



Duncan Christian Reformed Church

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

September 20, 2020



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The Church Alarm
will be set at 7 pm every evening and disarmed at 8 am every morning.
The Church Office will be open Tuesday - Friday, 9 am - 12 noon of this week.

Announcements

Wednesday, September 23: Info Meeting about Freedom Sessions 7 pm

Thursday, September 24: Elders' Meeting 7 pm

Monday, October 5: Full Council Meeting 7 pm

Budget Sheets for 2021

All group leaders in the Church should have received a Budget Sheet for 2021. If you missed the e-mail with the attachment from the Treasurer, please contact the Office as soon as possible and another Budget sheet will be sent to you.

Please send in your completed Budget Sheet before the end of September even if you don't know how 2021 will go for your group.

Freedom Sessions - If your walk with the Lord isn't as vibrant as it could be...

if you are wondering where joy has gone... if you have things in your life that are keeping you from experiencing the "abundant life" Jesus promised... Freedom Session is just what you're looking for. We are hosting a Freedom Session information meeting on Sept. 23 at 7 pm in the fellowship hall at church. We'd love to see you there! Bring your coffee (tea or hot chocolate) in a "to go" cup and join us to find out if Freedom Session is for you.

Wednesday, September 23, 7:00 pm in the fellowship hall.

Hope to see you there! Sheri A, Sandy and Tom V

Canada Comfort

Many ladies have been very busy knitting, crocheting, sewing bandages and sewing during this pandemic. Canada Comfort is accepting infant/toddler items at this time. We will soon deliver them to Victoria. Phone me if you have items that are ready for delivery and thanks for all your great work. Anneke W

Thank you for your

USED STAMPS – for BC Cancer society

COUNTRY GROCER TAPES – for Duncan Christian School

49th PARALLEL TAPES – for Duncan Christian School

USED CARDS – for Duncan Christian school

Please put them in my mailbox or a box in the library. Thank you so much for your support.

Anneke W

Ministry to Seafarers is in need of toques!

With Covid still with us, the Ministry to Seafarers is still planning to run our regular annual Christmas at Sea gift giving. In addition to the regular donations that we rely on, we are also very much in need of toques. The pandemic has led to a downturn in the number of toques we have received, so please, if you are able, do keep knitting those toques, and pass them to us in whatever way you can. You can always send them to me at the address below. Thank you and blessings,

Rev. Gary Roosma

Ministry to Seafarers Vancouver

401 E. Waterfront Rd. Vancouver, BC V6A 4G9 604-253-4421

Church Family

John D has been scheduled for coronary bypass surgery at Royal Jubilee Hospital on Monday and we pray that the Lord will guide the medical specialists so that surgery and recovery go well. Renee dB and Sandy V will share the church's Clerk duties while John is on medical leave.

Georrence and Rose had a baby boy, 9 lbs 11 oz. Friday, September 18. There were some complications and he was taken to Victoria hospital soon after his birth. We appreciate your prayers. John & Sheri A

Cont'd: Fall 2020 for Students

Jared P is taking online courses in Nanaimo for his first year of Music at VIU.

Birthdays this Week:

Wednesday, September 23: Chris G, Gord W

Thursday, September 24: Gerry W

Friday, September 25: Matthew B

Saturday, September 26: Tamara K

Sunday, September 27: Joe W

At the Church Sunday, September 20

Pastor Kevin's message, "We Are One", is from 1 Corinthians 12:12-31.

For Groups 1 & 2 that signed up by Wednesday and then others that signed up until there were 50 people maximum.

Offering for Sunday, September 20: Church Ministries and (Duncan Christian School Tuition Relief). Write the cheque to Duncan CRC and the cause in the memo line.

Worship Groups 3 & 4 sign up by Wed. Sept. 23 for Sunday, Sept. 27's Service

Sign up by Wednesday, September 23!

After Wednesday, other groups can sign up as well until there are 50 people maximum. crc.duncan@shawcable.com or 250-748-2122 (office hours Tues. - Fri, 9 - 12 noon).

Offering for Sunday, September 27: Church Ministries and (Clement's Centre Society).

Live-streaming Sunday Morning 10 am

For everyone else, the Service will be live-streamed on Sunday morning at 10 am and can be accessed on the Church website and Pastor Kevin's Church facebook page.

