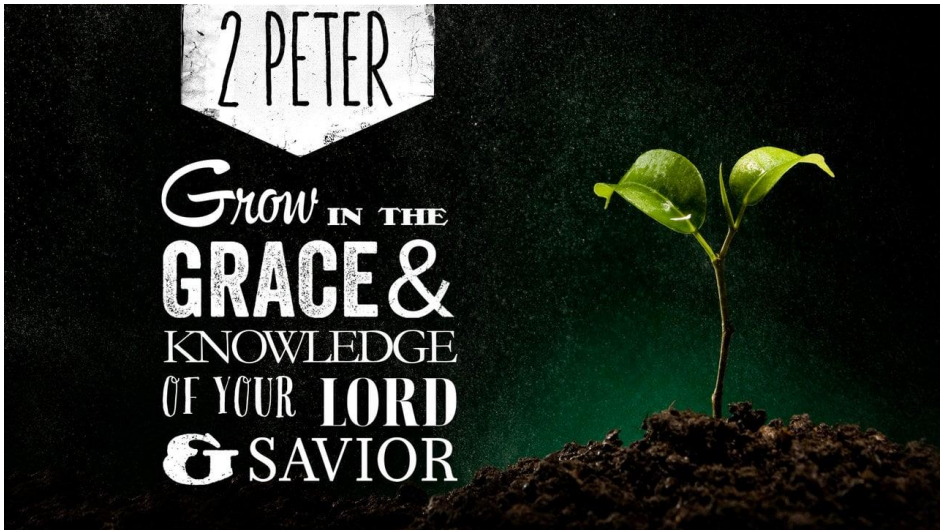


ELIM COVENANT CHURCH

October 11, 2020



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WORSHIP CELEBRATION
October 11, 2020
10:30 a.m.

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

*The service is also being live-streamed and recorded, for
immediate or later viewing, and can be accessed at
elimqc.org*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH

*"All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching,
rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness"*

-- 2 Timothy 3:16

ADORATION TO GOD

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

WORSHIP SONGS

"I, the Lord of Sea and Sky"

"Blessed Assurance"

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!

WORDS FROM GOD

2 Peter 2:1-10

MESSAGE

“Combatting Falsehood, Pt. 1”

By Pastor Steve Peterson

PRAYERS TO GOD

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

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

BEING SENT BY GOD

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

WORSHIP SONG

“Majesty”

BENEDICTION

Scripture Readings for the Week

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| <i>Sunday</i> | <i>1 Peter 3:13</i> |
| <i>Monday</i> | <i>John 7:38-39</i> |
| <i>Tuesday</i> | <i>Hebrews 12:1-2</i> |
| <i>Wednesday</i> | <i>Genesis 15:1</i> |
| <i>Thursday</i> | <i>Hosea 2:23</i> |
| <i>Friday</i> | <i>John 6:39-40</i> |
| <i>Saturday</i> | <i>Hebrews 5:9</i> |

October Birthdays

14 – Stacy Boehler
14 – Kathy Henderson
15 – Mary Christy
15 – Mike Hermann
17 – Alesha Thompson
19 – Sara Padilla
21 – Mary Parrott
21 – Susie Schaechter
23 – Diane Wirtz

October Anniversaries

16 – Don and Sheila Yoeckel

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Sermon Notes
October 11, 2020
“Combatting Falsehood, Pt. 1”
2 Peter 2:1-10

Key Text: *“So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don’t fall!”* (1 Cor. 10:12)

Key Thought: Peter warns us of falsehood among some Christian teachers.

- 1) Intro & Context
- 2) Naming the **FALSEHOOD** (vv. 1-3, 10) (cf. 2 Cor. 11:4; 1 Tim. 1:3-7; Titus 1:10-11; 1 Jn. 2:18-27; Jude 4)
- 3) Naming the **PUNISHMENT** (vv. 1,3,9) (cf. Mt. 7:21-23; Php. 3:18-19; Jude 5-7,11-15; Rev. 2:20-23)
- 4) Naming **EXAMPLES** (vv. 4-6)
 - a. Fallen angels (v. 4) (cf. Mt. 25:41; Jude 6; Rev. 12:1-9)
 - b. The worldwide flood (v. 5) (cf. Gen. 6-8)
 - c. Sodom & Gomorrah (v. 6) (cf. Gen. 18-19)
- 5) **HOPE** for the righteous (vv. 7-9) (cf. Ps. 37:32-33; 2 Cor. 1:8-11; Rev. 3:10)
- 6) Conclusion

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION:

- Are you aware of the danger in false teachings? Does it shock you to read of the severe threats and warnings for those who promote false teachings in God’s Church?
- Is your soul tormented by the unrighteousness in our culture? Or might you be too accommodating?
- Do you trust in God to deliver you from the evil around us? Is your hope in the Lord, or are you succumbing to the pressure?

PRAYER PAGE

Praises: Pastor Appreciation Month to especially honor Pastor Steve.

Prayer Concerns: President Trump and all those recuperating from COVID.

