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### Elders

Emily M  
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Graeme B  
(Administration)

Harold H  
(Deacons)

Wilbur H  
(Worship)

Scott K  
(Worship)

John W  
(Discipleship)

### Deacons

Fred K  
(Chair)

Alyse K  
(Secretary)

Brendan B

Dale H

Brett L

Birgit M

Warren T

Ed V

OLD TESTAMENT FEASTS



Easter Sunday

Week 7: Feast of Tabernacles

## Welcome to our Service

Good morning and welcome to Ebenezer, both in person and Livestream. To access the Livestream, visit our website: [www.ebenezercrc.com](http://www.ebenezercrc.com) and click on the Livestream button that appears at the top of the page.

### OPENING READING

SONG — *Low In The Grave He Lay*

### WELCOME & PRAYER

SONG — *Christ The Lord Is Risen Today*

### CALL TO WORSHIP

SONG — *All Heaven Declares*

### GOD'S GREETING & WE GREET EACH OTHER

### CONFESSION & ASSURANCE

SONG — *King Of Kings*

### ANNOUNCEMENTS & CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

THANK OFFERING 1 - Ebenezer Ministries 2 - Our Missionaries

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE *(No Sunday School)*

SCRIPTURE — **Leviticus 23: 33—44**

SERMON — **The Feast Of Tabernacles**

SONG — *Behold Our God*

### PARTING BLESSING

CLOSING SONG — *We Will Dance*

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**E-TRANSFER:** to send an e-transfer donation use [finance@ebenezercrc.com](mailto:finance@ebenezercrc.com). Thank you!

## Church Family

We continue to pray for **Bev C, Gary F, Jacob H, Kerry Anne H, Margaret T and Colleen V.**

*If you are experiencing physical or emotional difficulties,  
please speak to your district Elder, a Deacon or contact the church office.  
We want to support you on your journey.*

*If you would like a visit with Pastor Jason ...*

*feel free to contact him directly by phone (780-964-9844) or email  
([pastorjason@ebenezercrc.com](mailto:pastorjason@ebenezercrc.com)) and set up a time for him to come and visit.*

**CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR KONRAD BEHA** There will be a Celebration of Life here at Ebenezer with Edith and her family. The service, followed by a standing reception, will be held this Saturday, April 23rd from 10am—12pm. The Ebenezer Church Family is encouraged to attend. *Anyone who is interested in helping with the Reception can call the church office. Thank you.*

**NOMINATIONS FOR ELDERS AND DEACONS:** Council invites the congregation to carefully consider new members for the roles of elder and deacon. Please forward your suggested nominations to Council Clerk Dan Vaandrager ([clerk@ebenezercrc.com](mailto:clerk@ebenezercrc.com)) by May 1.

**FAITH FORMATION MINISTRIES—FAITH PRACTICE REFLECTION TIP** - Read Revelation 7:9-13 and ponder or discuss the following questions. Easter Sunday is the most important celebration of the Christian year, and this passage paints the ultimate picture of Christian celebration. Have you ever imagined what that day will be like? Give it a try. (For more on faith practices from Faith Formation Ministries, visit [bit.ly/FaithPracticesProject](http://bit.ly/FaithPracticesProject))

## Deacon's Corner

**1<sup>st</sup> Offering — EBENEZER MINISTRIES** This offering is used to cover day-to-day expenses of the church, fund the various ministries at Ebenezer, cover the salaries of staff, and contributes to the ministry shares that we are committed to as members of CRC Denomination.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Offering — OUR MISSIONARIES** The two missionary families Ebenezer supports are the Geistefers and the Strydhorst's. The Geistefers are working in Honduras and the Strydhorst family is now in Michigan working out of the Timothy Centre. Each year we commit to giving each family \$3000.00. For more information please visit the Global Resonate website. Geistefers sent a "thank you" letter acknowledging their grateful thanks for support and prayers. Both families have updated information which is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Strydhorsts sent an update regarding their work which is also posted on the bulletin board.

