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Welcome to



August 10, 2025

*Glorifying God and Loving All People*

# Welcome to our Service

Good morning and welcome to Ebenezer. We are glad you are here today and invite you to stay after the service for coffee and fellowship. 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.

## GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

SONG — *You Are Holy*

READING — Lord's Day 13

## GOD'S GREETING & WE GREET EACH OTHER

SONG — *Behold Our God*

## WE ARE RECONCILED TO GOD

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE

SONG — *Before The Throne Of God Alone*

## GOD CALLS US INTO COMMUNITY

**Children's Message:** Teena V

*Ages 3 & 4 leave for Sunday School*

SONG — *Seek Ye First*

**Announcements & Congregational Prayer**

THANK OFFERING      1 Ebenezer Ministries  
                                 2 Edmonton ProLife

## GOD COMES TO US IN HIS WORD

**Scripture** — **Luke 10 : 25—27**

**Sermon** — **Who Do We Love?**

## WE RESPOND WITH PRAYER AND THANKS

SONG — *The Servant Song*

## GOD SENDS US WITH A BLESSING

CLOSING SONG — *Forever*

**IF YOU ARE NEW OR VISITING** and would like to talk to someone or would like more information about our church, come visit the Welcome Centre or fill out one of the cards found in the back of the chairs in the sanctuary and place it in the offering bag.

# Church Family

This week we will welcome **Daniel Choi** who is an intern at Inglewood CRC. Next week we welcome **Pastor Andrew Aukema** from Inglewood CRC.

Our condolences go out to **Cor & Willy A** and their extended family with the passing Willy's sister **June S** this past week. We pray that God will surround you with His strength, comfort and peace.

Congratulations to **Pete & Cassie V** and grandparents **John & Laureen V** on the birth of their daughter / grad daughter. **Isla Joy** born this past week. We rejoice with you and your family in this precious blessing.

Thank you for your encouragement and support. We are blessed and thankful for our church family. **Henk & Mennie S**

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

We continue to pray for **Joyce D, Jacob H, Kelly H, Tom T, Jenny V, and Colleen V.** We pray that God will provide you all with peace, comfort, & healing.



## 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 will find great resources on the Bridge App like the Today Book and Kid's Corner Devotionals.

Looking for addresses? The Bridge App has all of our updated Church Member information! If you would like help setting up the App, call or stop by the church office during the week.

The **July / August Today** devotionals are available at the Welcome Centre.

The **May Banners** are available at the Welcome Centre

The **August Prayer Calendar** has been posted to The Bridge App and is also available at the Welcome Centre.

Summer Office Hours (June, July, August) Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 am—1:00 pm

# Ebenezer News

**SMALL GROUP LEADERS** meeting at Glen H's right after church today! We will discuss what we will be studying in the fall and new groups.

**FRIENDSHIP SUMMIT Sept 13** - Join us for the first-ever Friendship Summit! We'll join the summit live on Zoom right here from our church! It will be an afternoon of connecting with each other, learning from other Friendship volunteers and renewing our excitement for the year ahead. All current mentors are invited to come and anyone who is thinking about maybe joining our Friendship team this year. Please contact Leanne K or Troy C to **RSVP before August 19th**.

# Community & Denominational News & Events

**REHOBOTH CAMP MINISTRIES** is **urgently seeking counselors for R & R Week** (August 24 – 29). Join us for a week of fun and fellowship; build lasting connections and make memories! Campers depend on volunteers so their week can run, and we are currently at risk of cancelling due to a shortage of volunteers. For more information or to sign up, visit [www.rcmflourish.ca/camp/volunteers/](http://www.rcmflourish.ca/camp/volunteers/) or email [camp@rcmflourish.ca](mailto:camp@rcmflourish.ca)

**SAMARATIN'S PURSE — Operation Christmas Child** Is looking for year-round volunteers. There is more information about this at the Welcome Centre and on the bulletin board.

**PASTOR PETER TUINGA IS RETIRING.** There will be an open house celebrating Peter & Cindy on Saturday, **August 30 th** in Smithville, Ontario. Open House from 2—4 pm; Time of Sharing 4—5 pm. If you'd like to share a memory, word of thanks, or a good joke, please contact [office@smithvillecrc.ca](mailto:office@smithvillecrc.ca) to join the speaker list. Each speaker will have up to 3 minutes to share, and we know Pastor Peter and Cindy would be blessed by lots of participation! If you have photos to be included in the slideshow or any questions at all, please send them to the email address above. See poster on the bulletin board for more information. **You can also forward any greetings, memories or pictures to the church office and we will be make sure they get there or stop by the Welcome Centre to sign the card for them.**

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY HARVEST BANQUET** – Join us for our annual Harvest Banquet at The King's University on **October 4, 2025**. Let's gather in fellowship and reflect on the ways Christian education shapes lives for God's glory. **Early Bird tickets now available!** Visit [kingsu.ca/banquet](http://kingsu.ca/banquet) or call 780-465-8314 to learn more or purchase tickets. We hope to see you there!

# Coming Up @ Ebenezer

Sunday, August 3	@ 9:15	am	Prayer Meeting
	@ 10:00	am	<b>Worship Service</b>
	@ 11:45	am	Small Group Leaders Meeting
Sunday, August 10	@ 9:15	am	Prayer Meeting
	@ 10:00	am	<b>Worship Service</b>

# Job Opportunities

**CLASSIS ALBERTA NORTH** continues to seek nominations for the position of **Classis Treasurer** to commence as soon as possible. The treasurer looks after the financial matters for Classis and should have an understanding of bookkeeping and accounting software. The treasurer serves on the Classis Interim Committee, which meets 9 times a year in Edmonton to conduct the affairs of Classis between classis meetings. The treasurer will receive an honorarium for the work. For more information, contact Mike Vos, Classis Treasurer, at [classistreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:classistreasurer@gmail.com).

