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Welcome to



April 12, 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](http://www.ebenezercrc.com) and click on the Livestream button that appears at the top of the page.

SONG— *What Can I Do?*

### GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

SONG — *All Heaven Declares*

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

SONG — *How Great Is Our God / How Great Thou Art*

### WE ARE RECONCILED TO GOD

#### Confession & Assurance

SONG — *Christ Our Hope In Life And Death*

### GOD CALLS US INTO COMMUNITY

Children's Message – David P

*Ages 3—Grade 3 leave for Sunday School*

SONG — *The Power Of Your Love*

#### Announcements & Congregational Prayer

**THANK OFFERING** 1 Ebenezer Ministries

2 Thrive

SONG — *Your Words Are Wonderful*

### GOD COMES TO US IN HIS WORD

Scripture — **Psalm 119: 94—104**

Sermon — **The ABC's Of Life**

### WE RESPOND WITH PRAYER AND THANKS

SONG — *Speak O Lord*

### GOD SENDS US WITH A BLESSING

CLOSING SONG — *Holy Forever*

*Grades 4—6 leave for Sunday School*

**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

We welcome **Pastor Bill Nieuwenhuis** to our pulpit this week and we welcome **Pastor Nic Wolmerans** from Covenant CRC in Rocky Mountain House. He will be fulfilling a Classical Appointment.

Please join us after the service for birthday cake to celebrate the birthdays of **Evelyn T, Bernice S, Hennie G, and Jane A.**

*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 **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 Meeting Highlights

The Council meeting opened with welcome and appreciation for our newly installed elders.

Updated district lists will be posted, and the lists will remain largely unchanged with our new elders teaming up to join those already in place.

New ministry assignments include Henry K teaming up with Henk S for the Discipleship Ministry, Quentin A supporting the Finance Ministry and John W will join with a ministry in the fall.

Council continues to work strategy with a resolve to service our youth as they transition into young adults

**KIDS CORNER DEVOTIONS: Go Outside and Learn About God** - Check out this week's kids' devotion, "Go Outside and Learn About God," at [www.kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net). Come explore God's amazing world like Job did and discover how animals, plants, and stars can teach us about how wise and powerful God is! Grab a friend or family member and go on a fun outdoor adventure with snacks, games, and even a backyard campout to thank God and learn more about Him. Check out all the great content at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net), like KC's Earth Day collection.

**GROUNDWORK: Salvation Through Jesus Christ Alone** - As the Christian faith spread, the Apostle Paul often wrote letters to churches he planted to help clarify and solidify his teachings. Join Groundwork as we begin a study of his letter to the church in Galatia by studying Galatians 1. Together, we'll study Paul's teaching about salvation and let it continue to encourage our faith and strengthen our commitment to Christ today. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

## Community & Denominational News & Events

**KING'S PRAYER BREAKFAST** – You're invited to a Prayer Breakfast at The King's University on **Tuesday, April 14, from 7:30–8:30 a.m.** We will seek God together—praying over the vital role of Christian education, the integration of faith in the classroom, and hearing firsthand from a student about the impact this mission is having in their life. Please RSVP by Wednesday, April 8 at [kingsu.ca/prayer-breakfast](https://kingsu.ca/prayer-breakfast)

**VIRTUAL GOLF EXPERIENCE SUPPORTING THE EDMONTON NATIVE HEALING CENTRE** Tansi! You are invited to ENHC for a fundraising Virtual Golf event. No experience needed! Our inaugural golf event will take place at CCT World of Golf 11620-120st, Edmonton, on Saturday **April 18, 2026, from 9 am - 1pm.** 18 holes of virtual golf, a silent auction and each player gets a free burger! "Eagles for ENHC" will allow us to continue making a positive impact for families and individuals needing a safe place to reconnect with culture, heal and grow. Our goal is to journey alongside the urban Indigenous population, reconnecting people to culture and ceremony. Please go to [www.e-nhc.org](http://www.e-nhc.org) or find us on Facebook to register your team of 4 or sign up as an individual.

**FAITH IN ACTION WORKSHOP** You're invited to Trinity CRC (13427 57 St NW, Edmonton) on **April 20 (7-9pm)** for a "Faith in Action" workshop! Join justice mobilizer, Cindy Stover, and Diaconal Ministry Coach, Parry Stelter, as they lead an interactive session on justice, advocacy, and community engagement. All are welcome! Here is the Registration [form](#) Whether you are a long-time deacon or simply someone with a heart for your community, this workshop will provide practical tools for how to practice biblical advocacy in a way that empowers and restores. Please join us for an evening of shared learning and inspiration. We look forward to seeing how God is moving in Edmonton The Diaconal Ministries Canada Team

**YOUTH FOR CHRIST PEACE HILLS—ON-LINE SILENT AUCTION** Join our auction by donating an item or service by calling 780-387-0727 or visit [peacehillsyfc.ca](https://peacehillsyfc.ca) The auction will run from **April 26—May 1**. See poster on bulletin board for more information.

**Coming to Edmonton – TRIUMPHANT QUARTET & MICHAEL BOOTH** Triumphant Quartet and Michael Booth will be appearing in the Edmonton area for an uplifting evening of Christian music. **Friday, May 1 – 7:00 PM** at the **Spruce Grove Alliance Church**, 200 Century Road, Spruce Grove, AB Tickets: Youth (17 & under) \$5 | General Admission \$40 | Artist Circle \$60 Tickets available at [faithfamilyconcerts.com](https://faithfamilyconcerts.com), by phone **403-589-2242**, or locally through: Reuben & Joyce Neufeld (780-962-2758) or Janet & Howard Adams (780-904-2078)

**REHOBOTH CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES** invites you to enjoy the newest edition of the Flourish newsletter by accessing this link: <https://rcmflourish.ca/who-we-are/flourish-newsletter/> Look for a hardcopy version of the newsletter coming to your church soon. May you be blessed by these articles.