**NEXT WEEK 2<sup>nd</sup> Offering — FRIENDSHIP MINISTRIES** The mission of Friendship ministries is to share God's love with people who have intellectual disabilities and to enable them to become an active part of God's family. Their ministry is international, inter-denominational, and 30 years old. They have helped equip churches from more than 75 denominations in 28 countries around the world to include people with intellectual disabilities. For more info see [friendship.org](http://friendship.org)

**REHOBOTH IS BACK IN THE SWING OF THINGS!** The 30th Golf Classic will be held on June 4th at The Ranch Golf and Country Club! Registration is now open at [www.rcmflourish.ca](http://www.rcmflourish.ca). For sponsorship options, please contact us [flourish@rcmflourish.ca](mailto:flourish@rcmflourish.ca)

**REHOBOTH NEWS** The latest edition of the Rehoboth "Flourish" newsletter is now available online at: <https://www.rcmflourish.ca/about/flourish-newsletter/>. If you prefer a hard copy of the newsletter, a limited amount will be available at the church very soon. Enjoy the updates and stories!

**BE COURAGEOUS!!!** That's the theme for **Rehoboth Camp Ministry** this summer, which is so fitting after 2 years without Camp! RCM provides a one-week camp experience for persons with developmental disabilities and is a life-changing week for campers and volunteers. Come and be a special friend to someone with a developmental disability and show them the love of Christ, and at the same time enjoy our beautiful camp facility. We are looking for counsellors for the following weeks: R&R (a more relaxed week from June 26 – July 1), Adult 1 (July 2-8), Adult 2 (July 9-15), Independent (July 16-22), and Youth (July 23-29). Right now we really need nurses/LPNs at most of our weeks and a cooking crew for Independent Week. Check out our website at [www.rcmflourish.ca/camps](http://www.rcmflourish.ca/camps) for descriptions of the weeks and more information. Anyone age 14 and up is welcome to apply. No experience is necessary and full training and support is provided. Bring a friend! For more information, please e-mail [camp@rcmflourish.ca](mailto:camp@rcmflourish.ca). With your help we can flourish in the land. you at camp!

## Coming Up @ Ebenezer

<b>Sunday, April 17</b>	@	<b>10:00 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b> <b>Easter Sunday</b>
Monday, April 18	@	7:00 pm	Friendship
Wednesday, April 20	@	9:30 am	Coffee Break
<b>Sunday, April 24</b>	@	<b>10:00 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>

The **REFUGEE SUPPORT COMMITTEE** is planning a fundraising dinner and auction to raise



money for the people of Ukraine. Please mark Friday, May 13th on your calendar and plan to join us for the evening! Are you willing to help? We are looking for donations of ground beef, clean-up volunteers and services to auction off. The auction this year will be a live auction of services only. Do you have a talent for baking? A willingness to do farm labour or work on a yard clean-up? Are you a hairdresser or do you teach music lessons? We'd love to connect you with someone who would appreciate the service you offer all while raising money for the people of Ukraine. Please contact Grace D about helping with dishes or meat donation. Please contact Leanne K or email [standwithrefugees21@gmail.com](mailto:standwithrefugees21@gmail.com) to donate a service for the auction. Together we can make a difference!

## Save The Date

**Refugee Support Committee Fundraising Dinner** will be held Friday, May 13

**Church Garage Sale** will be held May 18-21.

**Softball Tournament & Camping** Players of all skill levels, we invite you to Ebenezer's Softball Tournament this summer - June 24-25 in Rollyview. Camping, eating, softball and fellowship. Stay tuned for more details and start thinking about your teams!

## Denominational News

**FREE CONCERTS:** King's senior music students perform their final concerts, in person at Knoppers Recital Hall at King's University or online at <https://www.youtube.com/c/TheKingsUniversity>.

