

# ELIM COVENANT CHURCH

## June 11, 2023

"Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?'" The King will reply, 'I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me.'

- Matthew 25:37-40 -



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# WORSHIP CELEBRATION

June 11, 2023

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](http://elimqc.org)*

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Don Peterson**

## **OFFERING**

## **MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH**

*"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." (Matthew 28:19-20)*

## **ADORATION TO GOD**

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

## **WORSHIP SONGS**

*"Take My Life and Let it Be"*

*"Draw Me Close"*

*"Spirit of the Living 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!

## **WORDS FROM GOD**

**Luke 10:25-37**

## **MESSAGE**

**“The Good Samaritan”**

**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**

*“Great Are You Lord”*

## **BENEDICTION**

**GREETERS TODAY:** Cecil and Carolyn Grimes

### **June Anniversaries**

*11 – Timothy and Amanda Le*

*15 – Mike and Natalie Hermann*

*16 – Donavon and Diana Wood*

*30 – Cecil and Carolyn Grimes*

### **June Birthdays**

*11 – Maxine Barnes*

*14 – Dori Cosgrove*

*16 – Rodney Ouder Kirk*

### **June Birthdays**

*17 – Lynsey Hennings*

*27 – Peggy Burkeybile*

## **Daily Bible Reading Guide 2023**

### **God’s Saving Word: Unity in Christ Jesus**

June 11	2 Corinthians 4:16-5:10
June 12	2 Corinthians 5:11-21
June 13	2 Corinthians 6:1-13
June 14	2 Corinthians 6:14-7:1
June 15	2 Corinthians 7:2-16
June 16	2 Corinthians 8:1-15
June 17	2 Corinthians 8:16-24



## PRAYER PAGE

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

Katie Clarke	Arlene Miller	Belva VanNorman
Don Neer	Wiley Barnes	Margaret Crandall
Tasha Munger	Felipe Cantu	JoAnn Nelsen
Gary and Julie Wells	Curt Jackson	Sandy Winthurst
Madeline Lumpkin	Jeff Parrott	Tabatha Estes

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

<b><i>Covenant Prayer Calendar — June 11-17</i></b>	
<b><i>Please pray for this week's Covenant missionaries:</i></b>	
Josef and Rochelle Rasheed (Africa)	Jonathan and Faith Ro (East Asia)
Eugenio Restrepo and Pia Peña- Restrepo (Latin America)	Gary and Mary Lou Sander (Colombia)
Lisandro and Patty Restrepo (Mexico)	Adrienne and Ken Satterberg (France)
Robert and Rae Rife (Great Britain)	Grace Shim (Asia)

### 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:** Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. and 3:45 p.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.

## Pray 4 Me Prayer Basket

Our prayer basket has been refreshed. Please help us in praying for each other by taking a slip of paper with the names of our Elim family. Take as many as you like. There are also clothespin magnets for you to use as a reminder to pray for those you've drawn. What an easy way to uphold and love each other with our prayers. Thanks for praying!



## HYMN SING



Sing to the Lord a new song! Or maybe even an old song but join us **this afternoon** at 4:00 p.m. for our monthly hymn sing. Be sure to invite your family and friends. It's always such a wonderful time of worshipping God, fellowship, and inspiration. Haven't tried it? Why not join us?

## DAYTIME TRIVIA

Daytime Trivia will meet for the second time this month on **Tuesday, June 20**. Be sure to mark your calendar and join in the fun. Come at 11:00 a.m., bring your lunch, and join a table. Bring your friends. The fun starts at 11:30 a.m. Only \$5.00/person.



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

Ladies — just a reminder — **S.P.L.A.S.H.** is on **Saturday, June 24**, from **9:00 to 11:00 a.m.** All women are invited. Please join us!!



## ALASKA MISSION TRIP UPDATE



Plans for our mission trip to Elim, Alaska, are being finalized, our team has been established, and airline tickets have been purchased. Please pray for our team: **Pastor Steve Peterson, R.J. Peterson, Jonathan Karl** (a friend of R.J.'s), **Don Yoeckel, Jon Estes** and his grandson **Colton Estes, Linda Gilmour, and Sandy Parrott**. We appreciate your prayers for our team members, preparations and details for the trip, the work projects, and the people we will meet.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Mark your calendar for this year's women's retreat at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, September 15-17.

There will be more information to come.

Grab a friend and start planning today.

# But, God Is Good

Fall Fellowship  
September 15, 16, and 17  
Covenant Harbor Bible Camp  
Lake Geneva, Wisconsin

Speaker: Sara Diemer

\*Remember to save your books for the Book Nook!

\*Bring a gift basket for the Scholarship Donation Raffle!



## Looking Ahead

Sunday	June 11	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School/Confirmation
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
		4:00 p.m.	Hymn Sing
Tuesday	June 13	9:30 a.m.	<b>SAS</b> Bible Study
Wednesday	June 14	9:00 a.m.	"AMPED" Prayer Meeting
		10:00 a.m.	Mats for the Homeless
		3:45 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
		5:45 p.m.	Axis
Sunday	June 18	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School/Confirmation
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
Tuesday	June 20	9:30 a.m.	<b>SAS</b> Bible Study
		11:00 a.m.	Daytime Trivia

## Attendance Last Week

Sunday Worship = 58 Views on YouTube = 13

Sunday School/Children's Church = 20

## MOWING SCHEDULE

June 17 ..... Don Yoeckel and Chris Carsell

June 24 ..... Jim Nelson and Mike Hermann

## CHILD CARE SCHEDULE

### TODAY, June 11:

Children's Church: Natalie Hermann and Mary Parrott

Nursery: Sandy Parrott and Mariah Richardson

### NEXT WEEK, June 18:

Children's Church: Kristen Burns and Elizabeth Peterson

Nursery: Meagan Bear and Rachel Cunningham

## Christian Care Immediate Needs

**Bottled Water**

**#10 Cans of Veggies**

**Canned Fruit**

**Ground Coffee**