheque & envelope)

Song: O Praise the Name

Pastor Len Batterink will bring the Message "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do", from Luke 23:34

Song: Meekness and Majesty Song: When I Survey/The Wonderful Cross

Lord's Supper Bread: What Wondrous Love PH 379 V 1,2 Juice: What Wondrous Love PH 379 V 3,4

Blessing Song: Agnes Dei

## Worship next Sunday, February 25

Next Sunday, the Offering is for Church Ministries and (Duncan Christian School Tuition Relief - label cheque & envelope).

### 1st Sunday in Lent

Like Advent, the official color for Lent is purple. Purple is the color of repentance for sins and also symbolizes the state of our souls outside the light of Christ. During this time, consider praying for those who do not know Christ and for those (including ourselves) who have sinned gravely against Him.

#### **Gifts & Tithes**

Church Ministries 7,176.10
Race Relations 110.00
M2W2 Prison Ministry 271.00

# **Church Family**

Don G's brother's wife, Lynn passed away suddenly this week. We ask for prayers for Mike and their daughter Deidre.

Birthdays this week
Sunday, February 18: Samantha W, Jim B
Monday, February 19: Deanna N
Tuesday, February 20: Alina T
Wednesday, February 21: Bo V
Friday, February 23: Raymond W

# Free Trips to Mt. Vernon

If you are over age 21 years and have a valid Canadian Passport you may be eligible to win one of two all-expense-paid trips to Mt. Vernon, Washington, March 16,17!
Through a joint effort of 4 classes and the denominational Safe Church Office, there will be a training/sharing opportunity, dealing with "Leadership Misconduct and Response Training". Please tell Renee or Clerk, John D if you'd like to go!

#### **Announcements**

#### Today

A Questionnaire on what Social activities you would be interested in for our church will be handed out as you leave the sanctuary. There is also a section on what you as a congregational member need (rides to doctor's appointments, etc.).

You can put completed forms in the basket on the Welcome Table in the Foyer or hand them in to the office. Lots of pencils/pens on the Welcome Table!

# Fellowship Lunches & Other Socials

At Sunday, March 4's 11:45 meeting it was agreed to post an annual schedule in the church kitchen for persons to volunteer to organize/host some of the lunches OR to host/organize other social activities. This is your opportunity to get involved and fill in blanks or add other ideas!

The List is now by the Office.

**NEEDED IMMEDIATELY** - host(s) for a Sunday, March 4 Fellowship Lunch! Sign up! (Note: a host does not have to phone people)

## **Saturday Community Dinner**

THIS Saturday is our monthly free dinner for those in our community going through hard times. Serving others a good hot meal in a warm place is such a wonderful way to work as Jesus' hands and feet right here in our own community. Lots of volunteers are needed to share the setting up, cooking, serving and clean up - and it really is a blessing to work together. Please consider coming to help - even if you have not come before. Call Affie or Anneke if you have any questions. Cooking and setting up starts at 2 p.m. and the meal is served at 5 p.m. to 150-200 people. Many hands make for light work! Thank you!

#### **Announcements**

Wednesday Evening Fireside Bible Study EVERYONE IS WELCOME to join this Bible Study group that meets in the Fireside Room THIS Wednesday, February 21. Coffee and goodies ready at 7:15 and the meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. (for security reasons, the church door will be locked at 7:30). For the next few months we will be looking at different kinds of people who encountered Jesus in the Bible - this week

### The 3rd Annual All Victoria HymnAlong

With Christ".

looking at Mark 10:17-31 "The Rich Encounter

will be taking place on Saturday, March 3rd at the Victoria Christian Reformed Church - 661 Agnes Street. This year's theme, "I Love to Sing the Story" provides us with the opportunity of hearing the story we love by singing the hymns we love. Reserve the date and join us in hearing and singing "the old, old story of Jesus and His love" in a new and refreshing way! There are tickets in the church office here in Duncan and a poster on the bulletin board by the Library. Tickets are \$10 each.

# Thank you Duncan Christian Reformed Church

Thank you for all your beautiful knitted items, rolled bandages and pillowcases.

We had an urgent need for the pillowcases and these arrived just at the right time.

We are working on another load for refugees in the middle east area and these precious knitted items will be a tangible reminder that someone cares for them! and that the Lord has not forgotten them. He meets their needs through you!

May the Lord continue to bless the work of your hands and encourage your faith as you are "doing for the least of these"

many thanks & blessings, Dell Marie Wergeland President, Compassionate Resource Warehouse

#### This Week's Schedule

Sun Lord's Supper
Sun Sandy and Marg will be at the back of the sanctuary to pray with you after the service

Mon Office closed

Mon Men's coffee 9:30 am at McDonald's Tues Crafts at the church 10:30 am - 3 pm.

Join us to do your hobby or for coffee

Tues YDC - please bring your Bibles Wed Wednesday evening Fireside Bible

Study 7:15 pm

Thurs Ladies Coffee Break Bible Study &

Nursery 9:30 am (Nursery: Henrietta,

lda)

Thurs Search Team mtg 7 pm Sat Community Dinner

Pastor Len will usually be in the office Tuesday - Friday, 9 am - 12 noon. You can reach him at the office 250-748-2122 or on his cell 604-751-0255 or e-mail lenbatterink@gmail.com.

#### Remember

- to guard your purses and valuables, even on a Sunday morning.
- to keep church doors locked during church meetings.
- to be **SCENT FREE** during the Sunday Service and for meetings.

## **Future Dates**

Mar 4 2 pm service at Sunridge

Mar 5 Full Council Mtg

Mar 10 DCS Gala Dinner & Auction

Mar 30 Duncan Ministerial Good Friday 10 am service here at the church

Apr 1 Easter Sunday service led by Capernwray here at the church

# **Sharps Needle Container**

If needles are found, there is a needle disposal container in the Council Room.

# **Serving This Week**

#### February 18

Driver: Will B

Hall Monitor: Tom V

Nursery: Danielle D, Marguerite V, Jesse P

Ushers: Gerald W, Joe Rubin

Deacons: Deen, Lawrence, Dustin, Joe

Greeters: Pete & Carol K

Leading Council Member: Affie D

Worship Team: Michelle, Sonya, Jim, Matt Br,

Joel

After worship prayer: Marg & Sandy

Coffee Serving: Ben & Alanna W, Brad & Joan

J, Rose B

Sunday School:

Preschool: B.J. & Samantha W K-Gr2: Michelle B, Reyna S Gr3-5: Jen & Sophia T

## **Serving Next Week**

#### February 25

Driver: Bill W

Hall Monitor: Gerald W

Nursery: Tamara K Marjan & Breanna W

Ushers: William W

Deacons: Deen, Lawrence, Dustin, Benjamin

Greeters: Harvey & Janet W

Leading Council Member: Gerald W

Worship Team: Matt, John S, Joyce, John D,

Bill

After worship prayer: Anneke & Affie Coffee Servers: Joe & Trudy W, Andrew &

Josie N

Sunday School:

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