# Granum Christian Reformed Church

**Rev. Pastor Henry Veldboom** 

Sunday, December 29, 2024

# December 29, 2024 ~ Order of Worship

# **Entering God's Presence**

Call to Worship ~ Isaiah 61:10-11, 62:10-12
\*Song ~ "Good Christians Friends, Rejoice" L98
\*God's Greeting
\*Song ~ "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks" B338

# **Experiencing God's Grace**

Call to Prayer – Galatians 4:3-7
Prayer of Confession
Confessing Our Christian Faith ~ Catechism Q&A 35,36
\*Song ~ "Infant Holy, Infant Lowly" G353

# **Hearing God's Word**

Scripture Reading ~ Luke 2:8-20 Sermon ~ Confirming the Birth of Jesus Prayer of Application

# **Responding to God's Word**

\*Song ~ "It Came upon the Midnight Clear"
Congregational Prayer
Offering ~ General Fund
Offering Song ~ "Go Tell It on the Mountain" G356
\*Offertory Prayer

# **Receiving God's Blessing**

\*Benediction
\*Song ~ "Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers" G333

\*Please stand if able

# **CHURCH FAMILY**

Please remember our members who need ongoing prayer, including: Henrietta, Ralph, Alex, Tom, Jean & Wanda.

#### MUSICIAN

Today- Jennie Old Year Service- Worship Team Next Sunday- Worship Team

#### A/V TEAM

Today- Adam & Sharla Old Year Service- Adam, Alex & Bryn Next Sunday- Aidan, Esther & Mary

#### NURSERY

Today- Beverly, Kazandra & Adalynn Next Sunday- Rachel, Twyla & Kaydie

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Today- No Sunday School Next Sunday- Diane, Paige & Owen

## **OFFERING:**

Today- General Fund Old Year Service- Seafarers Ministry Next Sunday- Bible League

# **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

January 4- Troy



Congratulations to everyone celebrating Birthdays this week!

#### TODAY

**Nursery** is available prior to start of service.

## Sunday School

- Children age 4 to Grade 1 leave during the service
- Assembly directly after service in sanctuary age 4 to Grade 7. After assembly grade 2- 7 Sunday school teachers will lead children to their Sunday school classrooms
- -Grade 8/9: meets directly after church

## THIS WEEK:

Monday- 6:00 Congregation Skate
Tuesday- 7:00 pm Old Year Service
Wednesday- 10:00 am New Year's Day Service
@ Nobleford CRC

## **OUR CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Looking for **volunteers** to help in the nursery once a month during the service as many volunteers will be having their own babies in the coming months. Please contact Beverly 403-312-1025 if you can help out.

Church congregational skate and hockey game Monday December 30 6:00 to 8:15. Skate to start and game to follow Hockey game will try to be shinny but if you want to protect yourself you can wear pads. Just out to have fun. Only rule is a helmet must be worn if you want to play hockey, young and old welcome. Hot drinks and donuts provided

Any questions call Matt at 1 (403) 625-6170

# **CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY & AROUND THE WORLD**

**Kids Corner: Home is a Blessing** - Check out this week's kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. God is our rock and our foundation. The home is the place where your family chooses to make a commitment to serve God. What a blessing! Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like the Bible Story Podcast The Parable of the Wise and Foolish Builders.

**Groundwork: Your Questions about Scripture and Hope** - Join Groundwork as we study Matthew 6:9-13, 2 Timothy 3:16-17, Hebrews 11:13-16, Revelation 20:1-6, John 15:18-25, and Psalm 46 to look at some of the questions you asked this year in response to our discussions on the Lord's Prayer, Joshua, and Revelation; then we'll talk about the issues that feel most pressing for our faith right now and where we can find the hope and encouragement to keep living faithfully each day. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

**Thrive Faith Formation Tip** - As we come to the end of a calendar year, this is a fitting time to look back. At a mealtime this week, share with someone else one thing that you're grateful for, one thing you're sad about, and one way you've seen God working in the past year. Read Psalm 90 together as a reminder that God directs our days, months, and years. Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive

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General Granum CRC YouTube channel: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCs0yVIMAC">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCs0yVIMAC</a> bnTpqX8Ch0xfA/featured
As of December 8, 2024 recorded live-stream service videos are under the "Live" tab, or use this link:

https://www.youtube.com/@granumcrcavteam8400/streams