## Coming Up @ Ebenezer

<b>Sunday, April 12</b>	@ 9:15 am	Prayer Meeting
	<b>@ 10:00 am</b>	<b>WORSHIP SERVICE</b>
	@ 11:45 am	Catechism
	@ 6:00 pm	Youth
	@ 7:00 pm	Adult Catechism
Monday, April 13	@ 7:00 pm	Friendship
Tuesday, April 14	@ 7:00 pm	Admin Ministry Meeting
Wednesday, April 15	@ 9:00 am	Coffee Break
	@ 7:00 pm	Women's Bible Study
Saturday, April 18	@ 9:30 am	Women's Spring Brunch
<b>Sunday, April 19</b>	@ 9:15 am	Prayer Meeting
	<b>@ 10:00 am</b>	<b>WORSHIP SERVICE</b>
	@ 11:45 am	Cadets Movie & Lunch Fundraiser

## Ebenezer News & Events



**WOMEN'S SPRING BRUNCH** Hello ladies! Our spring brunch is approaching on **April 18th**. Please see the email for the registration form or sign up at the Welcome Centre. Child care is available. Invite your friends and family members! Questions? Talk to Alex A.



**CADETS MOVIE AND LUNCH FUNDRAISER NEXT Sunday, April 19** (After the morning service) This past week an email was sent out with the online pre order form for our Cadet Movie and Lunch. There is also a link on our facebook page and website. Paper copies of this are also at the Welcome Desk. Please fill these in at your earliest convenience. A sign up sheet for food donations can also be found at the Welcome Desk- if you feel called to help in this way. Thank you so much in advance for supporting our boys in getting to Kamp Longview this summer.



**GARAGE SALE** we are having our annual church garage sale again this year. The 3rd week of May (**May 21—23**). Annual plants are great sellers and we are hoping people will have extras to donate again. Thanks. For more information, contact Tina R. or Bea M.



**SAFE CHURCH FACT:** Did you know... Every effort is made to make the Church environment safe and secure for everyone.

## 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: THRIVE** Thrive equips churches and ministry leaders with the encouragement, connections, and tools they need to flourish.

### We Listen.

Our work begins with listening to church members and ministry leaders as you identify needs within your local congregations. We value listening practices that help enrich and expand attention to God, to those we serve, and to each other.

### We Connect.

Upon listening to felt and expressed needs, we work to connect congregations and ministry leaders with practitioners and peers who accompany you as you grow. We value practices that nurture a wholehearted contribution from all of God's people to the life and ministry of the kingdom.

### We Support.

We bring together a wide array of experiences and expertise that allow us to serve congregations with wisdom and compassion. Our staff are practitioners, pastors, and seasoned ministry leaders who are eager to develop tools or serve as resources for the well-being of your congregation

**Next Week: HOPE MISSION—WETASKIWIN** In recent years, Hope Mission has expanded to help the homeless community in Wetaskiwin. Our Wetaskiwin shelter offers 24/7 services including meals, clothing, showers, and health supports. Our on-site Health Clinic offers essential health services, including wound care and emergency response.

Our Rescue Van drives around Wetaskiwin offering food, clothing, and transportation to safe shelter, ensuring even those unable to reach our facilities receive support. Hope Mission is committed to transforming lives and bringing hope to those in need. Keep reading to learn more about our various Wetaskiwin locations and services. Watch for Hope Mission New Facility Open House in May.

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

## VBS News

**VBS—RAINFOREST FALLS** Exploring the Nature of God will take place **July 6-10!** Our Registration Kick Off and offering is May 3. Donation Station and donation list coming soon.

**Preschool Volunteer Meeting—April 22 @ 11:15**

Please speak with Lindsay if you have any questions.



## Thank You To Our Volunteers

**WORSHIP TEAM:** Leona

**PROJECTION & AUDIO:** Matt / Wes

**SERVING ELDER:** Gord W

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:** David P

**GREETERS:** Dale & Karen H

**USHERS:** Luke K / Alyse K

**WELCOME CENTRE:** Miriam P

**NEXT WEEK:** Wilbur

**NEXT WEEK:** Mike / Jamie

**NEXT WEEK:** Jay A

**NEXT WEEK:** Pippa A

**NEXT WEEK:** Brent & Lisa K

**NEXT WEEK:** Mitchell M / Diana M

**NEXT WEEK:** Alyse K

**COFFEE DUTIES:** Brendan & Alicia B, Derek & Kelley D

**NEXT WEEK:** Harold & Leona H, Carrie B

**NURSERY:** Alex A, Kendyl H, Chad G, Kayla T

**NEXT WEEK:** Tammy M, Justin Z, Brendan B, Brooke T

### SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS WEEK

**Pre K 1:** Levi H, Casen A

**Pre K 2:** Stella M, Kayla T, Georgia D

**Kinder:** Alicia B, Liam H, Brooklyn T

**Grade 1:** Julie B, Pippa A, Nella H

**Grade 2:** Elly M, Jackson H

**Grade 3:** Francine K, Tyler D

**Grade 4—6:** Lindsay H

### NEXT WEEK:

**Pre K 1:** Ryman H, Wes U

**Pre K 2:** Isaiah K, Brody U, Evelyn H

**Kinder:** Michelle T, Morgan L, Johnny H

**Grade 1:** Lauren T, Rebecca K, Chaim H

**Grade 2:** Jenna D, Rachel K

**Grade 3:** Karen G, Teddy D

**Grade 4—6:** Movie & Lunch No SS



## 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 March newsletters are in your church mailboxes, extras can be found at the Welcome Center.



**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.