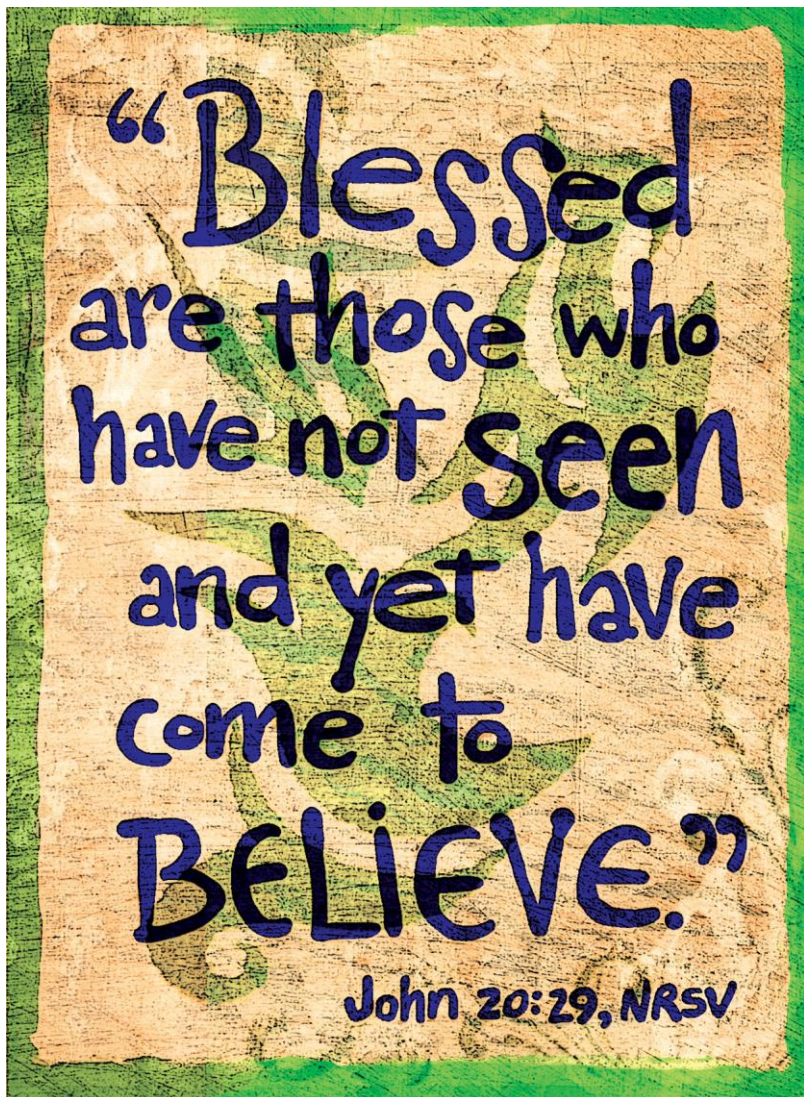


**Elim Covenant Church  
September 10, 2017**



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**WORSHIP CELEBRATION**  
**September 10, 2017**

*Elim's mission statement.*

*"To develop leaders who will impact the world for Christ."*

**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**

**WELCOME SONG**

Worship Facilitator

Glenn Kaiser

**SONG**

*"Amazing Grace"*

**GREETING ONE ANOTHER**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Gary Wells

**MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH**

*"Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight." Proverbs 3:5-6*

**SONG**

*"Behold the Lamb of God"*

**SONG**

*"Step By Step"*

**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!

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

*(Children dismissed for Children's Church,  
please for ages 3 thru 5<sup>th</sup> grade only).*

**WORDS FROM GOD**

2 Corinthians 6:3-10

*Scripture Reader, Tasha Munger  
(Red Bibles p. 1211 or p. 1145)*

## **MESSAGE**

**“The Evidence of a Loving God”  
Glenn Kaiser**

## **RESPONDING TO GOD**

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

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

## **OFFERTORY**

## **OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

## **BEING SENT BY GOD**

God sends us out into the world that he desperately loves.

## **SONG**

*“Lord You Are”*

## **BENEDICTION**

### ***Scripture Readings for the Week***

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Romans 8:31</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>Hebrews 4:9-10</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Psalms 91:11</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>2 Corinthians 1:20</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Philippians 4:19</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>Psalms 37:39-40</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>Jeremiah 31:34</i>

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<b>TODAY'S GREETERS</b>	Juanita Arellanos & Mike Hermann
<b>HEAD USHER</b>	Don Peterson
<b>USHERS</b>	Martin Bear, Tabatha Estes, David Luong
<b>SOUND SYSTEM</b>	Josh Parrott
<b>POWER POINT</b>	John Thompson

# **MEN OF THE CHURCH**



**Elim is in the process of starting a Christian Service Brigade chapter here in Moline! This is intended for boys in the first grade thru sixth grade and will include activities similar to Boy Scouts, but with a solid Christian foundation. An informational/planning meeting is scheduled for September 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. @ Elim to learn more (interested men/parents only; no boys this night). The first meeting with the boys is planned for October. More info to follow. Questions? Nick Wagner (815) 266-1025.**

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## **Houston Mission Trip**

**Merge ministries is facilitating mission trips to help the people of Houston. We will be working on homes that the water has receded from and now the carpet, flooring, mud and drywall need to be removed. This is for anyone over 18 years old. There are 2 options when to go: first, leave on Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> and get home on September 30<sup>th</sup>. The other option is to leave on Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup> and get home on Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. We will go the week that best suits those able to go. The total cost will be \$400 per person. If finances are an issue, please talk to Mike Hermann. If you have any questions, please contact Mike Hermann, (563) 343-1026. There will be a meeting after church today for more details.**

**It would be great if we can get 10-16 people to go.**

## PRAYER CONCERNS

**Praises:** Glenn Kaiser – Elim guest speaker.

**Prayer Concerns:** Texas & Louisiana, hurricane Harvey devastation.  
Florida and the Caribbean Islands - hurricane Irma.

