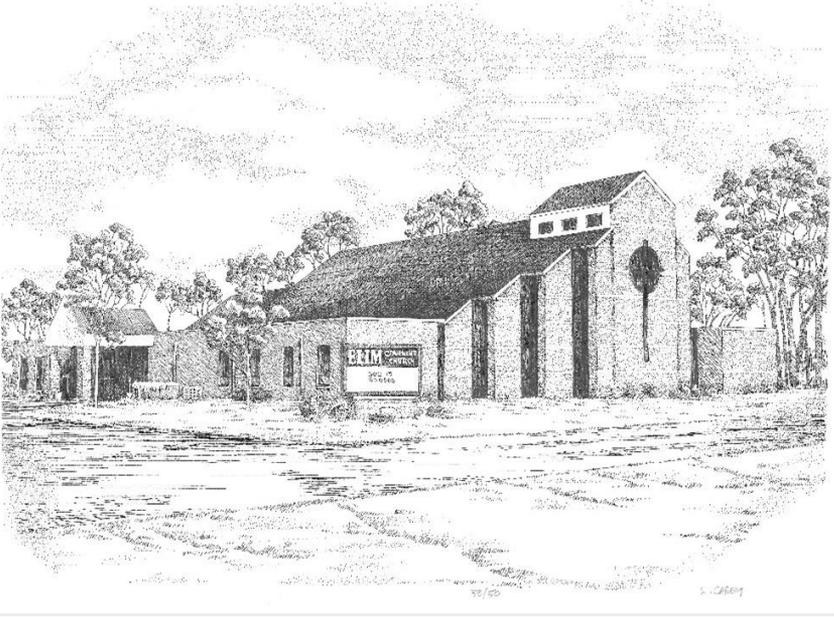


# **ELIM COVENANT CHURCH**

## **November 16, 2025**



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**WORSHIP CELEBRATION**  
**November 16, 2025**  
**10:30 a.m.**

*Elim's mission statement:*

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

**GATHERING BEFORE GOD**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Kim Shuda**

**OFFERING**

**MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH**

*"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and discipline." (Proverbs 1:7)*

**WORSHIP SONGS**

**WORDS FROM GOD**

**MESSAGE**

**"Solomon the King, part 4"**  
**by Pastor Steve Peterson**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**WORSHIP SONG**

**BENEDICTION**

**GREETERS TODAY** Rodney & Judy Ouderkirk

**Sermon Notes**  
**November 16, 2025**  
**“Solomon the King, part 4”**  
**1 Kings 11:1-13**

**Key Text:** *“Flee from sexual immorality...” (1 Cor. 6:18)*

**Key Thought:** We cannot allow illicit romantic inclinations to derail us from God’s will and put our lives and relationships in jeopardy.

- 1) Intro & Context
  
- 2) The **ROMANTIC** (1 Kgs. 11:3; Song of Songs)
  
- 3) **DANGEROUS** liaisons (cf. 1 Kgs. 11:1-8; 1 Cor. 6:12-17; 2 Cor. 6:14-16)
  
- 4) Stay **HEALTHY** (cf. 1 Cor. 6:18-20; 1 Ths. 4:3-8; Heb. 13:4)
  
- 5) Conclusion

**QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION:**

- Is your primary identity that of a Christ-follower?
- Is your sex life staying within godly, biblical boundaries?
- Who do you need to further speak with on this issue?

## **Looking Ahead**

Sunday	November 16	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
		<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Alpha Extra</b>
Monday	November 17	5:30 p.m.	GriefShare “ <b>Surviving the Holidays</b> ” Seminar
		7:00 p.m.	<b>GriefShare</b>
Tuesday	November 18	9:30 a.m.	SAS Bible Study
		11:00 a.m.	<b>Daytime Trivia - Strickly Southern Catering - Free Pulled Pork Sliders from 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.</b>
Wednesday	November 19	9:00 a.m.	“Amped” Prayer Meeting
Thursday	November 20	9:30 a.m.	Keenagers
Sunday	November 23	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
Monday	November 24	6:00 p.m.	GriefShare
Tuesday	November 25	9:30 a.m.	SAS Bible Study

### **November Birthdays**

16 – Martin Bear    17 – Ryan Wood    17 – Richard Spencer  
19 – Ashley Cosgrove    19 – Fran Van Hooreweghe    26 – Abigail Akpla

### **December Birthdays**

1 – Divine Akpla    1 – Rhonda Schuldt    2 – Corbin Wood

### **December Anniversaries**

2 – Gary & Julie Wells

### **Attendance Last Week**

Sunday Worship = 78/ Views on YouTube = 17  
Sunday School/Children’s Church = 24

### **Mowing Schedule**

November 22..... Dave Cespedes & Terry Snipes  
November 29..... Chris Carsell, Don Yoeckel & Charles Welsh

## **CHILDCARE SCHEDULE**

### **TODAY, November 16**

Children’s Church: Natalie Hermann & Kathy Plein  
Nursery: Elizabeth Peterson & Mary Parrott

### **NEXT WEEK, November 23**

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