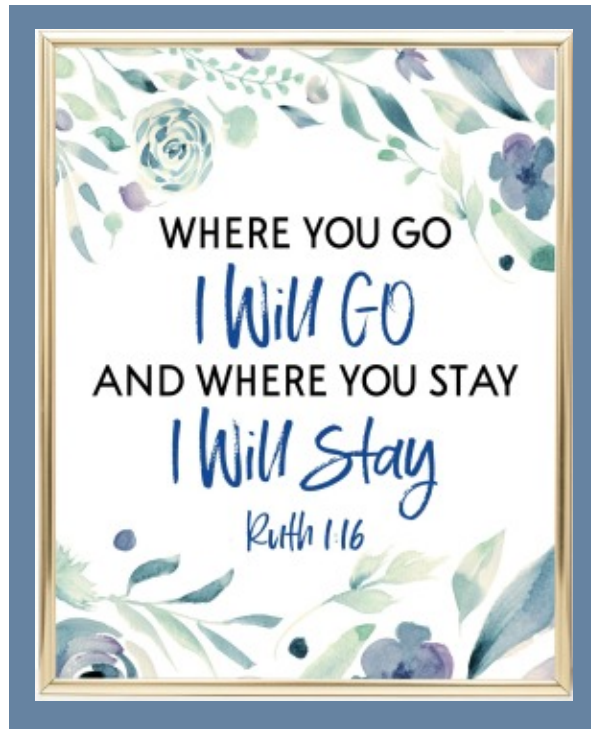




Duncan Christian Reformed Church

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found on our website, www.duncancrc.org

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Worship Service Sunday, October 29

Pastor Kevin will bring the Message, "God's Love and Care in Difficult Times",
from Ruth 1:11-18.

The Offering is for Church Ministries and (Calvin Seminary).

Since 1876, Calvin Theological Seminary has served the Christian Reformed Church in North America.
Calvinseminary.edu

Next Sunday, November 5

Next Sunday we are privileged to witness the ordination of Pastor Dan Schultz as Commissioned Pastor. We will also celebrate the Lord's Supper together.

The Offering next Sunday is for Church Ministries and (World Renew).

World Renew works to develop food security, peace and justice, economic livelihood and health in more than 30 developing countries. www.worldrenew.net

Church Family

In the past two weeks, Frank G has been diagnosed with brain cancer. A CT scan and an MRI revealed a small mass of cancerous cells. A neurosurgeon deemed it to be inoperable. At this point he is waiting to meet with an oncologist at the Victoria cancer clinic to schedule radiation treatments. Please keep Frank and Margaret in your prayers.

Announcements

Crafting/Sewing/Quilting Bee

Join us in our crafting/ sewing/ quilting/crocheting/scrapbooking/cardmaking bee on Friday & Saturday, November 3 & 4 from 10:00 am - 8:00/9:00 pm in the Fireside room. Or you can just join us for coffee and kletsch. Bring your own bag lunch for Friday and we will order pizza for dinner. For Saturday we plan to have soup and buns for lunch, and order take out for dinner or dinner out. Please bring some snacks to share for both days, we will make coffee and tea so we can take a break anytime and have something to munch on. You can stay as long as you want or just come for a few hours. Let us know if you are interested so we will have some idea of how many will be there and prepare accordingly, thanks! For more info please talk to/email/call Anneke or Estherina.

Young Adults Paint Night

On Friday Nov. 3rd, 7-9 pm in the Fellowship Hall, Anna Corbett will be leading us in creating a masterpiece. We will try to channel our inner Bob Ross. Still some spots - talk to Pastor Dan to register.

Men's Breakfast Nov. 4th - 8 am - Dog House

Calling all men to join us for our monthly breakfast. We will break eggs, connect and take a few minutes to chat about what Ps. 1:1-2 means to us. "Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night." What does this say about God's character? What does this say about man? Hope to see you there.

