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Welcome to



February 1, 2026

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 and click on the Livestream button that appears at the top of the page.

SONG S— *I Pledge Allegiance To The Lamb*

Promises

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

SONG — *Lord Most High*

GOD'S GREETING & WE GREET EACH OTHER

SONG — *Waymaker*

WE ARE RECONCILED TO GOD

Confession & Assurance

SONG — *Lord I Need You*

GOD CALLS US INTO COMMUNITY

Children's Message: James H

Ages 3—Grade 3 leave for Sunday School

SONG — *Man Of Sorrows*

Announcements & Congregational Prayer

SONG—*Gratitude*

THANK OFFERING 1 Ebenezer Ministries

2 Mercy Ships

GOD COMES TO US IN HIS WORD

Scripture — *Psalm 2; Isaiah 30: 1–17*

Sermon — *Pursuing The Kingdom Amid The Chaos*

WE RESPOND WITH PRAYER AND THANKS

SONG — *Crown Him With Many Crowns*

GOD SENDS US WITH A BLESSING

CLOSING SONG — *You Are My King*

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 welcome **Pastor Neil de Koning** to our pulpit. Next week we welcome **Seminarian Scott Klooster**.

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, Kristy I, Tom T, Jenny V, and Colleen V.** We pray that God will provide you all with peace, comfort, & healing.

Here To Serve

Council and the Search Committee are pleased and excited to announce that the congregational vote held Sunday January 25, 2026 to extend a call to Pastoral Candidate Curtis Meliefste passed with 97% approval.

Council and the Search Committee are now in the next stage of the process, which is extending the call. We ask that you all continue to pray for the Lord's guiding as Curtis and Nicole consider if the Lord is calling them to serve at Ebenezer.

If you have any questions on the process or timeline, please contact the council clerk. More updates will be available as the process progresses. Thank you for all the prayers thus far in the journey!!

KIDS CORNER DEVOTIONS: Patience: God is at Work in You - Check out this week's kids' devotion, "Patience: God is at Work in You," at www.kidscorner.net. Feeling impatient when things don't go your way? Remember, just like Paul in the Bible, God can help you be patient and trust His perfect timing! Check out all the great content at [kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net), like Kids Corner Valentine's Day Cards.

GROUNDWORK: The Biblical Meaning of Forgiveness - Telling someone to forgive is easy. Actually offering forgiveness can be a lot more difficult. Join Groundwork as we study Exodus 34:4-9, Matthew 6:12-15, Psalm 51:1-9, Hebrews 4:14-16, Colossians 1:9-14, and 1 John 1:5-10 to discuss the biblical concept of forgiveness by beginning with God's forgiveness and what it teaches us about God's character. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

The **January / February Today** devotionals are available at the Welcome Centre.

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

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

Ebenezer News & Events



SAVE THE DATE: Faith & Family Fun Night Get ready for a can't-miss night of faith, family, and full-on FUN! Join our Youth for our annual Faith & Family Fun Night at Rogers Place on **February 6, 2026**, as the Edmonton Oil Kings take on the Moose Jaw Warriors in an action-packed evening you'll be talking about long after the final buzzer! Cheer your heart out for your favorite team, then hit the ice yourself with the unforgettable chance to skate on the Rogers Place ice after the game! Not a skater? No problem! Head to the Coventry Homes Club Hall for exciting games, laughs, and connections with other faith-filled youth and their families. All this for just \$23 per ticket! Bring a friend, grab your siblings, invite the whole crew, everyone is welcome, and no one will want to miss this epic night!

SMALL GROUP MEETING There will be a Small Group Meeting at the Abma's after church next week **Sunday, February 8**.

WORSHIP MINISTRY TEAM There will be a Worship Ministry Team meeting to be held Tuesday, **February 10**, at 7 p.m.



DAYS FOR GIRLS is planning their next "Work Bee" for **Saturday, February 21** from 9:00 am—3:00 pm. There will be a signup sheet at the Welcome Centre if you would like to help out that day. For more information contact Tina R or Linda H.

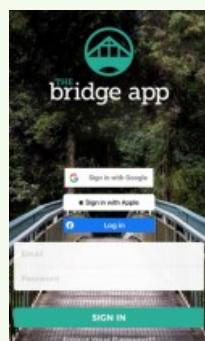


SAVE THE DATES for Upcoming Women's Ministry Events

Daughter's Of The King Cafés will be held on Sunday February 22, Sunday, March 29 and Sunday, May 24. **The Women's Spring Brunch** will be held on Saturday, April 18 and childcare will be available for the Brunch.



USED POSTAGE STAMPS FUNDRAISER Please save your used postage stamps and bring them to the church. They can be put into the jar at the Welcome Centre.



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.

Coming Up @ Ebenezer

Sunday, February 1

@ 9:15 am Prayer Meeting
@ 10:00 am **WORSHIP SERVICE**

Monday, February 2

@ 7:00 pm Friendship

Tuesday, February 3

@ 7:00 pm Council Meeting

Wednesday, February 4

@ 9:00 am Coffee Break
@ 6:30 pm GEMS

Saturday, February 7

@ 7:30 am Men's Bible Study

Sunday, February 8

@ 9:15 am Prayer Meeting
@ 10:00 am **WORSHIP SERVICE**
@ 12:00 pm Small Group Meeting at A's
@ 7:00 pm Adult Catechism

Community News & Events

THE DATENIGHT TOUR Clean Comedy for Couples . This tour will be held in Edmonton at Life Church on **Thursday, February 12th**. For more information, see the bulletin board.

