



Duncan Christian Reformed Church

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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

Gathering

Song: O Worship the King
Greeting/God's Greeting

Song: O Sing A New Song to the Lord

Responsive reading on the Ascension of
Jesus Christ into Heaven

Song: Jesus Shall Reign

The Ten Commandments

Song: Agnus Dei
Song: Lord, Jesus Christ

Mother's Day slide show

Children's message

Offering Our Prayers and Gifts

Prayers of the people

Offering: Church Ministries and (Back to
God Ministries International - label
cheque and envelope)

Proclamation of God's Word

Guest Pastor Bert Slofstra will bring the
message: "The Toughest Job on Earth",
from 1 Kings 3: 16-28 (pg 524)

Song: Faith of Our Mothers
Song: Crown Him with Many Crowns

Sent to Love and Serve

Blessing
Song: He Is Lord

Worship next Sunday, May 20

Next Sunday, we welcome Pastor Henry
Jonker.

The Offering will be for Church Ministries and
Resonate Global Mission

Church Family

Birthdays this week:

Sunday, May 13: Deen Krol , Reuben
Veenstra

Monday, May 14: Christine Strand

Wednesday, May 16: Joyce Dodds, Sandy
Veenstra, Audrey VanderSchaaf

Friday, May 18: Fred Wikkerink

Freda Claus passed away this past Thursday
morning. We pray that the Lord will give the
family comfort and strength in the days to
come. At this time we don't have any details
about the funeral yet, but your elders will
pass it on to you

Thank you so much for your cards and your
encouraging words this last week. Your
attendance at the celebration of Jack's life is
also much appreciated. Thank you for hugs
and soups and cookies and even some
chocolate and all other kinds of love you
showed to us. Thank you most of all for
your sustaining prayers for we know that our
Redeemer lives and so we still can say God
is Good. **Eileen Faber & Family**

Announcements

COFFEE BREAK UPDATE

It's very exciting to share that Coffee Break has
been growing in numbers and we have had won-
derful times together on Thursday mornings.
There are 25 ladies registered and up to 10 chil-
dren in the nursery! Praise God for His faithful-
ness over all these years! We've been studying the
book of Jonah with only one lesson left to go!
Next week is our last week of Coffee Break for the
season - to stay in touch we will be having regular
lunches and picnics throughout the summer! Stay
tuned!

Announcements

Thank you!!!! With your support DCS was able to raise \$17,200.00 at our Gala dinner and auction. It is through your support that we are able to impact the lives of our students for generations to come. Thank you for your generosity. The funds will go to provide equipment for our work experience, trades and applied skills programs.

COMMUNITY DINNER THANK YOU!

A BIG thank you to the 24 volunteers who helped out last month (April 28) - what excellent team work! We were able to serve about 175 people a delicious meal of mashed potatoes and turkey a la king. We are thankful that we can serve others in this practical way and show God's love to our neighbours. Next dinner May 26th.



This summer I, Danielle Groenendijk, will be a member of the AIA coaching staff running week long volleyball camps throughout BC and Alberta. Due to the nature of the guidelines the Canadian Government has put for those applying for government grants, AIA Volleyball is looking to replace those funds with financial support. My goal is to raise \$1000 for the ministry in order to help cover the costs of camps and coaching development. Would you please consider partnering with us as we use the language of sport to introduce people to Jesus?

-Danielle Groenendijk

Gifts & Tithes

Church Ministries	\$ 8382.36
GEMS Fed	\$ 193.25
Operation Manna	\$ 285.00

Announcements

Hearing God Seminar: the first session will take place in our church this Wednesday, at 6:30 pm.