The Service will also be recorded and will be available once the Service is completed on the Church's website www.duncancrc.org and Pastor Kevin's Church facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/duncancrc/>

COUNCIL REPORT – Monday, September 14, 2020

- The church's FULL Council met on Monday in the Fellowship Hall with adequate spacing and sanitizing. With Pastor Kevin we focused for a time on Philippians 4:19, 20. These verses tell us that we can be assured that God will meet all our needs – that God is in control, and that God will bless the church community.
 - Improvement in live-streaming the Sunday worship services is progressing and enquiries will be made to explore whether additional Praise Team participation and some audience singing (that complies with current Covid19 guidelines) can be included in services.
 - Sandy and Tom V will be setting up a "Freedom Session" program at the church. (see bulletin note)
 - Health issues have led Marguerite V and Nel P to request release from church council related responsibilities and council grants those requests. We thank the Lord that both Rijk and Marguerite were able and willing to serve as council members in the past and also that Nel could assist council with pastoral calls and visits.
 - Arrangements will be getting made to paint the walls and ceilings of the church sanctuary at some time in the coming months. It may be necessary to have some worship services in the Fellowship Hall during the painting process.
 - Pastor Kevin and Frank G were appointed to serve as delegates to the October 20, 21 meetings of Classis BCNW, which will be held as "zoom" meetings. Norm B was appointed to serve as Alternate.
 - Council agreed in principle to begin working towards a restructured council which would have "teams" of persons that would focus on church ministries in the areas of: 1) Worship, 2) Pastoral Care, 3) Children and Students, 4) Missional, 5) Faith Formation, 6) Stewardship.
 - Leaders of activities will be asked to discuss/explore the types of precautions that might be needed in order to resume some limited activity for Gems, Cadets, YDC, Coffee Break, Total Impact, etc.
- Next meeting of the Full Council is scheduled for Oct. 5.

John D, Clerk

Worship Group 1

B, Norm & Estherina
 B, Matt & Michelle
 C, Wayne & Janice
 D, Henny
 F, Edward & Patricia
 K, Bas & Greta
 La R, Nancy
 N, Andrew & Josie
 N, Dick & Deanna
 N, Michelle & Bill
 T, Alice
 T, Barb & Tim
 Van W, Ed
 Van W, Frerik
 Van W, Nettie
 W, Albert & Billy-Jean
 W, Angelina
 W, Cindy
 W, Jason & Michelle
 W, John & Dorothy
 W, Hennie

Worship Group 2

A, Pierson
 A, John & Sheri
 B, Jim & Darlene
 B, Matthew
 B, Mike
 DeV, Petra
 G, Chris & Henrietta
 G, Danielle
 G, Douglas
 G, Megan
 J, Eno & Hilda
 K, Adam
 K, Ben
 K, Nick
 K, Pete & Carol
 P, Lena
 P, Nell
 P, Jared
 P, Marius & Joyce
 vanB, Ben & Margie
 V, Alex & Irene
 V, Betty
 W, Bill & Gert
 W, Gerald & Anneke

Worship Group 3

B, Rose
 B, John & Hilda
 B, Ed & Cheryl
 B, Jennie
 D, Bob & Joyce
 F, Eileen
 G, Don & Hilda
 S, Wayne
 Van B, Marie
 vanB, Ida
 Van E, Dick & Mary
 Van E, Martin
 Vander S, Greg & Katie
 Vander S, Ralph & Audrey
 VanW, Shirley
 W, Fred & Marjan
 W, Breanna
 W, Eric
 W, Gerry & Gertie
 W, Joe & Trudy

Worship Group 4

B, Tyler & Katrina
 C, David & Anita
 C, Jan
 D, Joel & Danielle
 D, John & Affie
 E, Hilda
 G, Elli
 G, Jack & Marilyn
 D, Calvin & Lindsay
 G, Ynze & Betsy
 H, Joe
 J, Bruce & Aafke
 L, Emilia & Lakesh
 M, Ted
 O, Dawn
 P, Shirley
 R, Maartje
 S, Ron
 Van B, Lawrence & Marilyn
 Van H, James & Shannon
 V, Alie
 W, Harvey & Janet
 W, Ridley
 W, William
 Z, Mary

Sign up for your Sunday!

Sunday, September 20: First choice was for Groups 1 & 2

Sunday, September 27: First Choice is for Groups 3 & 4. Sign up by Wed. Sept. 23.

Sunday, October 4: First Choice is for Groups 5 & 6. Sign up by Wed. Sept. 30.

Please phone or e-mail the office if you would like to be in another group:
 748-2122, crc.duncan@shawcable.com

Worship Group 5

B, Cheryl
 B, Alice
 B, Rick & Ying
 C, Harry & Chris
 C-Dr, Lita
 de B, Kees & Susan
 G, Frank & Margaret
 H, Dennise
 J, Bradley & Joan
 N, Jane & Byron
 P, Amanda
 R, Nigel
 S, Reyna & Bobby
 vanB, Matthew & Darbi
 W, Sonya
 W, Raymond
 W, Susan
 W, Ben & Alanna
 W, Holly

Worship Group 6

B, Len & Rose
 B, Will & Joanne
 B, Natashia
 B, Nellie
 de B, Renee
 E, Stefan & Sharlene
 K, Deen & Tamara
 R, Mike & Susan
 S, Christine
 VanderV, Pastor Kevin & Jessica
 VanW, Terry & Janette
 V, Tom & Sandy
 V, Dustin & Kristen
 V, Rijk & Marguerite