

ELIM COVENANT CHURCH

June 1, 2014

GOD



placed all things
under his feet
and appointed
him to be head

**over everything
for the church ...**

Ephesians 1:22

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

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“God has no more precious gift to a church or an age than a man who lives as an embodiment of his will, and inspires those around him with the faith of what grace can do.” ~ Andrew Murray ~

GATHERING BEFORE GOD

We are invited into the presence of God!

Please turn your cell phones off

Please sign the register book & pass it on.

PRELUDE

HYMNS OF PRAISE

Worship Facilitator

Mary Bivens

HYMN #265

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

HYMN #264

“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

CCLI #2005052

HEARING FROM GOD

We give our attention to God by opening our lives to His Word!

We invite God’s Spirit to take this Word into our lives that we might be formed into the image and likeness of Jesus!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH

“May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.” (Romans 15:13)

CHILDREN SERMON TODAY

(Children dismissed for Children’s Church, please for ages 3 thru 5th grade only).

WORDS FROM GOD

Luke 24:44-53; Ephesians 1:15-23

Scripture Reader, Shannon Pirmann

RESPONDING TO GOD

Now that God has spoken to us, it is time for us to speak to Him!

MESSAGE "Power from on High"
Pastor Steve Peterson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*"I love the LORD, for he heard my voice; he heard my cry for mercy.
Because he turned his ear to me, I will call on him as long as I live."
(Psalm 116:1-2)*

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Call to Communion #878 The Apostles' Creed
Invitation to the Lord's Table Sharing of the Bread & Cup

OFFERTORY

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

BEING SENT BY GOD

God sends us out into the world that he desperately loves. His presence goes with us. We leave as God's agents of grace and mercy.

HYMN #271

"Rejoice, the Lord Is King!"

BENEDICTION

Scripture Reading for the Week

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Exodus 19:5</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>Psalms 61:6-7</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>1 Peter 5:7</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Nahum 1:7</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Matthew 7:11</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>James 1:12</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>Romans 5:3-5</i>

TODAY'S GREETERS

Lori & Elizabeth Smith

HEAD USHER

Don Peterson

USHERS

Rachel & L.J. Cunningham, Tom Dang

SOUND SYSTEM

Josh Parrott

“Power from on High”

Ephesians 1:15-23

- 1) Intro & context
- 2) Jesus’ ascension (Luke 24:52; Acts 1:9) to God’s right hand (Eph. 1:20-23; Heb. 1:3)
 - a. Awesome power! (Eph. 1:20-22) (cf. Mt. 28:18; Phil. 2:9-11; Col. 1:15-20; Heb. 2:8)
 - b. Amazing Intercessor! (cf. Isa. 53:12; Rom. 8:26-27, 31-39; Heb. 7:24-25; 1 Jn. 2:1)
- 3) Jesus’ purpose for His disciples
 - a. To be His witnesses, in Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria, ends of the earth (Lk. 24:47; Acts 1:8) (cf. Acts 2:32; 4:20; 5:32; 1 Jn. 1:1-3)
 - b. Their (and our) message: “Repentance and forgiveness in His name” (Lk. 24:47) (cf. Acts 2:38-39; 3:19-20; 5:31; 10:43; Eph. 1:7-8; Col. 1:13-14)
- 4) Importance of the ministry and power of the Holy Spirit
 - a. Empowering work (Luke 24:49; Acts 1:8; 2:1-4, 17-21) (cf. Acts 5:31; Rom. 12:6-8; 1 Cor. 12:4-11)
 - b. “Wisdom & revelation” (Eph. 1:17) (cf. Pr. 29:18; Dan. 2:20-22; Phil. 1:9-10; Ja. 1:5) Result: “so that you may know Him better.” (cf. Ps. 25:14; Mt. 11:27; Jn. 14:17; 1 Cor. 2:6-16; 1 Jn. 5:20)
 - c. “To know the hope to which He has called you” (Eph. 1:18) (cf. Ps. 62:5; Rom. 5:5; 15:13; 1 Cor. 15:19)
 - d. “The riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints” (Eph. 1:18) (cf. Rom. 8:17; Col. 1:12; Heb. 9:15; 1 Pt. 1:3-5)
 - e. “His incomparably great power for us who believe” (Eph. 1:19) (cf. Acts 4:33; Rom. 1:16; 1 Cor. 4:20; Phil. 3:10; 2 Tim. 1:7;)
- 5) The importance of waiting (Lk. 24:49; Acts 1:4) (cf. 1 Sam. 13:1-14; Ps. 27:14; 130:5-6; Isa. 64:4; Lam. 3:22-26; Ja. 5:7-8)
- 6) Closing

PRAISES and PRAYER CONCERNS

Praises: We are SO grateful to all those who helped us with our move last Monday! Your help was invaluable, and we were so blessed by the large turnout! You blessed us so much! Thank you. Pastor Steve & Elizabeth.

Prayer Concerns: Sympathy to the Scott Sandholm family upon the passing of Scott's mother Janette Sandholm on May 26, 2014. ESM Night Out; John Hutchison's upcoming surgery June 13th.

Those in Need of God's Strength and Healing:

Unspoken needs of our brothers & sisters: Madeline Lumpkin, Dave, Tasha Munger, Lisa, Dorothy & Adolph Laurick, Eddie Linehan, Tyler, Anna Swanson, R.P., Vivian Smith, Gene & Ellie Wildermuth, Betty Lindberg, Wiley Barnes, Marj Nelson, Jay Stanley, John Hutchison, Travis Ferry, families who have lost loved ones, military families, and unspoken concerns.