Announcements

Current Drives at the Church	Needed items	Deadline for bringing items
<p>GEMS - 35 shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child through Samaritans Purse</p> <p>bring to Foyer on Sunday</p>	<p>For girls age 5 - 9 Small dolls, small stuffed animals, Jumping ropes, Yo-yos, Toothbrushes, Wash cloths, Combs/hair brushes, Toques, Bars of soap, Band-Aids (colourful ones), Small puzzles, Play-Doh with cookie cutters (nothing too sharp), Stickers, Foam balls, Small frisbees, School - pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, markers, notebooks, coloring, and picture books. We are also looking for \$10 donations for each box to cover shipping.</p>	<p>Sunday, November 5</p>
<p>Youth B3 Bottle Drive</p>	<p>Sunday morning bring bottles to sign outside the main church door</p>	<p>Sunday, November 5</p>
<p>Winter Clothing Drive for children, youth and adults facing adversity/or living without shelter</p>	<p>Donations of winter coats, toques, gloves, scarves, blankets, socks, boots, sweaters, rain gear and hand warmers</p>	<p>Ongoing - Bring to Foyer on Sunday. Connect with Lori J</p>

Church Calendar

This Week:

Sun, Oct 29: Catechism 9 - 9:35 am for Grade 6 and up and those wishing to do Profession of Faith
 Sun, Oct 29: Ministerial Worship Night : 7-8 pm @ New Life Church
 Tues, Oct 31: Coffee & Crafting in the Fireside Room 10 am - 3 pm
 Wed, Nov 1: "From the Inside Out" Adult Bible study 7 - 9 pm
 Thurs, Nov 2: Coffee Break Ladies Bible Study & Nursery 10 - 11:30 am (coffee at 9:30 am)
 Thurs, Nov 2: Youth Jam 7 pm
 Fri/Sat Nov 3/4: Crafting/Sewing/Quilting Bee Fireside Room 10 am - 8/9 pm
 Fri, Nov 3: Young Adult Paint Night Fellowship Hall 7 - 9 pm
 Sat, Nov 4: Men's Breakfast 8 am at the Dog House

Future Dates:

Sun, Nov 5: Celebrate the Lord's Supper together
 Sun, Nov 5: Pastor Dan's ordination during the 10 am service
 Mon, Nov 6: Full Council Mtg 7 pm
 Wed, Nov 8: Remembrance Day service 10:30 - 11:30 am here at the Church (hosted by DCS)
 Wed, Nov 8: Afternoon Fireside Room Bible Study 2 - 4 pm
 Sun, Nov 19: Family Skate 1 - 2:20 pm @ The Big Stick
 Mon, Nov 20: Senior's Lunch 11:45 am at the Shipyard in Genoa Bay
 Mon, Dec 4: Congregational Mtg 7 pm with dinner together at 6 pm
 August 9 - 13, 2024: Rath Trevor Camping. Talk to Joel or Pastor Dan

Announcements

Remembrance Day Service November 8 at CRC

You are invited to join Duncan Christian School for a Remembrance Day service.

Our whole school body PreK - 12 will be joining together for this special time of remembrance. We will be led by our chapel team, colour guards, and veteran George Brewster (former WW2 pilot, and 100 yrs young!) will be addressing the audience. Please join us for this special service at 10:30 am on Wednesday, November 8.

Seniors Lunch Nov. 20 - 11:45 am - Shipyard

We welcome you to join us for lunch in the upside down boat at Genoa Bay, the Shipyard. Please sign up at the welcome desk or by contacting Pastor Dan. Let us know if you will meet us there or would like a ride from church.

Gifts & Tithes

Total from Cheques & Cash Counted Sept 27, E-Transfer Sept 20-Oct 20, PAR Oct 20

Church Ministries: \$21,532.80

Libya Flood Relief: \$200.00

Deacon Fund: \$20.00

Teen Challenge: \$5.00

Resonate Global Missions: \$210.00

World Renew: \$765.00

Clements Centre: \$280.00

Indigenous Ministries: 260.00

Church Calendar

Little Lambs (Nursery/Preschool)

October 29: Cathy D, Katrina B, Lydia S

November 5: Greg V, Tamara K, Addie N

Child care for infants to pre-school is located in the wing to the right of the sanctuary

Sunday School

October 29:

K-2 Teacher: Kristen V, Helper: Miriam O

Gr. 3-5 Teacher: Sharlene E, Helper: Lydia S

Sunday school children are dismissed part way through the service and return during the service.

Hall Monitors

October 29: Tom V

November 5: Ben vB

Hearing assistance is available upon request from the greeters.

Birthdays this Week

Saturday, November 4: Addie-Linn N

Coffee Servers

October 29: Mike & Susan R

November 5: Jim & Darlene B

Greeters

October 22: Gerald & Anneke W, Laura S, Hannah B, Matt B

Coffee Break Nursery

Thursday, November 2: Henrietta G, Ida vB

Prayer Chain

If you would like prayer, please call the PRAYER CHAIN Thanks, Anneke W