

ELIM COVENANT CHURCH

October 30, 2022

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.

- Galatians 6:9 -



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WORSHIP CELEBRATION
October 30, 2022
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

Elizabeth Peterson

OFFERING

MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH

"It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery."

Galatians 5:1

ADORATION TO GOD

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

WORSHIP SONGS

"Every Move I Make"

"My God Is So Big"

"Hallelu Hallelujah"

CHILDREN'S SERMON

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

Galatians 6:1-10

MESSAGE
“Do-Gooders”
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

“I’m in the Lord’s Army”

BENEDICTION

October Birthdays

30 – Jean Russell
30 – Terry Snipes
31 – Cecil Grimes

November Birthdays

4 – Rachel Cunningham
4 – Anna Swanson
6 – Kim Shuda

November Birthdays

7 – Amanda Le
8 – JoAnn Nelsen
8 – Pam Thompson
9 – Mila Cespedes
12 – Brooks Ellis

November Anniversaries

5 – Byron and Becky Reynolds

Navigator Bible Reading Plans

	New Testament	Book-at-a-Time Bible Reading Plan
October 30	John 12	<i>Reflection</i>
October 31	John 13	<i>Reflection</i>
November 1	John 14	Ezekiel 20-23; Psalm 123-124
November 2	John 15	Ezekiel 24-26; Psalm 125-126
November 3	<i>Reflection</i>	Ezekiel 27-30; Psalm 127
November 4	<i>Reflection</i>	Ezekiel 31-34; Psalm 128-129
November 5	John 16	Ezekiel 35-38; Psalm 130-131

Sermon Notes
October 30, 2022
“Do-Gooders!”
Galatians 6:1-10

Key Text: *“To those who by persistence in doing good seek glory, honor and immortality, he will give eternal life” (Romans 2:7)*

Key Thought: God wants us to BE good and to DO good

- 1) Intro & Context

- 2) **RESTORING** a sinner (v. 1) (cf. Mt. 18:15-17; Lk. 17:3-4; Ja. 5:19-20)

- 3) Caring by **CARRYING** (v. 2,5) (cf. Ruth 2; Lk. 10:25-37; Eph. 4:28)

- 4) **SOWING** for good (vv. 7-8) (cf. Deut. 11:26-28; Jer. 34:17; Hos. 10:12-13)

- 5) Doing **GOOD** (vv. 9-10) (cf. Rom. 2:7; Eph. 2:10; 1 Ths. 5:15)

- 6) Conclusion

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION:

- Is there someone you know who needs to be restored to God? Or is that person you?
- Who do you know that has an overwhelming burden? How can you help them?
- Have you been sowing good seed or bad? How can you sow better seed, and so please God more?
- Would you pray to God that He would establish you as a do-gooder?

PRAYER PAGE

Praises: The fun and fellowship of our Fall Festival. Thanks to all who made it possible

Prayer Concerns: Sergeant Bill Lind of the East Moline Police Department who was brutally attacked last week.

Those in Need of God's Strength and Healing:

Katie Clarke	Arlene Miller	Belva Van Norman
Anna Swanson	Wiley Barnes	Margaret Crandall
Tasha Munger	Felipe Cantu	JoAnn Nelsen
Gary Wells	Curt Jackson	Sandy Winthurst
Madeline Lumpkin	Jeff Parrott	Don Neer

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

Pray for Covenant Missionaries:

Jonathan and Faith Ro

Jonathan and Faith serve in East Asia. Their ministry focus is in training church leaders.

I felt at home in our country of service when . . . A local pastor reminded me that God brought me to this city, and I am in the right place.



Prayer Opportunities

Prayer Cards: Feel free to use the prayer cards for your requests and drop them in the offering plate.

Prayer Following Worship: Elim Prayer Team is available to pray with you after the service in the Jeremiah classroom at the back of the sanctuary.

Prayer Gatherings: Mondays at 3:45 p.m. and Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. Come and pray with the team members and share your requests/praises.

