ELIM COVENANT CHURCH June 18, 2023

Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread.Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us. At I lead us not interpret n.

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Luke 11:1-4 niv

Elim Covenant Church

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WORSHIP CELEBRATION June 18, 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 <u>elimac.ora</u>

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

"Goodness Of God" "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing" "He Will Hold Me Fast"

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 10:38-11:13

<u>MESSAGE</u> "Prioritizing Jesus" 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

"Be Thou My Vision"

BENEDICTION

GREETERS TODAY: Cheryl Bear and Karen Johnson

June Anniversaries

11 – Timothy and Amanda Le 15 – Mike and Natalie Hermann 16 – Donavon and Diana Wood 30 – Cecil and Carolyn Grimes

<u>June Birthdays</u>

11 – Maxine Barnes 14 – Dori Cosgrove 16 – Rodney Ouderkirk

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17 – Lynsey Hennings 27 – Peggy Burkeybile

Daily Bible Reading Guide 2023 God's Saving Word: Unity in Christ Jesus

2 Corinthians 9:1-15
2 Corinthians 10:1-18
2 Corinthians 11:1-15
2 Corinthians 11:16-33
2 Corinthians 12:1-10
2 Corinthians 12:11-21
2 Corinthians 13:1-13

Sermon Notes Sunday, June 18, 2023 "Prioritizing Jesus" Luke 10:38-11:13

Key Text: "Pray continually" (1 Ths. 5:17)

Key Thought: We must make a priority of spending time with Jesus in prayer.

- 1) Intro & Context
- 2) Martha (cf. Pr. 14:2; Rom. 12:13) & Mary (cf. Isa. 30:15; Jn. 6:27)
- 3) The Lord's Prayer <u>TEMPLATE</u> (cf. Mt. 6:9-13)
- 4) <u>SHAMELESS</u> audacity (e.g. Mt. 20:29-34; Mk. 7:24-30; Lk. 8:43-48)
- 5) Ask, seek & knock (cf. 1 Kgs. 3:5; Mt. 18:19; 21:21-22; Ja. 4:2-3; 1 Jn. 3:21-22)
- 6) Our <u>GOOD</u> Father (cf. Ps. 85:10-13; Rom. 8:32; Ja. 1:17)
- 7) Conclusion

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION:

- Are you prioritizing enough time to be with Jesus? Or is busyness crowding out that time?
- Are you confident in prayer?
 - Do you know how to pray and what to pray for?
 - Do you approach His throne of grace with confidence?
 - Are you confident in God's loving response?

PRAYER PAGE

Those in Need of God's Strength and Healing:

Arlene Miller	Belva VanNorman
Wiley Barnes	Margaret Crandall
Felipe Cantu	JoAnn Nelsen
Curt Jackson	Sandy Winthurst
Jeff Parrott	Tabatha Estes
	Wiley Barnes Felipe Cantu Curt Jackson

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

Covenant Prayer Calendar — June 18-24				
Please pray for this week's Covenant missionaries:				
Joshua and Lori Shinar	Barbara and Steven Swanson			
(Cameroon)	(Sweden)			
David and Celia Stockamp	Becci Swearingen			
(DR Congo)	(Kenya)			
Carolyn and Jeffrey Stoker	James Tang			
(Cameroon)	(South Sudan and Ethiopia)			
Covenanters in Global Service	Alex and Melanie Viana			
	(Mozambique)			

Prayer Opportunities

<u>Prayer Cards</u>: 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.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Thank you, Lord, for the faithful, God-fearing fathers who love their children and provide strong role models for them.



Thank you, Lord, for those who have been faithful, godly men who influence all our lives and have been father figures for those without fathers.

Thank you, Lord, for the fathers who are no longer here but have left their imprint on our lives.

Thank you, Lord, for the gift of fathers.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL

On *June 25*, Natalie Hermann's Sunday School class will be starting a new study on the Sermon on the Mount. They meet in the Miriam room, which is in the southeast corner of the church. Class starts at 9:15 a.m.





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.



<u>S.P.L.A.S.H.</u>

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 (August 5-11) 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.

GIRLS NIGHT OUT

Girls Night Out is always a huge success and Cindy Minard is looking ahead to a craft for next year and she needs your help.





She will be collecting costume jewelry of all sorts (any color or size, broken or not): pins of all kinds, necklaces, earrings, rings, chains, medallions, watches that don't work, whatever comes under the jewelry category.

So, start collecting and keep your eyes open at home, garage sales, Goodwill, etc. There is a sample of the craft on the table in the gathering area. Thanks!



<u>Looking Ahead</u>

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Sunday	June 18	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School/Confirmation		
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service		
Tuesday	June 20	9:30 a.m.	<i>SAS</i> Bible Study		
		11:00 a.m.	Daytime Trivia		
Wednesday	June 21	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		
		6:00 p.m.	Children's Ministry		
Saturday	June 24	9:00 a.m.	S.P.L.A.S.H.		
Sunday	June 25	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School/Confirmation		
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service		

Attendance Last Week

Sunday Worship = 71 Views on YouTube = 19 Sunday School/Children's Church = 28

MOWING SCHEDULE

June 24 Jim Nelson and Mike Hermann July 1 Tom Lancial and L.J. Cunningham

CHILD CARE SCHEDULE

TODAY, June 18:

Children's Church: Kristen Burns and Elizabeth Peterson Nursery: Sheila Yoeckel and Rachel Cunningham

NEXT WEEK, June 25:

Children's Church: Natalie Hermann and Meagan Bear Nursery: Meagan Bear and Jamie Cespedes

Christian Care Immediate Needs

Bottled Water, #10 Cans of Veggies Canned Fruit, Ground Coffee Large Bottles of Shampoo Large Bottles of Conditioner Body Wash