March 29, 2015 - Palm Sunday

10:00 AM Service
Rev. H. Van der Woerd
Pre-service Songs: 208, 348
Call to Worship
Silent Prayer & singing of #489
*Votum and Salutation
*Opening Hymn: 42
Law of God
Hymn of Response: 112
Congregational Prayer
*Hymn of Preparation: 233:6,7,8
Scripture Reading: Luke 19:28-48
Sermon: “King Jesus enters Jerusalem”
  1. Riding
  2. Weeping
  3. Cleansing
  Prayer of Application
*Hymn of Thanks: 349
Reading of the form for Lord’s Supper
Offering: Budget & Come Over and Help
Doxology: 484
*Benediction

Sunday School Graduation
Sunday School children sing 2 songs

6:00 PM Service
Rev. H. Van der Woerd
Pre-service Songs: 194, 286
Call to Worship
Silent Prayer & singing of #489
*Votum and Salutation
*Opening Hymn: 313
Our creed
Hymn: 267
Congregational Prayer
*Hymn of Preparation: 232
Scripture Reading: 1 Cor. 15:35-58; LD 22
Sermon: “The Christian takes comfort from the
document of immortality”
  1. The reunion of body and soul
  2. The blessed future
Prayer of application
*Hymn of Thanks: 174
Offering: Come Over and Help
*Doxology: 493
*Benediction

*Denotes invitation to stand

Welcome all visitors who worship with us. May God richly bless us as we worship the glorious gospel of Jesus Christ preached to us. Please join us for refreshments after our A.M. service.

FROM VOICE OF THE MARTYRS – Nigeria - Phyllis Sortor, a 71-year-old missionary who was abducted by gunmen on February 23rd, was thankfully released from her captors on March 6th. The Christian woman was kidnapped from Hope Academy in Emi-Oworro village. Her main focus of ministry was leadership development. A church leader shared that “Phyllis was aware there were risks associated with her ministry, yet Phyllis herself had recently proclaimed: ‘Heaven is for real! There is no guarantee in life; no safe place -- other than that place we find ourselves when our full faith and trust is in God!’ Praise God that Phyllis has been released! May He grant her full healing from this ordeal.

CADETS: March 31 - Regular Cadet Night: Cadet in Charge – Marc VanReeuwyk, Cadet on Deck: Caleb Murray, Service Squad – Eagles, Insp. – Counselor Slomp
Upcoming dates:
April 4 is Cadet Pancake Breakfast
May 2 is Highway Camp

TODAY IS THE BEGINNING OF PASSION WEEK. We remember that our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, entered into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday to give His life a ransom for many. This morning is also Preparatory Sunday as we anticipate celebrating the Lord’s Supper on Good Friday.

YOUNG PEOPLES’ CORNER

Today Young Peoples have a game night hosted by Eline/Mirthe Kleinjan and Erin/Kirsten Barwegen; Next Week there is no YPS due to Easter.

TODAY IS THE GRADUATION OF GRADE 6 SUNDAY SCHOOL following the AM service. As another year of Sunday school closes, we would like to thank the parents and teachers for their help and dedication in teaching our children. The teachers this year were Courtney Halma, Alyssa Ingold, Darlene Van Dellen, Kristina Halma, Carla Winkelhaar, Henk Kamper, Justin Knol, Karen Halma, and Lyle Ypma. Special thanks to Lisa Bandstra for the snacks and Tanya Laarman for leading singing. Those moving on to catechism are Stephanie Feenstra, Anne Kleinjan, Bethannie Lobbezoo, Ananda Mercer, Rachel Ypma, Katelynn Schalk, Heidi Van Eeden Petersman, Brody Van’t Land, Drew Barwegen, and Nolan Tams. Please join us after the service for cake in the fellowship hall. Thank you again to the parents for the support you have given the teachers this year. Lyle Ypma

LADIES - SAVE THE DATE! - The 2015 FRC West Women’s Retreat is being planned for October 22-24 at Southern Alberta Bible Camp. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us as we come together with women from other churches and study God's Word under the theme, "The JOY of the LORD is your strength" with guest speaker Elina VanderZwaag. We are looking forward to another blessed time of learning and fellowship!

OH SING TO THE LORD A NEW SONG; sing to the Lord, all the earth! On Good Friday evening, April 3, Grace Reformed Church in Leduc will once again be hosting our annual sing-a-long. Besides singing all of our favorite songs from the hymnal we will once again have The Mighty Power Singers quartet and The Essence of Praise men’s choir performing and singing with us. Join us at 7:00 p.m. for a wonderful time of fellowship in praise and song to our God and Jesus Christ our Lord and savior.

