



Duncan Christian Reformed Church

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Worship Services

Sunday, January 18

Pastor Dan will bring the Message, "Why Jesus Matters - Come and See", from John 1:35-51.

The Offering is for Church Ministries and the special offering for Dominican Vision.

Next Sunday, January 25

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Announcements

Thriving Essentials

In the coming months Duncan CRC will be going through a process called Thriving Essentials, with coaching through Thrive (CRCNA). This process aims to help us as a church to determine our focus and how God desires for us to be intentional in our ministries. We hope to come up with SMART goals that align with our mission, vision and values, which will help guide our steps in the next 1, 3 and 5 years.

Every member of our church family is encouraged to join us in 40-days of Discernment, through Scripture reading and prayer starting January 12, 2026. We hope this time will help us to set our hearts in a position to discern what God may be saying to us. A printed copy can be found at the welcome desk or using the QR code. If you missed our start date, join us whenever you can. Miss a day, continue on.



As a part of this process, we are inviting ministry leaders, elders, and deacons to participate in a training workshop to be held on Saturday, Feb 21, from 8:30 am - 3:00 pm. This training will help us consider a framework for understanding the unique mission of our church and get us all on the same page concerning the key concepts of a Thriving congregation: Mission, Discipleship, Discernment, and Leadership. This training will be facilitated by Liz Tolkamp, Thrive Regional Connector. If you are interested in being an active participant on this day, and have not received a personal email invitation, please talk to Pastor Dan, Andrew Nagtegaal or Sandy Veenstra. RSVP to office@duncancrc.org by February 8th is mandatory.

Coffee Break Thursday!

Our first Bible Study for the new year is this Thursday. We will be studying the book of Ephesians for the next eight weeks. Coffee is ready at 9:30 and opening at 10 am. All ladies are welcome! Child care is available!

Church Family

Thank you from Ida

I would like to thank you, my Church family, for all your wishes and blessings on my birthday. We enjoyed a wonderful weekend of celebrating the riches God has given: the riches of family, friends and fellowship. God is so good!



Council Report

The Church's FULL Council met at the Church Monday, January 5, 2026

- Shawn D led a devotion from Hebrews 13:6-8 where we have assurance for the New Year that, "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and tomorrow".
- Council heard the testimonies of Ryan, Aisha and London T who are accepted for Baptism and Membership. Pastor Tom and Joyce H also shared their stories and are accepted as Associate Members so Pastor Tom can keep his Pastoring credentials.
- On Monday, January 12, the congregation started "40 days of Scripture Reading and Prayer" for the "Thriving Essentials" program through Thrive (from CRCNA at no cost to the Church). This program helps Churches determine their Ministry focus in Missions, Discipleship, Discernment and Leadership in the next 1, 3 and 5 years. There will be an upcoming workshop on February 21 with Liz Tolkamp, a survey for the congregation, a Council retreat followed by a vision team that will continue to work with goals and plans.
- The membership of Elly L was received from Bethel CRC in Saskatoon. Welcome Elly!
- The Sermon Series starting the new year is "Why Jesus Matters". Having Jesus at the centre of our lives is so important and powerful for our relationships and ministries.
- The video series on the Apostle's Creed will be crafted together with sister churches from Classis BCNW.
- Advent, Christmas Eve and Christmas Services went well and were complimented with amazing decorations around the Church.
- The Deacon Dinner and the Community Dinner in December were very much appreciated.
- Better lighting has been installed in the Church foyer and carpet cleaning was scheduled for the beginning of January.
- The next meeting of Council is on Monday, February 2.
- The Spring Congregational Meeting will be on Monday, May 4.

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Church Calendar

This Week:

- Tues, Jan 20: Craft & Quilting 10 am - 3 pm
- Tues, Jan 20: Ball Hockey 7 pm at DCS for ages 16 plus
- Wed, Jan 21: Youth Catechism 7:30 am
- Thurs, Jan 22: Coffee Break Ladies Bible Study & Nursery 9:30 - 11:30 am
- Thurs, Jan 22: Evening Bible Study 7 pm
- Fri, Jan 23: B3 Youth 7 pm

Future Dates:

- Sat, Jan 31: Community Dinner

Caution: Be careful of snowy and icy conditions on the Church parking lot and sidewalk during the winter season. And remember to wipe your feet at the door, especially when salt has been sprinkled on the surfaces outside.

Info this Week

Little Lambs (Nursery/Preschool)

Jan 18: Laura S, Aafke J

Jan 25: Audrey V, Darlene B

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

Sunday School Jan 18

K-2: Teacher Danielle D, Helper Aliya N

Gr 3-5: Teacher Kristen V, Helper Josie N

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

Hearing assistance is available upon request from the greeters.

Hall Monitors

Jan 18: Fred W

Jan 25: Will B

Hospitality

Sun, Jan 18: Andrew N, Sharleen K, Susan W, Laura & Emmy S

Coffee Serving

Sun, Jan 18: Chris & Henrietta G

Coffee Break Nursery

Thurs, Jan 22: Henrietta G, Gert W, Tessa B

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?



New here, help us connect with you



Tithing Options