Does God still speak today? This is one of the most important questions a Christian can explore, and has huge implications for every aspect of a person's life and walk with God. Pastor Jonker said that prayer consists of 20% talking to God and that the other 80% is actually listening but we have very little teaching on the actual subject of listening for God's Word. Elijah, after his amazing confrontation with Ahab and Baal worship on Mount Carmel, fled to Horeb, the mountain of God. We then get an unusual account of hearing God's Word. We read that the presence of the Lord was not in the powerful wind, not in the earthquake, not in the fire, but in a gentle whisper. And it is easy to miss that whisper. It is often difficult to discern whether that whisper we are hearing are our own thoughts, or whether they come from the evil one, or if, in fact, God is talking to us. This seminar will shed light on this and other topics using many biblical examples.

The Search Team has some news!

Ed and Michelle Top, from Calgary, AB, are coming for the weekend of May 27! They are a husband/wife team as they are both ordained pastors and are interested in getting to know us better as potential candidates for our pastor position.

The weekend will include meeting with the Search Team, Council and also the congregation, as well as leading the service on Sunday morning. The service will include viewing the short film 'Piper' by Disney Pixar, with some discussion around it.

Please note this visit does not mean Ed and Michelle will be our next pastors necessarily but we are excited for the conversations that can continue as we meet each other in person.

Announcements

It was so great to have such a wonderful

GEMS Sunday celebration!

Last Tuesday was our last GEMS night and the girls were able to invite a friend. In total, there were 58 girls there! It was awesome to hear such fun chitter-chatter and see the busy hands hard at work! GEMS has been great this year, with almost 40 girls coming regularly. Thanks to counsellors: Aletta Bie-mont, BJ Wikkerink, Katrina Brooks, Tamara Krol, Jen Tinsley, Michelle Nederlof, and Sandy Veenstra. Please let girls in grade 2-6 know they're welcome to join us in September! As well, we'll be welcoming Michelle Buckle as a new GEMS counsellor. We're looking forward to GEMS retreat at Capern-wray on June 9 - 10. **Sandy**

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Andrew & Josie Nagtegaal
1168 Kathleen Drive
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This Week's Schedule

- Sun Marguerite and Sandy will be at the back of the sanctuary to pray with you after the service
- Mon Men's coffee 9:30 am at McDonald's
- Tues Ukulele practice 9:30 - 10:30
- Tues No Craft Day
- Thurs Ladies Coffee Break Bible Study & Nursery 9:30 am (Nursery: Henrietta Groenendijk, Ida Vanboven)

Future Dates

- May 26 Community Dinner
- June 3 Pancake Breakfast - Jim & Norm Brandsma will be the hosts

Serving This Week

May 13

Driver: Inze Graanstra 748-5921

Hall Monitor: Fred Wikkerink

Nursery: Estherina Brandsma, Affie Duifhuis, Esther Popma

Ushers: Mike Renema, Adam Kapteyn

Deacons: Dustin, Joe, Deen, Lawrence

Greeters: Hennie Wolters & Eileen Faber

Leading Council Member: John Duifhuis

Worship Team: James, Shannon, Susan, Jim, Joel, Matt B.

After worship prayer: Marguerite, Sandy

Coffee Serving: Ralph & Audrey VanderSchaaf, Sonya Wikkerink

Sunday School:

Preschool: Danielle Duifhuis, Joe Rubin

K-Gr 2: Kristen Visscher, Breanna Wikkerink

Gr 3 - 5: Morgan Nederlof, Josie Nagtegaal

Serving Next Week

May 20

Driver: Gerald Wikkerink 748-5727

Hall Monitor: Bruce Johnson

Nursery: Tamara Krol, Katrina Brooks, Jesse Popma

Ushers: Ynze Graanstra, Joe Rubin

Deacons: Joe, Deen, Lawrence, Benjamin

Greeters: Joe & Trudy Wikkerink

Leading Council Member: Frank Groenewold

Worship Team: Matt, Joyce, Suzanne, Ben, Margie, Bill

After worship prayer: Anneke, Affie

Coffee Serving: Gerry & Gertie Wikkerink, Eno & Hilda Jaansma, William Wikkerink

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