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PIANO PLAYERS WELCOME FOR PRE-SERVICE - If there are any piano players interested in occasionally playing preludes before a service, please contact Barb Vanderwal.

AT THE UPCOMING CADET PANCAKE BREAKFAST, the Kingdom Seekers are holding a bake sale. We are currently requesting baking donations. If you have baking to donate, please bring it to the small kitchen this Sunday or Good Friday services. If you have any questions, please call Nancy Winkelaar or Lindsey Wierenga at 1.587.220.7004

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF ELIM SOCIETY FOR SENIOR CITIZENS' CARE will be held this Tuesday, March 31, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. at the Inmanneol Christian High School (small gym). Members are encouraged to come and hear about the progress of the Elim Village construction project. The 2015 annual membership fees of $25.00 per family are also due and payable. Please remit to Elim Society, #104, 1408 - 9th 'A' Ave S., Lethbridge, AB T1J 1X8 or to a board member. The Board of Elim Society wishes to thank everyone for the prayerful and financial support it receives throughout the year.

REFORMED WOMEN'S RETREAT - Don't forget to secure your spot for the Reformed Women's Retreat at Camp Caroline featuring Sarah Vanderugten speaking on Seeds of Kindness! Go to http://reformedwomensretreats.blogspot.ca/ to print your registration form. The cost is $130 and $15 more for Aspen Lodge (private bathroom). You may pay your date cheque up to April 10, 2015. We're looking forward to seeing you there!

Van Drivers – We are really in need of new van drivers for our church to continue this important service for our seniors. Please contact Clarence Slomp at 403.320.6212 if you are able to help! Thank you for considering!

LOGOS 2015 registration is now officially open! Register at reformedyouthservices.org to attend the young adults (ages 18-30) summer conference to be held August 5-8 at Potter’s Ranch in Union, Kentucky. Rip Pratt will speak on the theme “Look, Seek and Serve.” Day away activity will be the nearby Creation Museum. Questions may be directed to RYS Director Ed DeGraaf at (616) 667-0694 or rys@iserv.net.

VBS 2015 ~ BACKSTAGE WITH THE BIBLE ~ July 13-17 ~ Please prayerfully consider volunteering for our VBS outreach program. Again this year, we will be losing some of our youth due to the VBS convention. SIGN-UP SHEETS are located in the foyer. Please see Roxanne Houweling or Sam Van’t Land for more information. Thank You.

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AM Creepers: Carla Winkelklaar, Karen Van Hill, Anne Kleijnan, Stephanie Feenstra;
PM Sleepers: Breanne Houweling, Barb Vanderwal, Carolyn Doeve, Jacque Wierenga, Leah Ingold;
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Library: Eileen Voeth
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Van Driver: Pieter Kamper (March)
After Church Coffee: Matthew Houweling, March
Singing at Legacy & G.A. (2:15 & 3:00):
Group 3, Lyle Ypma

OFFERING TODAY is for Come Over & Help (COAH) - An organization committed to providing aid to churches and Christians in Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union. Our foundation is the Bible, which is the Word of God, COAH adheres to the revealed truths and principals in that Word in accord with the Three Forms of Unity (Heidelberg Catechism, Canons of Dort, Belgic Confession) and the Westminster Confession.

OFFERING NEXT WEEK is for Lethbridge Pro-Life where they “courageously protect and preserve human life from conception to natural death by changing the attitude and mindset of the public about the inherent value of a human life, regardless of the function or ability of a particular human life, and to do so through education, advice support, example, and the offering of viable alternatives to actions that destroy life.”

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April 5

Organist: AM Maria Barwegen
Organist: PM John Lobbezoo
Greeters: Fred & Evelyn Othof
Offerings: Budget & Lethbridge Pro-Life
Nursery:
AM Sleepers: Sharon Houweling, Eileen Voth, Shirley Poelman, Everarda VandeMunt, Eline Kleijnan;
AM Creepers: Anne Konynenbelt, Karolyne Hanna, Taylor Van Dasselaar, Aleese Scholten;
PM Sleepers: Kristin Houweling, Allison Wierenga, Avery Barwegen;
PM Creepers: Nicole Veldman, Lenie VE Petersman, Roxanne Houweling, Sharon Korthuis, Pamela Veldman;
Library: Tanya Laarman, Tamra Barwegen, Caitlyn Veldman, Eden Van’t Land.