The **Leduc Alliance Church** would like to invite you to an evening of **MUSIC AND PRAYER** on **Saturday February 21** from 7 pm to 9 pm. For more info see poster on the Bulletin Board.

THE COLDEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR is back! This winterific, family-friendly walk returns on **Saturday, February 28th**, bringing our community together to raise critical funds for The Mustard Seed and the people we serve who are experiencing hurt, hunger, and homelessness. We'll be walking Edmonton Strathcona, starting at the Fringe Theatre (10330 84 Ave NW). Check-in begins at 4:00 PM, and our 2 km and 5 km walks kick off at 5:00 PM. See bulletin board for more information.

RISEUP SOCIETY ALBERTA We are pleased to invite you to attend Riseup Society Alberta's Annual General Meeting on **Thursday, March 12 at 6:00 PM**, hosted at Rise Coffee (606 18th Ave, Nisku, AB). Coffee and pastries will be provided, and we would love to welcome you in person. A virtual attendance option will also be available for those unable to join us onsite. by letting us know **whether you will attend in person or virtually** by responding to this email or contacting info@riseupsociety.ca. See bulletin board for more information.



SAFE CHURCH FACT: Did you know...there is an Usher available to help you during the service and can also help with Sunday School, Nursery and other needs.

Deacon's Corner

1st 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.

2nd Offering: MERCY SHIPS Our values are to model Jesus's example by aiding the poor and healing the sick. Our vision is to bring first world healthcare to a developing country. There is a healthcare crisis in Africa. Every year, poverty and inadequate health services leave millions of people vulnerable, sick, and infirmed. As a result, individuals and communities cannot flourish because of hardships caused by barriers to work, caring for their families, or pursuing education. It is our mission to bring accessible healthcare services to people in great need. We do this by offering surgical, eye and dental care and Education, Training and Advocacy programs designed to strengthen healthcare systems. Contributing to improved Africa healthcare means more people can participate more fully in social and economic activities. Improving lives and communities (and ultimately the country) is the impact of our work

Next Week: OPEN DOORS Open Doors works in more than 70 countries, supplying Bibles, training church leaders, providing practical support and emergency relief, and supporting Christians who suffer persecution and discrimination for their faith. Their national bases in 25 countries work to raise awareness of global persecution, mobilizing prayer, support, and action among Christians. For more info see opendoors.org

The 2025 Tax Receipts are in your mailboxes

E-TRANSFER: To send an e-transfer donation please use finance@ebenezercrc.com.

REHOBOTH CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES It is with hearts of gratitude that the Board of Rehoboth Christian Ministries announces that the 2025 "Friends of Rehoboth" campaign reached \$216,276.39. Ebenezer Christian Reformed Church contributed \$5,350.00 to the campaign, and we are thankful for your congregants help to "Make Room" for the individuals we serve, allowing them to Flourish. Special thanks to Alicia B for her assistance with this campaign.

VBS News

VBS—RAINFOREST FALLS Exploring the Nature of God will take place July 6-10! Our Registration Kick Off is set for the beginning of May! In the meantime I am in need of 5 more volunteers as well as 1 or 2 more for our Nursery. If you have never helped before or are a VBS veteran, all are welcome. This week is an important week as it welcomes community members into our church as well as creates and develops young peoples relationship with God.—Talk with Lindsay ASAP if you are interested.



Thank You To Our Volunteers

WORSHIP TEAM: Susan / Christel

PROJECTION & AUDIO: Jamie / Mike

SERVING ELDER: Glen H

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: James H

GREETERS: Luke & Alyse K

USHERS: Dennis V / Ineke V

WELCOME CENTRE: Wendy T

COFFEE DUTIES: Steve & Stella T, Andy & Marilyn Z

NEXT WEEK: Brent & Michelle T, James & Cindy H

NURSERY: Cindy H, Chad G, Renee KO, Daniel B

NEXT WEEK: Tammy M, James H, Brooklyn T

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Pre K 1: Levi H, Johnny H

Pre K 2: Jachin H, Brooklyn T, Evelyn H

Kinder: Alicia B, Chaim H, Chanel D

Grade 1: Julie B, Teddy D, Ethan H

Grade 2: Elly M, Gabe O, Jackson H

Grade 3: James H

Grade 4—6: Lindsay H

NEXT WEEK

Pre K 1: Ryman H, Benjamine F

Pre K 2: Stella M, Liam H, Amari O

Kinder: Michelle T, Ashton D, Wes U

Grade 1: Lauren T, Rebecca K, Nella H

Grade 2: Jenna D, Brody U, Rachel K

Grade 3: Karen G, Tyler T

Grade 4—6: Alex A



Sunday School News and Updates



All kids ages 3—grade 3 are welcome to join our Sunday School program. Once the Sunday School kids are dismissed we will meet in Classroom Two to sing some songs and talk about our Sunday School offering. Afterwards the kids will be dismissed to their classrooms. After the morning service grades 4-6 may join our after church Sunday School class located in Classroom 1.

Bible Memory: All children are invited to memorize their Bible Memory for an extra treat.
Show N Share Pages: These can be completed and returned to Mrs. Hummel.

Newsletter: The next newsletter will be available February 8.

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.