Those in Need of God's Strength and Healing:

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| Earl Burklund | Arlene Miller | Margaret Hasty |
| Anna Swanson | Jay and Judie Stanley | Margaret Crandall |
| Tasha Munger | Felipe Cantu | Beverly Reese |
| JoAnn Nelsen | Gary Wells | |

Families that have lost loved ones, caregivers, military families, and unspoken concerns.

Pray for Covenant Missionaries:

Jochy & Tammi Hernandez

Jochy and Tammi serve in the Dominican Republic. Their ministries include Mission Team Facilitation, Inter-church Project Coordination, Church Planting



If someone were to visit us in the Dominican Republic we would give them the chance to get to know the amazing Dominican people and especially our church plant leaders—and of course take them to the beautiful beaches to go snorkeling and eat fish!

Prayer Opportunities

Prayer Chain: Have a prayer need? Call Sandy at the church 764-6920 Monday thru Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. or call or text Tasha Munger at (309) 281-8784 with your request.

To pray means to stop expecting from God the same small-mindedness, which you discover in yourself. To pray is to walk in the full light of God and to simply, without holding back, "I am human and you are God." – Henri Nouwen

DAYTIME TRIVIA

Join us **Tuesday, October 20**, at **11:00 a.m.** for Daytime Trivia. It's a great time of fellowship and fun, and you can still practice social distancing.



You don't have to be a trivia buff to have a lot of fun. Some come for the pure enjoyment of gathering with their friends, making new friends, and having a great time.

S.P.L.A.S.H.

Our next SPLASH meeting will be **Saturday, October 24** from **9:00 to 11:00 a.m.**, in the fellowship hall at Elim.



SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS AND GRIEF SHARE

This has been a rough year for many with all the changes we have all had to make because of COVID. Death and grief still happen and our GriefShare team has decided to offer **Surviving the Holidays** and **GriefShare**. **Surviving the Holidays** is a one-time seminar and will be held **Sunday, November 8**, from **2:00 to 4:00 p.m.** There is no charge for this seminar.

GriefShare will start the following **Sunday, November 15**, from **2:00 to 4:00 p.m.** and will run for 13 weeks, taking breaks for holidays. Your only cost is \$20.00 for the workbook.

There are sign-up sheets on the table in the gathering area. We will practice the social distancing guidelines. Questions? See Sandy Parrott, Kathy Henderson, Mary Murphy or Karen Bowling.

BURGERS 'N BRATS FUNDRAISER

Do you remember the brats and cheeseburger fundraiser **Mike Hermann** and his crew hosted in May? Well. . .he's at it again. On Tuesday, **October 13, 2020**, there will be another fundraiser for future mission efforts. What a great way to get out of cooking and to support missions.



***Place your order by
6:00 p.m. Monday,
October 12.***

You can either email Mike Hermann at menathunt7@msn.com, or text him or call him at 563-343-1026. ***Please don't use Facebook to place your order.***

Pick up your order at the back door of the church between **5:00 and 6:00 p.m.** Pastor Steve and his family will take your money and pass out the food with smiling faces. What a great chance to visit with Pastor during Pastor Appreciation Month.

Here are your choices:

Option 1: 1/3 pound cheeseburger, chips, cookie and Pepsi, Diet Pepsi or Sierra Mist. All for \$4.00.

Option 2: Johnsonville Stadium brat, chips, cookie and Pepsi, Diet Pepsi or Sierra Mist. All for \$3.00.

Additional: Cheeseburger only \$3.00. Brat only \$2.00.

No condiments provided.

Also, please consider folks you know that can't get out. Will you please call them, get their order and deliver to them? We can also help with delivery needs. Please call everyone you know that can't get out.

Looking Ahead

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| Sunday | October 11 | 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service |
| Monday | October 12 | 5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering |
| Tuesday | October 13 | 9:30 a.m. SAS Bible Study 5:00 p.m. Burgers 'n Brats Fundraiser |
| Wednesday | October 14 | 8:00 a.m. "Amped" Prayer Meeting 10:00 a.m. Mats for the Homeless 5:45 p.m. Axis |
| Thursday | October 15 | 9:15 a.m. Keenagers 5:00 p.m. Worship Service |
| Sunday | October 18 | 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service |

Attendance Last Week

Thursday Worship = 11; Sunday Worship = 63
17 views on YouTube; Sunday School = 24



The Christian Care needs continue. Please consider picking up some supplies for them the next time you are at the store. Bring them to the church and we will deliver them for you. Thanks! And thank you, **Don** and **Jane Peterson** for making those deliveries for us!

- Coffee
- Creamer
- Ranch
- BBQ
- Sugar
- Mayo
- Pasta
- Napkins
- Shaving Cream
- Razors
- Bar soap
- Body Wash
- Toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Shoes
- Socks
- Underwear
- Hoodies
- Sweatshirts
- Sweatpants
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Bleach
- Laundry Soap

Gently worn, clean, ready-to-wear fall and winter jackets/coats are now being accepted.