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# God is our creator.

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*“Praise the Lord,  
everything he has created,  
everything in all his kingdom.”  
(Psalm 103:22)*



## 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.ebenzererc.com](http://www.ebenzererc.com) and click on the Livestream button that appears at the top of the page.

### GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

SONG — *Shout To The Lord*

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

SONG — *Holy Spirit Living Breath Of God*

### WE ARE RECONCILED TO GOD

**Confession** & Assurance

SONG — *He Will Hold Me Fast*

### GOD CALLS US INTO COMMUNITY

Children's Message — Pippa A

*Ages 3—Grade 3 leave for Sunday School*

SONG — *Oh How Good It Is*

### Announcements & Congregational Prayer

**THANK OFFERING** 1 Ebenezer Ministries  
2 Hope Mission

### GOD COMES TO US IN HIS WORD

Scripture— Psalm 130

Sermon — **Out Of The Depths To Full Redemption**

### WE RESPOND WITH PRAYER AND THANKS

SONG — *I Will Wait For You*

### GOD SENDS US WITH A BLESSING

CLOSING SONG — *Cornerstone*

*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

This week we welcome **Pastor Ryan Poelman** who will be preaching a virtual sermon. Next week we will have a Reading Service

*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

This week - Council and the Search Committee are excited to present Pastor Ryan Poelman to the congregation for consideration. This will look somewhat different than in the past. Due to some issues with his US Visa, Pastor Ryan will be preaching a virtual sermon. Please see your mailboxes for an information package about pastoral candidate Ryan Poelman.

If you have any questions please reach out to a council or search committee member or attend a question and answer session with council and search committee members after the Sunday service on June 7th in the sanctuary.

## VBS News



**RAINFOREST FALLS— DISCOVERING THE NATURE OF GOD — JULY 6-10**

Online Registration is now OPEN—We are **85% FULL**

You can now register your children by scanning the QR code below OR find the link on our website and Facebook page.

**Registration closes July 2 OR once spots are full, so register soon!**

Please check out our Donation Station now set up by the church offices! Here you will find an area where you can make a financial donation or contribute some materials off our donation list. **We have received enough twin sheets and do not need more :)**

We are also looking for things to borrow. **Please fill in a palm leaf for borrowed items.** Stay tuned for prayer cards! If you have questions please speak to Lindsay.



## Community & Denominational News & Events

**EMMANUEL SENIORS LIVING SOCIETY** If you are looking for a fun day to golf, come on out the Ranch Golf and Country Club on **Saturday, June 6** for an afternoon/evening of a lot of fun! Emmanuel Home is joining forces with Rehoboth Christian Ministries in a Golf Classic Tournament and we would love to have you enjoy the day with us! Register at <https://esls.ca/ourcommunity/golftournament/>. Please also don't forget, ESLS members, our Annual General Meeting will be held on **Thursday, May 28 at 7:30 pm at Trinity CRC**. We hope to see you there!

**CELEBRATING GOD'S FAITHFULNESS** — Almost Here — Celebrating 50 Years of Rehoboth Christian Ministries Time is quickly approaching to join us as Rehoboth Christian Ministries celebrates 50 years of God's faithfulness through service, inclusion, advocacy, empowerment, and community building across Alberta. This milestone anniversary evening will be a meaningful time of connection and celebration, featuring warm fellowship, a delicious dinner by Bridgespan Café & Grill, heartfelt testimonials, and our **Annual General Meeting. June 19 th** | 28169 96 Avenue, Acheson Doors Open: 5:00 pm | Dinner: 6:00 pm | Program: 7:00 pm Spots are limited, and time is running out to reserve your place. Guests must RSVP by June 12. Register today at: [rcmflourish.ca/event/50th-anniversary](http://rcmflourish.ca/event/50th-anniversary)

**CALLING ALL GIRLS!** Plans are underway for **Wildrose GEMS Camp** to be held **August 3-7, 2026** at the Rehoboth facility on Gull Lake. Registration forms are now available from your local GEMS leader or the email listed below if you did not have a club this year. **Registration deadline is May 31**, so don't delay! If you are going into grades 5 through 8 in the fall of 2026 and wish to have a great summer experience, this is for you! Girls entering grades 10-12 are eligible to register as a CIT (Counselor in Training). Interested in volunteering? (We still need cabin leaders) Questions? Need a registration form? Contact Bonnie Bennik at 403-652-1078 or email [wildrosegemscamp@gmail.com](mailto:wildrosegemscamp@gmail.com).

**THE JOYFUL NOISE** Look Forward To Visiting Churches This Fall - Our thanks to parents for registering 44 children last month and to the six churches that have invited the choir to visit on behalf of Rehoboth Christian Ministries. 2026 is the 50th Anniversary of Rehoboth and the choir's 48th year supporting people with disabilities—especially through Camp Rehoboth. For families who are still looking for a musical experience for their children (grades 2-8) this fall, contact Rein Selles at [sellesrein233@gmail.com](mailto:sellesrein233@gmail.com) or call 780-965-0698.

**MISSION THRIFT STORE EDMONTON** is looking for two people to assist with creating blurbs on Facebook, Instagram and Tictoc on a regular basis. The store is not very well known in our communities and we would like to increase our profile. Respond to Pete Ages at [agespete6@gmail.com](mailto:agespete6@gmail.com) or by phoning him at **780-934-8332** and leave a message. **Mission Thrift Store - Shop Donate Volunteer**

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY:** The Leduc Hub is looking for some ladies (or gentlemen) to make 20 sandwiches once a month for Glenda, from the Hub, to distribute to those less fortunate living in Leduc. Please contact Monique Tolsma for more information if this is something you would be able to help out with.

