



# Duncan Christian Reformed Church

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## Worship Services



### This Sunday, August 31

We will meet with the Churches of the Cowichan Valley  
10 am at Duncan Christian School for our Sunday Service  
(no service at the Church).  
Bring a lawn chair and some shade.



### Next Sunday, September 7

On Sunday, September 7, we will kick off the new ministry year by celebrating our ministries and by sharing a vision of who we are as a church.

After the service, we will gather at Glenora Trailhead Park where we will have coffee and cake, followed by a potluck. Please bring an appetizer or salad to share. Sandwiches and drinks will be provided. We will have maps printed on how to get there. We hope that you can join us.



## Youth Ministries that need Volunteers

### Sunday School



Contact Danielle D

### Area 68

**For Grades 6 - 8, every other  
Sunday during the Service**

Contact Jim B



### GEMS - Girls Everywhere Meeting the Saviour

Contact BJ W  
Girls Grade 3 - 6 meet every other Tuesday  
evening at the Church.



### Cadets Boys Club

Contact Pete K or Joel D  
Boys Grade 3 - 7 meet every other  
Tuesday evening at DCS - same  
evening as GEMS.

### B3 Youth - Grade 7/8

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We're looking for someone to join the team for the  
Junior group - Grade 7/8.

This spot is open to older teens → adults.

If this is your area of passion/gifting talk to Katie V or email:  
[youth@duncancrc.org](mailto:youth@duncancrc.org)

Commitment is 2 Fridays per month.

## Announcements

### Krol family Dominican Republic

This October our family will be traveling to the Dominican Republic for 3 months. We will be working on projects with Dominican Vision and Love Does and making connections in the communities Arroyo Seco and Las Canas on the North Coast. We are collecting items to bring along, including school supplies (pencils, pencil crayons, markers, glue sticks, construction paper), chewable vitamins, clothing, socks, and more. A full list of needed items is attached to the suitcase in the church foyer. There are also opportunities to sponsor a school child for \$40/month, or to give toward building supplies, wells, or replanting projects.

We are deeply grateful for the prayers, donations, and support already given! For more information, please contact Deen K.

## Church Calendar

### This Week:

Sun, August 31: 10 am Service at Duncan Christian School (no service at the Church)

Mon, Sept 1: Office closed for Labour Day

Tues, Sept 2: Quilting & Craft 10 am - 3 pm

Wed, Sept 3: Pastor Search Team Mtg 7 pm

Sat, Sept 6: Men's Breakfast 8 am at the Dog House

### Future Dates:

Sun, Sept 7: Kick off Sunday for Church Ministries followed by a potluck at Glenora Trailheads Park

Mon, Sept 8: Full Council Mtg 7 pm

Thurs, Sept 11: Coffee Break Ladies Bible Study & Nursery 9:30 am

Sun, Sept 14: Celebrate the Lord's Supper together

## Church Family

### Birthdays

Mon, Sept 1: Hilda E, Lydia S

Wed, Sept 3: Jeremy W

Sat, Sept 6: Austin N, Indy V

Sun, Sept 7: Ynze G

Birthday blessings for everyone! A special blessing for Hilda E. who will turn 95 this coming Monday and Ynze G. who will be 89 next Sunday!



## CRC Communications

### ReFrame Ministries

Kids Corner Devotions: Praying for Someone Else - Check out this week's kids' devotion, "Praying for Someone Else" at [www.kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net). Prayer is a special way to show love to others. When you pray for someone, you're helping them and growing closer to God at the same time! Check out all the great content at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net), like the classic "Liz and Friends" podcast!

### Groundwork

Jesus' Kingdom Parables - Jesus often used parables to teach his followers about the kingdom of God. Join Groundwork as we dig into Matthew 13, Matthew 20:1-16, Matthew 22:1-14, Luke 17:20-21, and Matthew 25:1-13 to learn from Jesus what God's kingdom looks like, what its values are, and how the people of his kingdom behave. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

### Thrive

Get Involved with Generation Spark - Generation Spark offers hands-on coaching, practical strategies, and extensive support to help all generations form meaningful relationships that result in sustained, lifelong faith. Thrive, the CRC's congregational support agency, invites you to learn more about what it might look like for your church to invest in intergeneration mentoring! An informational webinar will be offered on September 11, 11:30am ET. Register here: [shorturl.at/d7DEO](http://shorturl.at/d7DEO)

Thrive Faith Formation Tip - When asked about the greatest commandment, Jesus replied, "'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself'" (Matt. 22:37-39, NIV). How can you show love to God through loving your neighbors this week? Whether it be in helping someone in your building carry groceries, bringing flowers to someone on your street, or buying a special treat for someone in your broader community, find a way to extend an act of love to one of your neighbors. Brought to you by Thrive: [crcna.org/Thrive](http://crcna.org/Thrive)

### Support The Banner Magazine

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