

AVCRC exists to reach people, bringing them to a loving relationship with Jesus and membership in the Christian Community; helping them to grow in their faith, guiding them to serve in their gifted ministry, and honouring God with their lives.



**Sunday July 7, 2019**

**Welcome to this time of worship!**

Psalm 103 (pg. 587) is our guide this morning. The psalm praises God for the life he gives and is unafraid to include the unvarnished truth about death. It's an odd combination, or maybe it isn't. It can be healthy, in the presence of God, to tell the whole story of life and death, even on a pleasant summer day.

**Our Worship Service will proceed as announced**

**Offering:** Budget. Today's collection is for local ministry expenses, building expenses, salary etc. Included in our budget are Ministry shares. Today, ministry shares remains a stewardly and cost-effective way of providing a solid foundation for our denomination. Through ministry shares, we are able to collectively:

- Train and credential pastors to be Ministers of the Word
- Help all of us take part in God's mission --in our congregations, communities, and in foreign countries.

**Please keep these matters in your prayers**

-Pray for those who battle cancer. We give thanks with Erin K that tests indicate no secondary cancer.

- Pray for persecuted Christians. Hindu fringe groups are gaining influence and calling for India to be a strictly Hindu nation. Mailing religious material has recently become illegal; this makes it difficult for Christian radio ministry to respond to listener requests for more information.

## Spilled Ink

What is a disciple of Jesus? What does she believe and do? Can you become a better one? How?

I've found these to be helpful markers of discipleship:

*Belong:* Disciples have a sense of belonging to Jesus and to his body, the church. They have a secure home.

*Hope:* No one said life would be easy; disciples have hope that we will not only get through but find joy along the way.

*Understand:* Disciples understand that they are a part of God's story as revealed in the world and in Scripture. God's story is the basic framework for all of life.

*Called:* Disciples know that they have a God-chosen purpose in life and are equipped by God to do it.

These are building blocks of faith; are they present in your life? How is the church helping? Where could we help more? Let me know. **Pastor Curtis**

## June Giving

Budget:	\$20895.85
Umrans:	\$130.00
Aboriginal Ministry:	\$326.00
Free a Family:	\$772.95
Young Life:	<u>\$1283.70</u>
Year to Date Budget Giving:	\$96,075.15
Budgeted:	\$116,062.50
Year to Date (Shortfall):	(\$19,987.35)

***Church Camp at Rathrevor Park: Monday July 29<sup>th</sup> - Monday August 5<sup>th</sup>!***  
***For more info, speak with Willem C***

***HYMN SING resumes on September 12.***



<u>OFFERING SCHEDULE</u>	<u>COUNTER</u>	<u>HELPERS</u>
July 7 – Budget	Janay G	Kim M & Lois L
July 14 – Local Mission Fund	John R	Rinnie H & Roy K
July 21 – Budget	Patty T	Art & Alsie S
July 28 – Benevolent Fund	Pete B	Bert & Pat B
	<u>GREETERS</u>	<u>NURSERY</u>
July 7	Bev & Brian H	Alsie S, Eileen D, Bethany
July 14	Alice & Theo V	Jessica O, Pat B, Ezra
July 21	Alice & Theo	Erin K, Pam S, Sarah
July 28	Jane d & Cara d Roy K, Anita B, Megan	

	<u>COFFEE MAKERS</u>	<u>LIBRARIAN</u>	<u>SECURITY</u>
July 7	John & Margrit D	Alice V	Jake C
July 14	John & Erin K	Margrit D	Jake C
July 21	Bob & Joan W	Bev H	Jake C
July 28	Roy & Joanne K	Joan W	Jake C

## AVCRC WELCOMES YOU!

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