



Duncan Christian Reformed Church

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Worship Services

This Sunday, December 14 - 3rd Sunday of Advent

Pastor Tom Hilchie will bring the message of "Joy" from Isaiah 35:1-10.

We will celebrate the Lord's Supper together.

The Offering is for Church Ministries and the special Offering for Adrianna & Raul Herrera's work in Central America with Resonate Global Missions, the Missions branch of the Christian Reformed Church.

Herrera Update

In our ministry, we are busy helping to make plans for groups to visit Sioux Falls next spring and summer, and to go to Central America. We are also recruiting for two regional trips where people have the opportunity to go to multiple countries. Please pray that God will open doors for people to experience how He is at work in different places and through different people.

Next Sunday, December 21

The Offering will be for Church Ministries and the special Offering for the Deacon Fund.

Church Family

We are thankful that Gerry is improving day by day! And we are also very thankful for your prayers. We have been watching the services on line and it is great! Wishing you all A Blessed Christmas and a Happy Healthy New Year.

Greetings from Gerry and Gertie

Pastor Curtis Korver

Many of you know of Pastor Curtis Korver who was leading the CRC in Port Alberni. Over the last year he has battled cancer which greatly affected his throat. The cancer is now in remission. On Wednesday he had a voice repair surgery which was successful and he is now on strict voice rest. A good step in the right direction. Please continue to prayer for his recovery

Announcements

Advent Celebration

This Sunday, join us for an extended time of fellowship as we celebrate the season. Whether you brought a cookie to share or not, we welcome you to be a part of this celebration.

Christmas Eve Service is in the making!

If you would like to be involved let Michelle N know. Lots of room for kids in costume and possibly some kids and/or adults to read. Still working on details. Practice and costumes December 21 after the service.

New Years Day

In past years Sandy and Affie have led our church family in a New Years Day service in the fellowship hall. Both of them will be away this year. If you are interested in leading this service for our church family, please contact Pastor Dan by Sunday Dec. 14th.

Announcements

Senior's Bible Study Christmas special

THIS Wednesday from 2-4 p.m. we look forward to spending time together celebrating Christ's birth. There will be a special litany with readings and singing and time to socialize and enjoy some goodies. All seniors are welcome! If you can, bring a snack to share with the group. See you there!

Community Christmas Dinner

Since the Food Bank is not having a Christmas dinner this year for those going through hard times, it was decided that we would offer a free Christmas dinner at our church THIS Saturday. To do this we will need lots of volunteers to help prepare food, serve food and clean up. It's always a blessing to work together. If you would like to help with food prep let Affie know as we need quite a few turkeys cooked in advance. Also potato peelers. Volunteers will need to come to church at 2 p.m. on Saturday for cooking, 4:30 for serving and clean up after that. Thank you! We are very grateful that we have received a donation to cover the cost of the dinner - funds raised by the ER staff at CDH.

Christmas Eve Invites

We encourage each family unit to prayerfully invite a family member, friend, neighbour or co-worker to our Christmas Eve and/or Christmas Day services.

December 28 Service

On our last Sunday of 2025, the service will look a little different. Pastor Dan is looking for 9 people to read Scripture in that service. Please talk to or email pastordan@duncancrc.org if you are willing and able to help that day. Thank you.

Krol Family Updates

Every week the Krol family is posting video updates on their 3-month mission adventure in the Dominican Republic. You can use their QR Code or youtube link to see the latest. <https://www.youtube.com/@deenkrol4016>



Church Calendar

This Week:

Sun, Dec 14: Celebrate the Lord's Supper together
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Mon, Dec 15: Christmas Choir practice 6 pm
Tues, Dec 16: Crafting & Quilting 10 am - 3 pm
Tues, Dec 16: Ball Hockey at DCS for those 16 and older 7 pm
Wed, Dec 17: Youth Catechism 7:30 am
Wed, Dec 17: Senior Bible Study Christmas Special. 2-4 pm
Thurs, Dec 18: Evening Bible Study 7 pm
Sat, Dec 20: Community Dinner

Future Dates:

Wed, Dec 24: Christmas Eve Service 6 pm
Thurs, Dec 25: Christmas Day 10 am

Info this Week

Little Lambs (Nursery/Preschool)

Dec 14: Joanne B, Julianna K

Dec 21: Katrina B, Susan R

Dec 24 & 25: Open for families to use

Dec 28: Josie N, Cathy D

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

Sunday School

Whole group activities for December

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

Hall Monitors

Dec 14: Will B

Dec 21: Ben vB

Birthdays

Mon, Dec 15: Angelina W, Serenity M, London T

Wed, Dec 17: Lainey V

Sat, Dec 20: Aliya N

Sun, Dec 21: Madison W

Coffee Serving

Dec 14: Alie Vds, Eileen F, Renee dB

Hospitality Team

Dec 14: Danielle & Amaya D, Cathy & Shawn D, Raymond W, Renee dB

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

Hearing assistance is available upon request from the greeters.

Sermon Notes

What is God saying to you?

What will you do about it?



New here, help us
connect with you



Tithing Options