Prayer Chain: Have a prayer need? Call Sandy at the church at (309) 764-6920 Monday thru Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. or call or text Sandy at (309) 592-7703 with your request.

Thank You!



My dear Elim family,

I am so grateful to you for your love and encouragement this past month, especially as shown through the many cards, blessings, and last Sunday's luncheon. I am

so thankful to God for you all! Your love is what makes Elim such an amazing church!

God bless you all!

Pastor Steve

Congregational Meeting

Join us **today** immediately following the church service for the third quarterly congregational meeting. Please plan to stay and get updated on all that's going on at Elim.



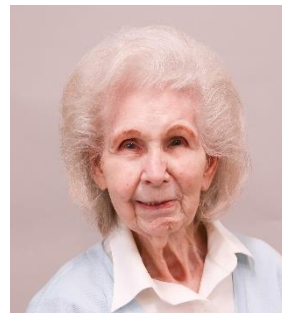
Help Us Celebrate

Jean Russell's 90th Birthday!

Jean Russell is celebrating the 50th anniversary of her 40th birthday **today**, and you're invited to help honor her at a cake reception during and after the congregational meeting.

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Yes, that's how old **Anna Swanson** will be on **November 4**. Let's flood her with birthday cards. Her address is: *Anna Swanson, Illinois Restorative Care, Room #184, 1455 Hospital Road, Silvis, IL 61282*





Covenant World Relief & Development Sunday

Covenant World Relief & Development (CWR&D) works through local partners around the world to reduce human suffering for the most vulnerable people and support healthy communities.

Sunday, **November 20, 2022**, is this year's CWR&D Sunday when we will take a "soup can" offering for this ministry. Pick up a label and a lid, place them on a clean soup can, and start collecting change. What an easy way to give.



Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

The time to gather your shoeboxes together and bring them to the church has come. Shoeboxes are being stored in the Matthew room until time for collection, which is November 14-21. Be sure to mark on the sign-up sheet that you have returned your boxes. Thanks!

Surviving the Holidays

Elim Covenant Church will once again host GriefShare's *Surviving the Holidays* on **Tuesday, November 8**, from **6:00 to 8:00 p.m.** We

SURVIVING
THE
HOLIDAYS

encourage you or anyone you know who is grieving to come and learn some helpful ways to navigate the holidays. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the gathering area. Questions? See Sandy Parrott



www.griefshare.org/holidays

Looking Ahead

Sunday	October 30	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School; Confirmation
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
		11:45 a.m.	Birthday Celebration for Jean Russell
		11:45 a.m.	3 rd Quarter Congregational Mtg
Monday	October 31	3:45 p.m.	Prayer Team Gathering
Tuesday	November 1	9:30 a.m.	SAS Bible Study
Wednesday	November 2	9:00 a.m.	"Amped" Prayer Meeting
		10:00 a.m.	Mats for the Homeless
		5:45 p.m.	Axis
		6:00 p.m.	Children's Ministry
Thursday	November 3	9:30 a.m.	Keenagers Bible Study
Sunday	November 6	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School; Confirmation
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service

GREETERS TODAY: Cecil and Carolyn Grimes

Attendance Last Week

Sunday Worship = 86 Views on YouTube = 13

Sunday School/Confirmation = 33 Children's Church = 6

MOWING SCHEDULE

November 5 Cecil Grimes and Ryan Wood

November 12 Don Yoeckel and Chris Carsell

CHILD CARE SCHEDULE

TODAY, October 30

No Children's Church Today

Nursery: Amy Hennings and Rachel Lyon

NEXT WEEK, November 6:

Children's Church: Kelly Wood and Meagan Bear

Nursery: Cheryl Bear and Rachel Cunningham

Christian Care Current Supply Needs

- Men's Sweatshirts and Sweaters
 - Long-sleeved Shirts
 - Sweatpants
- Women's 2X-5X Clothing
- Men's and Women's Winter Coats
 - Hats and Gloves
- Cleaning Supplies
- Laundry Detergent
- Hygiene Products
 - Shampoo/conditioner, razors, body wash, deodorant, foot powder, shaving cream