## Coming Up @ Ebenezer

**Sunday, May 31**

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

Tuesday, June 2

@ 7:00 pm Council Meeting

**Sunday, June 7**

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

## Ebenezer News & Events

**URGENT! HELP WANTED!**—We are looking to fill our janitor position for a 1 year term to cover maternity leave for our current janitor beginning **July 1**. If you or someone you know is interested in this position, please contact the church office.



**CALLING ALL GRADS!** If you or any of your children are graduating grade 8, 9, 12 or post secondary, please send a picture of the graduate to Jamie B by June 16. If you have any questions please contact Jamie.

**50<sup>TH</sup> HIGH SCHOOL REUNION** The 1976 graduating class from Edmonton Christian High School is having an afternoon 50<sup>th</sup> High School Reunion at Trinity Christian Reformed Church on July 4<sup>th</sup> from 1- 5 pm.

It will be coffee/tea and snacks with lots of shared conversation, laughs and maybe a few tears. We hope to reach as many people as possible in this short window of time so if you know anyone that graduated that year, please contact Audrey Eerkes (Borst) at 825-437-2995 or Pat Terlaan at 403-318-0968. You can also access the Facebook event poster Edmonton Christian HS 76 Reunion.



**BRIDGE APP INFO: ADD A PHOTO** You are encouraged to upload a new photo to the church Directory on The Bridge App at least once a year. Just open the Directory function, select your listing, and click on the camera icon in the upper right. You can now take a new photo, upload an existing photo, or delete a photo. The new photo will become active once approved by our Bridge App administrator. And, if you are unable to upload your photo, simply email it to the church office and we can upload it for you.

## 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: HOPE MISSION** (Wetaskiwin) Hope Mission exists to serve, strengthen and uplift men, women, youth and children through the life-changing gospel of Jesus Christ. The Wetaskiwin location offers hot lunches to 13 schools, an after school program at 4 schools, a homeless shelter, and Bethany homes situated just outside of Wetaskiwin which offer various ministries. Hope Mission has a vision that men, women, youth and children who we serve would come to know Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Savior. They seek to fulfill this vision by diligently serving, strengthening and uplifting people in the name of Jesus Christ.

**Next Week: MISSIONARIES JESSE AND JARI RIDRIGUEZ** Located in Jinetoga, Nicaragua. Their ministry involves meeting and working with local farmers in their area delivering the message of "Satisfied Wages". They are also committed to teaching the Nicaraguan Church about the importance of business as a mission and encourage their business members to embrace being part of a marketplace ministry.

The giving statements are in your mailboxes for January - April 2026

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

**ATTENTION VBS VOLUNTEERS** You are required to complete the Safe Church Vulnerable Records Check and Safe Church Training / Refresher Video. **This protects everyone.** This video has been recorded and is available to be viewed at [www.ebenezercrc.com](http://www.ebenezercrc.com). Under Ministries you will find Safe Church Ministry and you can follow the link provided there. **The password can be found on The Bridge App** Please fill in a completion form. Forms will be available at the Welcome Center or print one [HERE](#). If you have not yet completed these requirements, check your church mailbox for the forms. Thank you!



**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.

The **May / June Today** devotionals are available at the Welcome Centre.  
The **May / June Banners** are available at the Welcome Centre  
The **June Prayer Calendar** has been posted to The Bridge App and is also available at the Welcome Centre.

## Thank You To Our Volunteers

**WORSHIP TEAM:** Leona  
**PROJECTION & AUDIO:** Matt / Wes  
**SERVING ELDER:** Gord W  
**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:** Pippa A  
**GREETERS:** Roy & Teena V  
**USHERS:** Mitchel M / Diana M  
**WELCOME CENTRE:** Alyse K

**NEXT WEEK:** Wilbur  
**NEXT WEEK:** Dan / Christina  
**NEXT WEEK:** Jay A  
**NEXT WEEK:** James H  
**NEXT WEEK:** Dennis & Ineke V  
**NEXT WEEK:** Luke K / Alyse K  
**NEXT WEEK:** Miriam P

**COFFEE DUTIES:** Luke & Alyse K, Dave & Marilyn H  
**NEXT WEEK:** Lieuwe & Fia B, Troy C  
**NURSERY:** Cindy H, Amy A, Mark S, Justin Z  
**NEXT WEEK:** Stella T, Nella H, Isaiah K, Pippa A

### SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS WEEK

**Pre K 1:** Ryman H, Brooklyn T  
**Pre K 2:** Isaiah K, Evelyn H, Liam H  
**Kinder:** Michelle T, Tyler T, Kayla T  
**Grade 1:** Lauren T, Wes U, Chaim H  
**Grade 2:** Elly M, Georgia D  
**Grade 3:** Karen G, Morgan L  
**Grade 4—6:** Alyse K

### NEXT WEEK:

**Pre K 1:** Lily H, Liam H  
**Pre K 2:** Jachin H, Teddy D, Ethan H  
**Kinder:** Linda K, Jackson H, Brooke T  
**Grade 1:** Graeme B, Chanel D, Johnny H  
**Grade 2:** Mariska Z, Ashton D  
**Grade 3:** James H, Rory L  
**Grade 4—6:** Alyse K



## 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. H.

**Coming Up: Books of the Bible Buzz June 21—I NEED HELPERS FOR THIS—PLEASE LET LINDSAY KNOW ASAP IF YOU CAN HELP**

**Sunday School Grad/Celebration - \*\*THIS DATE HAS BEEN CHANGED BACK TO JUNE 21!!!\*\***



**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.