**JOB OPENING! Director of North American Regional Teams - Resonate - USA or Canada Remote** - The Director of North American Regional Teams oversees the implementation of Resonate's Core Initiatives—Global Mission, Local Mission, and Church Planting—in Canada and the USA. This is a full-time, remote role. The Director also collaborates with other Core Initiative Leaders to support Resonate's initiatives. **Apply at [crcna.pinpointhq.com](http://crcna.pinpointhq.com)**

**RISEUP SOCIETY ALBERTA** is seeking a compassionate, experienced professional to fill the role of Elder Abuse Case Coordinator. See bulletin board for more information.

**SONRISE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH** in Ponoka is actively seeking a dedicated individual to join our team as a **Youth Director**. This is a half-time position, offering a exciting chance to impact the lives of our youth and contribute to our church community. If you, or someone you know, has a passion for youth ministry and would be interested in learning more about this role, please encourage them to reach out. For further details about the position and how to apply, please contact [secretary@sonriseponoka.com](mailto:secretary@sonriseponoka.com).

**POSITION OPENING: Communications Coordinator** - The successful candidate will coordinate the development and implementation of a communication and marketing strategy that motivates the CRCNA in Canada. This is a full time permanent hybrid position based in the Burlington, Ont., office of the CRCNA. Learn more at [crcna.org/get-involved/careers](http://crcna.org/get-involved/careers) and apply by August 11.

# 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: EDMONTON PROLIFE** Edmonton ProLife's aims and objectives are to promote respect for all human life from conception to natural death, to uphold and defend the right to life, the basic right on which all other rights depend.  
Edmonton ProLife contributes to the understanding of the people of the Greater Edmonton area, by education, that society has a duty to protect this right.

**Next Week: LEDUC FOOD BANK "TOOLS FOR SCHOOL"** This well known program collecting funds and school supply donations to distribute backpacks and supplies to local students has been dropped by the United Way. Leduc Food Bank believes this is a worthy cause and will be running a "Tools for School" program.

**The Deacons have set up a collection box for donations for the following items:**  
Note books, Pens and Pencils, Markers, Pencil Crayons, Loose Leaf Lined Paper, Duotangs, Geometry Sets, Glue Sticks, Scientific and Regular Calculators.  
This "Tools for School" campaign will run until August 17<sup>th</sup> and then be dropped off at Leduc Food Bank. By helping to provide school supplies we can ensure all children are returning to school with the material they need to be successful.

**E-TRANSFER:** To send an e-transfer donation please use [finance@ebenezercrc.com](mailto:finance@ebenezercrc.com).

**ATTENTION FORMER DEACONS:** If you have a copy of **The Deacon's Handbook**, please return it to the church. They are no longer available to order, and we would like to be able to give the new deacons a copy.

**Indigenous Ministries—Hearts Exchanged** - Deepen your understanding of reconciliation with Indigenous neighbours through Hearts Exchanged this fall. Engage in honest dialogue about colonialism, learn from Indigenous perspectives grounded in scripture, and become a catalyst for reconciliation within your community. Sign-ups are now open! [crcna.org/hearts-exchanged](http://crcna.org/hearts-exchanged).



**DID YOU KNOW . . .** Each week the service is downloaded and saved. If anyone is interested in listening to the service, or would like a copy of the service, please contact the church office.

# Thank You To Our Volunteers

	THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
WORSHIP TEAM	Wilbur	Jordan
PROJECTION & AUDIO	Christina / Dan	Justin
SERVING ELDER	Jan K	Scott K
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE	Teena V	James H
GREETERS	Brent & Lisa K	James & Cindy H
USHERS	Norm H / Eric H	Mike D / Brett V
WELCOME CENTRE	Wendy T	Miriam P
COFFEE DUTIES	Jan & Maricha K Renee KO	Dennis & Ruby P Jordan & Alesha S
NURSERY	Alex A, Carol W David P, Stella M	Tammy M, Gea T Brendan B, Jackson H
SUNDAY SCHOOL		
3 Year Olds	Alicia B, Nella H, Morgan L	Alex A, Rebecca K, Stella M
4 Year Olds	Lauren T, Levi H, Rory L	Michelle T, Rachel K, Chanel D

**Kids Corner Devotions: God's Grand Story: Josiah Reads the Bible** - Check out this week's kids' devotion, "God's Grand Story: Josiah Reads the Bible" at [www.kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net). Open the Bible today and see how God wants us to live. Talk together as a family about how the Bible offers guidance for real life—at home, at school, and with friends. Check out all the great content at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net), like the Kids Corner Bible Story Podcast Series.

**Groundwork: God Longs to Restore His People** - Amidst all the judgment in Hosea, God reveals the tender ache of a father's heart, and we find powerful images of restoration. Join Groundwork as we study Hosea 11 and 14 and discuss how this ancient prophecy still calls us back to the heart of God and offers us a roadmap for restoration. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.



**SUNDAY SCHOOL** Our regular Sunday School season is now over. Preschool classes (ages 3 & 4) will continue to run for the summer. Please continue to sign your children in and out.

Regular Sunday School will start September 21. If you are interested in teaching please talk to Lindsay.

Questions?

Contact Lindsay: [sscoordinator@ebenezercrc.com](mailto:sscoordinator@ebenezercrc.com)



**NURSERY** is requesting parents to complete the

**NURSERY REGISTRATION AND CONSENT FORM**

for each child attending the nursery. Please place the completed form in Mariska Z's mailbox.