

# **ELIM COVENANT CHURCH**

## **May 5, 2019**



**Elim Covenant Church**  
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# WORSHIP CELEBRATION

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## *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.*

## **PRE-WORSHIP MUSIC SET**

## **GREETING ONE ANOTHER**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Mike Hermann

## **MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH**

*"And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again."*

*— 2 Corinthians 5:15*

## **ADORATION TO GOD**

We offer to God "a sacrifice of praise," expressing our love and devotion to Him.

## **WORSHIP SONGS**

*"Victory in Jesus"*

*"Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!"*

*"The Old Rugged Cross"*

*Blue Hymnal, p. 430*

*Blue Hymnal, p. 235*

## **CHILDREN'S SERMON**

L.J. Cunningham

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

## **OFFERTORY**

## **OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

## **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!

## **MESSAGE**

**By Mark Drake**

## **PRAYERS TO GOD**

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

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Martin Bear

## **BEING SENT BY GOD**

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

**SONG**    *"How Great Thou Art"*

*Blue Hymnal, p. 8*

**BENEDICTION**

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

<i>May 5th</i>	<i>Mark 11:22-24</i>
<i>May 6th</i>	<i>1 Corinthians 7:23</i>
<i>May 7th</i>	<i>Isaiah 49:10</i>
<i>May 8th</i>	<i>Psalms 34:10</i>
<i>May 9th</i>	<i>Galatians 3:26</i>
<i>May 10th</i>	<i>Psalms 71:20</i>
<i>May 11th</i>	<i>2 Peter 1:3-4</i>

**TODAY'S GREETERS**

Juanita Arellanos and Mike Hermann

**HEAD USHER**

Gary Wells

**USHERS**

Chip Hesler, Rodney Ouderkirk, Sandy Parrott

**SOUND SYSTEM**

Orlin Johnson

**POWER POINT VIDEO**

Josh Parrott



## PRAYER PAGE

**Praises:** The wonderful work and people of the Central Conference of the Evangelical Covenant Church and the annual meeting (Celebration). Special praises for Danny Martinez, our conference superintendent!

**Prayer Concerns:** New church plants and adopted churches in the Central Conference.

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

Earl Burklund, Arlene Miller, Margaret Hasty, Anna Swanson, Jay and Judie Stanley, Ann Seyller, Jonnie McDermid, Margaret Crandall, Tasha Munger, Iva Cutler, Beverly Reese, and families that have lost loved ones, military families, and unspoken concerns.

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### **Pray for Covenant Missionaries:**

#### ***Lance & Lindsay Chamberlain***

Serving in Kenya. Ministries include Education and Community Development

We are looking forward to welcoming our fourth child in early August! We also just moved to Eldoret, in western Kenya, and look forward to working with Eldo-Jamii Primary School and partnering with the ECCK.



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### **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 Martin 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 at 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 Sandy at the church 764-6920 Monday thru Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. otherwise call or text Tasha Munger at (309) 281-8784 with your request. If no answer, you may leave your concern on the answering machine and it will be relayed ASAP.

*I call on you, my God, for you will answer me; turn your ear to me and hear my prayer. — Psalm 17:6*

## WHAT'S HAPPENIN'?!

### CINCO DE MAYO TACO DINNER



Join us for Elim's annual Cinco de Mayo taco dinner to raise money to replenish funds for future mission trips. It will start at **12:00 noon** after the worship service today. Donations will be accepted. Thank you!

### GAME KNIGHTS THIS FRIDAY, MAY 10, 6:00 – 9:00 P.M.

Board games, card games, video games. Bring your friends and fellowship with us! Come! Join the fun!

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS) FOR ADULTS MAY 15-17

**Today** is the last day to sign up for Adult VBS. There are some exciting plans in the makings. You won't want to miss out. Contact Chip Hesler (721-4947) to register.