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### **Those in Need of God's Strength and Healing:**

Rodney Ouderkirk, Arlene Miller, Margaret Hasty, Anna Swanson, Earl Burklund,  
Greta Wiborg, Jay & Judie Stanley, John & Linda Hutchison, Ann Seyller, Jonnie  
McDermand, Margaret Crandall, Tasha Munger, Evan Ouderkirk,  
Belva Van Norman, families that have lost loved ones,  
military families, and unspoken concerns.

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### **Prayer Notes:**

### **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 northwest classroom behind the sound system booth.

### **Prayer Gatherings**

Each Monday evening at 5:30 p.m. there is a prayer gathering held at Elim. Also, there is a Wednesday morning prayer group meeting in Pastor's office @ 7:00 a.m. 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.

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## FINANCIAL PLANNING MEETING

Sunday, September 17, Peter Heintzelman, Senior Financial Services Representative with Covenant Trust Company®, will be here to meet with us after the morning service. The purpose is to aid us in making good long term financial decisions. The areas that Covenant Trust Company can help us with are:

Investment Management · Trust Services · IRAs & Retirement Investing · Endowments · Estate Planning · Legacy & Gift Planning.

There will be a light lunch served for those attending this presentation in the Fellowship Hall right after the morning service. The presentation and time for questions should be 1 to 1-1/2 hours. So we know how many to provide for, please **sign up** on the table in the Gathering Area **by September 15<sup>th</sup>**.

See Orlin Johnson with questions.

Web sites with more information about the Covenant Trust Company® and what they do are:

<http://www.covenanttrust.com/>

<http://www.covtrustblog.com/>

<http://www.facebook.com/CovenantTrustCompany>

<http://www.twitter.com/CovTrust>

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## 2017-2018 DINING TOUR BOOKS

Now available in the church office.

**The books are \$35 each. Proceeds of \$10 for each book sold will go to the Elim Youth.**

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### BIRTHDAY/PHONE/ADDRESS INFO UPDATES

Please make sure we have your birthday listed at the church office. Also, any phone/address changes. New directory soon.



The first meeting of the fall season will be Thursday morning, **September 14th**. Coffe time will begin @ 9:00 a.m. and the Bible Study will begin @ 9:30 a.m.

See Pat Hudson with any questions.

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### **DEACONS/ELDERS MEETING**

Thursday, Sept. 14<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30 p.m.

### **MLT MEETING**

@ 6:00 p.m.

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### **S.P.L.A.S.H. MEETING**

**The next meeting for the S.P.L.A.S.H. ladies will be on Saturday, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

**The meeting begins @ 9:00 a.m. and goes through 11:00 a.m.  
All ladies are encouraged to join in.**

## *Looking Ahead*

Sun.	Sept. 10	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration 11:45 a.m. Houston Mission Trip Informational Mtg. 3:00-4:30p.m. Grief Share Meeting
Mon.	Sept. 11	5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering 6:30 p.m. CIU – RIC Prayer Meeting
Tues.	Sept. 12	6:30 p.m. Choir Practice
Wed.	Sept. 13	7:00 a.m. “Amped” Prayer Gathering 5:30 p.m. Dollar Dinner 5:30 p.m. Women’s Bible Study 6:00-7:30p.m. SPARK & AXIS 7:30-9:00p.m. Fusion
Thurs.	Sept. 14	9:00 a.m. Keenagers Coffee Time (9:30 a.m. Bible Study) 5:30 p.m. Deacons/Elders Meeting. 6:00 p.m. MLT Meeting 7:00 p.m. Christian Service Brigade Informational Mtg.
Sat.	Sept. 16	2:00-5:00 p.m CIU
Sun.	Sept. 17	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration 12 Noon Financial Planning Mtg. with Pete Heintzelman 3:00-4:30p.m. Grief Share Meeting
Mon.	Sept. 18	5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering
Tues.	Sept. 19	6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

### September Birthdays

11 – Joy Wright  
12 – Sylvia Anderson  
13 – Pat Hudson  
16 – Josh Parrott  
16 – Rolland Potts  
18 – Sera Pirmann  
21 – Ethel Hesler  
22 – Teresa Jackson

### September Anniversaries

14 – Orlin & Karen Johnson  
16 – Craig & Shannon Pirmann  
17 – Martin & Cheryl Bear  
22 – Steve & Margo Coil  
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Pastor’s e-mail [pastor@elimqc.org](mailto:pastor@elimqc.org)  
Church office [office@elimqc.org](mailto:office@elimqc.org)  
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Attendance Last Week    Sunday School = 42    Worship = 110  
CHILD CARE SCHEDULE

### TODAY Sept. 10

Sunday Spark    Victoria Fowler (Ashley Parrott)  
Sunday Spark Jr.    Dora Beth Christy (Cindy Minard)  
Nursery    Amanda Dang & Abby Peterson

### NEXT WEEK Sept. 17

Sunday Spark    Victoria Fowler (Abby Peterson)  
Sunday Spark Jr.    Dora Beth Christy (Rachel Peterson)  
Nursery    Carol Jacks & Karen Johnson

### MOWING SCHEDULE

Sept. 16 – Tom Dang & Giao Luong  
Sept. 23 – Mike Hermann & Jim Nelson