April 23: 7:30 pm, Kaija (Meetsma) Feldbusch, piano

April 24: 7:30 pm, Allan Nelson, violin

April 27: 7:00 pm, Rigel Rendon, piano

**JOIN US IN PRAYING FOR SYNOD 2022** - Synodical delegates, church leaders, and CRCNA members across the continent are praying for Synod 2022. Please join us! Prayer gatherings for synodical delegates are scheduled for April 27, May 11, and May 25. We will post prayer guides on the Network each time so that you can pray with us at a time that works for you as families, individuals, church councils, small groups, and others. Need some prayer points to pray through now? Find the March 30 prayer guide at [network.crcna.org/prayer/prayer-guide-synod-philippians-44-9](http://network.crcna.org/prayer/prayer-guide-synod-philippians-44-9)

**ANYONE HAVE A MAP?** Have you ever felt like you need a map to help parent your kids who are now 18+? We want to walk alongside you in your journey of parenting today's emerging adults. Come and learn strategies and resources from Faith Formation Ministry's Ron DeVries, based on the book Growing With. Also connect with fellow parents in the same situation. It is open to all Edmonton CRCs and takes place on Sat, April 30 at the Queen Mary Park Community League Building (10844 117 St NW) from 8am-2:30pm. Cost is \$20 per person and covers lunch & refreshments. Visit [this website](#) to register.

**EMMANUEL HOME'S RACE FOR THE AGES-in search of the golden YEG will be held on Saturday, June 4, 2022.** Register your four-person team by May 23, 2022. This race is like the race we did in 2018. No route agents, no clues, you make your own route. All you need is a cell phone and the ability to click & send. Team members must each raise a minimum of \$300 in pledges. It promises to be a day of fun, fellowship, and prizes. Register by May 13 for early bird prize eligibility. For more information, contact Maria [mbos@emmanuelhome.ca](mailto:mbos@emmanuelhome.ca) or 780-478-2051. Register online: [emmanuelhome.ca/involved/race-for-the-ages](http://emmanuelhome.ca/involved/race-for-the-ages)



### BRIDGE APP INFO: DID YOU KNOW? . . . .

There are 4 ways to create an account. Create your own username and password or via Facebook, Google or your Apple account. Also you can find great resources on the Bridge App like the Today Book and Kid's Corner Devotionals.

Looking for addresses for note of encouragement? The Bridge App has all of our updated Church Member information! If you would like help setting up the App, stop by the Welcome Centre on Sunday and talk to Bea, or come by the church office during the week.



Hi, my name is Julie B and I am a grade 9 student at Covenant Christian School. This year in Language Arts, we were given a major project. We had to choose a problem in the world we were passionate about, I chose breast cancer. We also have to complete a service learning activity. For my project I have made coasters. These coasters have the cancer ribbon on them painted pink for breast cancer, light blue for prostate cancer, teal for ovarian cancer, purple for pancreatic cancer, white for lung cancer, and gray for brain cancer. The price of one coaster is \$10, all proceeds will be donated to Hair Massacure. Hair Massacure is a mass head-shave in Alberta, raising funds to support children with life-threatening illnesses, along with cancer research. Please donate to help me reach the goal of \$1,000. You can contact me by email or call my mom (Carrie B).

## Thank You To Our Volunteers

**WORSHIP TEAM:** Josiah

**NEXT WEEK:** Friendship

**PROJECTION & AUDIO:** Nicole/Matt

**NEXT WEEK:** Dan/Ted

**SERVING ELDER:** Harold H

**NEXT WEEK:** Wilbur H

**GREETERS:** Wim & Jenny R

**NEXT WEEK:** Friendship

**USHERS:** Alice V, Jan T

**NEXT WEEK:** Friendship/Mike D. KerryAnne H

**WELCOME CENTER:** Marco D

**NEXT WEEK:** Alyse K

**COFFEE DUTIES:** Harry & Karen D

**NEXT WEEK:** Jason & Niki U

John & Carol W

Scott & Jody K

**NURSERY:** Quentin A, Carol W, Kendyl H

**NEXT WEEK:** Glen H, Jenna D, Jillian C

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** No Sunday School

**NEXT WEEK:**

AGE 3/4: Kara B, Jackson

K/Grade 1: Caylie, Levi

Grade 2/3: Joanne K, Ethan