Prayer Notes:

Sunday Prayer Following Worship



Please feel free to take your burden or praise to one of the Elim Prayer Team members available to pray with you. Team members include: Julie, Linda, Carolyn, Juanita & Tasha and can be easily found at the back of the sanctuary in the northeast classroom.

Monday Evening Prayer Gathering



Each Monday evening at 5:30 p.m. there is a prayer gathering held at Elim. You are encouraged to come and pray with the team members and share your requests/praises.

Prayer Chain

The prayer network is used when special needs arise during the week. Call Judy at the church 764-6920 Monday thru Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. otherwise call or text Tasha Munger @ (309) 281-8784 with your request. If no answer, you may leave your concern on the answer machine and it will be relayed ASAP.

THERE WILL BE A SHORT MISSIONS MTG.
FOLLOWING WORSHIP TODAY.
SEE CHERYL BEAR.



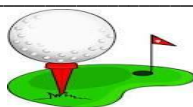
PLEASE SIGN-UP

**Our dates are: Thursday, Friday, & Saturday,
June 12, 13, & 14th. Your Feed the Need bags are on the table
for your non-perishable food item to be brought in picture
appointment day. Items will be donated to the CF food pantry.**



THE LOVE-HOPE PROJECT

There is a sample of a homemade backpack on the table in the gathering area. You can select one for your donation of \$25.00 supporting the children in Africa. Full details are on the information sheets with the sample.



W.I.L.D. GOLF OUTING

The annual W.I.L.D. Golf Outing will be held in Princeton on tomorrow, June 2nd, registration @ 10:30 a.m. with a shot-gun start time @ 11:30 a.m.

You're

Invited

Come help **Leah Hermann** celebrate her high school graduation at an Open House Saturday, June 7th from 4:00-7:00 p.m. at her Grandpa and Grandma Hermann's farm, 1776 Vail Avenue, Muscatine, Iowa.
Questions? See Mike or Natalie Hermann.

Elim Student Ministries Presents:

ESM's Night Out

Featuring YouthHope's "Mad Skills" Poetry

Join us for a night of good food and great entertainment!

Steak, potatoes, salad and dessert!

(Chicken breast will be available for those who cannot eat red meat)

\$10.00 Per Person - (must have ticket for entry)

Child care for ages 0-5 will be provided.

100% of the proceeds from this event will go towards the student funds of ESM and to support the ministries of YouthHope.



Friday, June 6th

6:30 PM

Elim Covenant Church

5201 18th Ave.

Moline, IL 61265



Zambia team dinner with Pastor Dwayne Brothers will be held on Monday, June 9th @ Elim. Time to be announced later.



Adult VBS prop painting night Tues, June 3rd @ 6:30 p.m. See Natalie Hermann or Rachel Cunningham with any questions.



Missions Team

Meeting June 2nd at 7:00 to discuss summer ministries with Youth Hope, Love Hope, the Laundromat ministry and a possible weekend with the Jesus People in Chicago this fall. Come and join the discussion and see where you can be involved. Bring your enthusiasm and ideas.



**MEN'S
BREAKFAST**

**MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST
SATURDAY, JUNE 7TH @ 8:00 A.M.**

LOOKING AHEAD

Sun	June 1	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service 11:45 a.m. Missions Mtg. (short 10 minutes)
Mon	June 2	10:30 a.m. W.I.L.D. Golf Outing in Princeton 5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering 7:00 p.m. Mission Team Meeting
Tue	June 3	6:30 p.m. VBS Prop Painting (Adults)
Wed	June 4	6:30 p.m. Choir Picnic @ Susie Schaechter's 562-54 th St. A Mol
Thur	June 5	All Day CIU – Set up for ESM Night Out
Fri	June 6	6:30 p.m. ESM Night Out
Sat	June 7	8:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship Breakfast 4:00-7:00pm Grad Party for Leah Hermann @ Hermann's Farm
Sun	June 8	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service
Mon	June 9	5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering TBA Zambia Team Dinner with Pastor Brothers @ Elim
Tue	June 10	6:30 p.m. MLT Meeting
Thur-Fri	June 12 - 13	2:00-8:30pm Church Photo Directory Appointments
Sat	June 14	10:00a-2:00p Church Photo Directory Appointments
Sun	June 15	Father's Day 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service
Sun-Thur	June 15-19	5:00-8:30pm VBS/WEIRD ANIMALS WEEK
Sun	June 22	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service
Mon	June 23	5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering
Tue	June 24	9:00a-1:00p CIU – QCSAHP Meeting
Sat	June 28	9:00-11:00am S.P.L.A.S.H. Meeting

June Birthdays

1 – Mallory Burney
3 – Karen Johnson
3 – June Riley
7 – Brenda Olson
8 – Abigail Peterson
8 – Scott Fowler
9 – Lyle Beresford
10 – Greta Wiborg
11 – Maxine Barnes

June Anniversaries

13 – Jr. & Cathy Bear
15 – Mike & Natalie Hermann
17 – Dave & Dora Beth Christy
30 – Cecil & Carolyn Grimes

Note: CIU means
Church In Use
TBA = To Be Announced

Attendance Last Week – Sunday School = 46 Worship = 130

Mowing Schedule June 6 M. Hermann & J. Nelson June 13 Cecil Grimes & John Clarke

CHILD CARE THIS WEEK

Nursery Carol Jacks & Judy Martel

Children's Church 3-6 yrs Cindy Minard

Children's Church 2nd-5th grades L. Hermann & A. Dang

Pastor's e-mail pastor@elimqc.org

Greg's e-mail youth@elimqc.org

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NEXT WEEK

Karen Johnson & Judy Martel

Pam Thompson

Dora Beth Christy