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- AM- Grade 6 Sunday School graduation immediately after the AM service
- Some catechism classes meet today (Grade 10... others?)
- PM – YPS have a game night hosted by Eline/Mirthe Kleinjan & Erin/Kirsten Barwegen
- YA have a lesson hosted at the church by Dyan & Chris Kleinjan
- Sunday night Bible study meets at George & Maria VanBostelen’s; Hebrews: Lesson 2 – Question 3

Monday:
- 7:00 p.m. – Coffee Break; Joshua: Lesson 3: Question 3
- 7:30 p.m. – Leth. Chr. Women’s Choir practice at St. Andrew’s

Tuesday:
- 9:45 a.m. – Coffee Break Social; theme: “Spring Tea” and Story Hour
- 7:00 p.m. – Catechism for Grades 11, 12
- 7:00 p.m. – Cadets
- 7:30 p.m. – Elim Society AGM at ICHS small gym

Wednesday:
- 10:00 – JOY meets; Genesis 11, Question 5B

Thursday:
- 7:00 p.m. - Together in Faith Bible study meets in the Fireside Room, hosted by Gerrit & Audrey Beekman; bring something for a potluck snack. We’ll do the last lesson and then play some floor hockey!
- 7:30 p.m. - Lethbridge Christian Men’s Choir at Wilson Middle School
- 7:30 p.m. – Coaldale Christian School Aid meeting at CCS

Friday:
- 10:00 a.m. – Good Friday Service; Communion served

Saturday:
- Cadet pancake Breakfast and Kingdom Seeker Bake Sale

UPCOMING WEEKS

April 6: Council Meeting
April 6: Monday Night Coffee Break meets at Mocha Cabana at 7:00 PM for our year end social
April 10: Wedding Ceremony uniting Jessica Hofsink and Ryan Veldman
April 12: Dr. Cornell Venema will preach in our church
April 13: Consistory Meeting
April 19: Fellowship Lunch
April 24, 25: Young Peoples’ Retreat at our church
April 28: Cadet Final Spaghetti Dinner for Cadets and families
May 2: Cadet Highway Clean-up
May 8, 9: Reformed Women’s Retreat at Camp Caroline, AB
May 20: Immanuel Canadian Reformed Church of Edmonton’s Ladies League Day
May 30: Annual Pro-Life Hike for Life
July 13-17: Vacation Bible School in our church
July 13-17: RYS Convention in Wilmore, Kentucky
July 21-24: Kingdom Seeker Camp
July 24-27: Cadet Camp

GEZELLIJE AVOND – Thank you to the Deacons for their work and for providing the seniors with a delicious meal and time of fellowship!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Please continue to remember Marlene Hoogerdijk and her family. She is making steady progress through extensive therapy in Calgary. She will likely remain there for another month. Herman Hoogerdijk continues with treatments for esophageal cancer. We pray that the treatments will be successful in treating his condition.

Remember Cor Kerver at home, and his wife Hennie, who cares for him, that they may receive strength, comfort and prayer that only God can accomplish.

Congratulations to Tina Proce who will be 83 years on Tuesday, March 31, and to John Dykstra who will be 83 years on April 3rd!

FROM REFORMED MISSION SERVICES:

Lares, Peru: RMS is looking for donations towards the materials for the church building that is going to be built in May, please contact Rob Brinks at rob@rms.org if you are interested. RMS has been in the process of assembling a team of volunteers to travel to Lares, Peru to construct a church in that village. We have 10 men at this time and there is still room for one or two more.

Teens Actively Serving Christ (TASC): Individual registration (Phase 2) will close March 31. You may sign up for a second choice, beginning April 6. Even if the site you desire is full, sign up as there may be openings available at a later time. PLEASE remember to register if you have been pre-registered! Registration is a first come-first serve process. You will be put on a waiting list for your first choice and second choice of TASC events if you have not been pre-registered or the site is full. If you have any questions, please contact Rob at rob@rms.org.

MARCH FOR LIFE - Thursday, May 14 in Ottawa. In 2014 an estimated 23,000 pro-life men, women and children marched on Parliament Hill for the annual March for Life. Join ARPA Canada and Jubilee Canadian Reformed Church in Ottawa for the Reformed Pro-Life Prayer Service (held at First Baptist Church, Ottawa) at 11 am, then head to Parliament Hill to join thousands of Canadians in standing up for pre-born human rights. For those from further away, make a trip and enjoy the Tulip Festival which runs May 8-18. For more details or to register, see more details at www.arpacanada.ca.

The Alberta March for Life - Thursday, May 14 in Edmonton from 11:30 AM to 4:00 PM. See more details at http://www.albertamarchforlife.com

DUTCH CANADIAN BURIAL SOCIETY

FINAL NOTICE

March 30 is the deadline for collecting 2015 Membership Dues. Please put your payment in my church mailbox today!

Judy Stomp ~ 403.320.6212

Family Membership $50.00
Single Membership (ages 18-25) $25.00