

# **ELIM COVENANT CHURCH**

## **October 26, 2025**



**Elim Covenant Church**  
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**WORSHIP CELEBRATION**  
**October 26, 2025**  
**10:30 a.m.**

*Elim's mission statement:*

*"To develop leaders who will impact the world for Christ."*

**GATHERING BEFORE GOD**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Mike Hermann**

**OFFERING**

**MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH**

*"Jesus replied, 'Anyone who loves me will obey my teaching...'"*  
*(John 14:23)*

**WORSHIP SONGS**

**WORDS FROM GOD**

**MESSAGE**

**"Solomon the King, pt. 1"**  
**by Pastor Steve Peterson**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**WORSHIP SONG**

**BENEDICTION**

**GREETERS TODAY** Danielle Ogden & Karen Bagatelas

**Sermon Notes**  
**October 26, 2025**  
**“Solomon the King, pt. 1”**  
**1 Kings 1-4**

**Key Text:** *“If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you.”* (Ja. 1:5)

**Key Thought:** King Solomon was truly blessed by God, but God has something even greater for you.

- 1) Intro & Context
- 2) The **CONTENDER** (cf. 1 kgs. 1:5-53)
- 3) **SECURING** his throne (1 kgs. 2)
- 4) His **GIFT** from God (1 kgs. 3:4-15)
- 5) Even **GREATER** (cf. Jn. 14:20-23; Rom. 10:9; Col. 1:27; Ja. 1:5)
- 6) Conclusion

**QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION:**

- How would you answer God if He gave you an offer like He did Solomon?
- Do you consider it possible to receive God’s greatest gifts?
- If you did receive them, how would that change your life?

## **Looking Ahead**

Sunday	October 26	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
		11:30 a.m.	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Congregational Meeting</b>
		6:00 p.m.	<b>Dinner &amp; Alpha Course</b>
			<b>JPUSA Mission Trip Chicago</b>
Monday	October 27	6:00 p.m.	GriefShare
Tuesday	October 28	9:30 a.m.	SAS Bible Study
Wednesday	October 29	9:00 a.m.	"Amped" Prayer Meeting
Thursday	October 30	8:30 a.m.	Keenagers
		5:30 p.m.	<b>Elim's Fall Festival</b>
Saturday	November 1	8:00 a.m.	<b>Elim Workday</b>
Sunday	November 2	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
		6:00 p.m.	<b>Dinner &amp; Alpha Course</b>
Monday	November 3	6:00 p.m.	GriefShare
Tuesday	November 4	9:30 a.m.	SAS Bible Study

### **October Birthdays**

28 – Luna Suits    30 – Jean Russell  
30 – Terry Snipes    31 – Cecil Grimes

### **November Birthdays**

3 – Christian Hugaert    4 – Rachel Cunningham  
6 – Kim Shuda    7 – Amanda Le    8 – Pam Thompson  
9 – Mila Cespedes    10 – Charles Welsh    12 – Brooks Ellis

### **November Anniversaries**

5 – Byron & Becky Reynolds

### **Attendance Last Week**

Sunday Worship = 70/ Views on YouTube = 11  
Sunday School/Children's Church = 22

### **Mowing Schedule**

November 1..... Cecil Grimes & Don Peterson  
November 8..... Jim Nelson & Mike Hermann

### **CHILDCARE SCHEDULE**

#### **TODAY, October 26**

Children's Church: Meagan Bear & Diane Snipes  
Nursery: Sheila Yoeckel & Amy Hennings

#### **NEXT WEEK, November 2**

Children's Church: Kristen Burns & Kim Shuda  
Nursery: Cheryl Bear & Amanda Le