

Duncan Christian Reformed Church

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Worship Services

Sunday, April 27:

The video this week, "Easter - Accused for Me", is from Matthew 27:11-31.

"Right Now Media":

The resurrection is the most important moment in history, but it is more than an event we remember on Easter Sunday. Join pastor J.D. Greear as he takes a deeper look at Jesus's life, death, and resurrection in the Gospel of Matthew, revealing the ways we should see ourselves in Jesus's story. Jesus died for us so that he could be alive in us today. Easter changes everything.

The Offering is for Church Ministries.

Next Sunday, May 4:

Next Sunday is GEMS Sunday.

The Offering will be for Church Ministries and the special offering for GEMS.

Church Family

The service for Marjan W will be this Thursday, May 1 at 1 pm.

Announcements

Monday, April 28: Congregational Meeting & Chinese Dinner

We invite you to join us for a special evening this Monday, April 28.

Chinese Dinner – 5:30 PM. The meal is by donation, and all are welcome to enjoy this fellowship time. There are sign-up sheets in the foyer for the Dinner. Please be sure to sign up and indicate how many people will be attending. We look forward to seeing you there!

Congregational Meeting – 7:00 PM. After the meal, we'll transition to the sanctuary for our Congregational Meeting (will include Affirmation Vote for 2 Elders & 1 Deacon).

The Affirmation Vote will be for: Affie D as Missional Elder Jim B as Youth & Family Elder Shawn D as Stewardship Deacon

This vote is to affirm (vote yes) or not affirm (vote No) that these individuals qualify for Church Council.

Coffee Serving on Mother's Day

Are there some men who would be interested in serving coffee after Church on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 11? Please contact the office if you feel inspired to help in this way!



Announcements

Alpha

Last Thursday was our last Alpha session, starting with a wonderful potluck of amazing and delicious contributions. Thank you to everyone who helped make Alpha possible... whether you were praying for the group, cleaning up afterwards or if you made a meal for us, we appreciate you! It really does take a team to run a successful Alpha and we are so grateful for all of you on the team.

Our last session answered the question: What about the Church? in which we learned that the church is not a building, but a group of believers who follow Jesus Christ, worship God, encourage one another, and live out their faith together. It's a great blessing to be part of the Duncan CRC where we can do life together through so many unique and sometimes challenging situations.

If you have any interest in Alpha, find out more at AlphaCanada.org or talk to Sandy Veenstra if you'd like to be part of Alpha in the future. Stay tuned for future Alpha opportunities happening in our church.

From Al Postma, Canadian Executive Director of the CRC

One of my greatest joys in serving within the CRC is witnessing the breadth of our shared ministries. These ministries reflect the diverse ways we believe Jesus is working to renew all things through his death, resurrection, and the power of his Spirit. We equip churches to lead people into deeper worship and experience the Word of God in powerful ways. We have ministries that encourage us to share the good news of Jesus with our neighbours, both locally and globally. We have ministries that embody the gospel in both word and deed, reflecting a redemption that is not only spiritual but embraces the whole world. We have educational institutions that form the whole person, including their minds, to take every thought captive for Christ. And we pursue justice and reconciliation in the wider public sphere. We do all these things collectively as a denomination, but also within our own congregations and local communities. My hope this Easter is that we will celebrate in ways that reflect our rich theological heritage and help us to pay attention to how we live it out in real, tangible, and redemptive ways.

Church Calendar

This Week:

Mon, April 28: Chinese Dinner 5:30 pm (sign up at the Welcome Table - by donation at the dinner)

Mon, April 28: Congregational Mtg 7 pm (includes Affirmation Vote for 2 Elders & 1 Deacon)

Tues, April 29: Craft group 10 - 3 pm

Thurs, May 1: Coffee Break Ladies Bible Study & Nursery 9:30 - 11:30 am

Thurs, May 1: Service for Marjan W 1 pm

Thurs, May 1: Evening Bible Study 7 pm at the Church

Thurs, May 1: Youth Jam 7 pm

Sat, May 3: Men's Breakfast at the Dog House 8 am

Sat, May 3: Cowichan Band 7:30 pm at the Church (Amanda P is one of the musicians!). Tickets at the door

Future Dates:

Sun, May 4: GEMS Sunday

Mon, May 5: Full Council Mtg 7 pm

Sun, May 11: Installation of Elders & Deacon

Sun, May 11: Lord's Supper

Info this Week

Little Lambs (Nursery/Preschool)

April 27: Joanne B, Affie D, Amaya D Child care for infants to pre-school is located in the wing to the right of the sanctuary.

Sunday School April 27:

K-2: BJ W, Helper: Serenity

Grade 3-5: Sharlene E, Helper: Aliya N

Sunday School children are dismissed part way in the service and return during the service.

Hall Monitors

April 27: Ben vB May 4: Tom V

Hearing assistance is available upon request

from the greeters.

Birthdays

Tuesday, April 29: Trisha M Friday, May 2: Brad J, Eno J Saturday, May 3: Zander M Sunday, May 4: Bill N

Hospitality Team

April 27: Susan W, Raymond W, Laura & Emmy S, Sandy V

Coffee Serving

April 27: Alie Vds, Renee dB

Coffee Break Nursery

Thurs, May 1: Henrietta G, Eileen F

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

Sermon Notes

What is God saying to you?

What will you do about it?