### ALL-CHURCH PICNIC!

Plan on joining us **Friday, May 17**, for an all-church picnic. Serving starts at 5:30 p.m. Questions? See **Nick Wagner** or **Don Peterson**.

### 3-2-1 BLAST OFF!



One small step for your kids. . .one giant leap for God's Kingdom! **June 10-June 14, 2019, 5:30-8:30 p.m.** Pre-K-5<sup>th</sup> Grade.

Preregistration is open online or you may pick up a paper copy on the back table and turn it in to **Victoria Fowler** or **Sandy** in the church office. We also have a sign-up sheet

for those brave souls ready to blast off on an adventure with our explorers!

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Veronica Matarese moved and donated household goods to Elim that are in the garage. We would like to offer these items to those at Elim that could make use of them. We just suggest that donations be made to our Special Needs fund. If you want to look at the items see **Sandy Parrott**, **Orlin Johnson**, or anyone with keys to the garage. Any donations for items can be given to **Sandy Parrott** or **Sheila Yoeckel**.

### The items are:

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| 1 End Table or Nightstand with Shelf and 2 Doors |                  |
| 1 Two-piece Hutch                                | 2 Lamps          |
| 1 Picture  | 1 Mirror         |
| 1 Large USA Map                                  | 1 Christmas Tree |

## CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATES

We are in the process of updating our church directory. Addresses, phone numbers, and emails all change and we want to ensure that we have your correct information.

You can find a form on the table just outside the sanctuary doors. Please fill it out and return to the church office by **Sunday, May 26**. If your information hasn't changed, no need to submit the form. We will use the information that is in the current directory. Thanks!



## JUST A REMINDER

**Reminder**

Just a gentle reminder that when activities are finished at the church, please be sure to set the thermostats back to their designated settings: 58° for heat in the winter and 80° for cooling in the summer. Also, please be sure all lights are off. It is our desire to be good stewards of the resources God has provided for His church. Thanks!

## Looking Ahead

Sunday	May 5	9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Confirmation 10:15 a.m. Pre-Worship Music Set in the Sanctuary 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service 12:00 p.m. Cinco de Mayo Taco Dinner 3:00 p.m. GriefShare
Monday	May 6	5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering
Tuesday	May 7	9:30 a.m. <b>SAS</b> Bible Study 5:30 p.m. RESTART Program
Wednesday	May 8	7:00 a.m. "Amped" Prayer Meeting 5:30 p.m. Dollar Dinner 5:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study 6:00 p.m. <i>SPARK &amp; AXIS</i> 6:15 p.m. Videos and Discussions about God's Kingdom
Thursday	May 9	9:00 a.m. Keenagers Coffee Time/Bible Study 5:30 p.m. MLT Meeting
Friday	May 10	6:00-9:00 p.m. Game Knights
Sunday	May 12	9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Confirmation 10:15 a.m. Pre-Worship Music Set in the Sanctuary 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service 3:00 p.m. GriefShare

### May Birthdays

8 — Pat Whiting  
13 — Lorraine Carsell  
15 — Margo Coil  
16 — Juanita Arellanos  
16 — Meagan Bear  
17 — Dave Christy  
20 — David Luong

### May Anniversaries

15 — Tom and Annette Lancial

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Attendance Last Week Sunday School = 54 Worship = 124

## CHILD CARE SCHEDULE

### TODAY, May 5

Sunday Spark: Victoria Fowler (John Thompson)  
Sunday Spark Jr.: Dora Beth Christy (Meg Bear)  
Nursery: Rachel Peterson and Elsa Nelson

### NEXT WEEK, May 12

Sunday Spark: Victoria Fowler (Abby Peterson)  
Sunday Spark Jr.: Dora Beth Christy (Cindy Minard)  
Nursery: Diana Wood and Sheila Yoeckel

### MOWING SCHEDULE

May 11..... Don Peterson and Don Yoeckel  
May 18..... Cecil Grimes and Nick Wagner