

'Alberni Valley CRC: making disciples who make disciples who make ...'



Sunday February 9, 2020

Welcome to this time of worship! Today we celebrate the Lord's Supper - all who seek the kind of food that only Jesus can provide are welcome here. Next week, Pastor Curtis will preach at Christ Community Church in Nanaimo and Pastor Kelli Sexton will preach here.

Prayer and Greeting

Songs of Praise

The Lord's Supper

Song of Thanksgiving

Offering: (Budget)

Morning Prayer

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 58:1-12 (pg 721); Matthew 5:17-20 (pg 936-37);
Psalm 112:5,6 (pg 595)

Message: Worship and Justice Fortissimo

Song

Blessing

Song

Please keep these matters in your prayers

- "Surviving the Flood" is the name of a two day conference this past week aimed at developing healthy responses to the opioid crisis; pray that good steps may come from this conference.

- Give thanks for Sunday school teachers and pray that their work will touch many children - and that many children will be present!

-Back to God Hour Ministries International partners with a radio ministry in India. Praise God for working in the life of Pawan, who came to faith in Christ after experiencing amazing physical healing. Pray that Pawan will continue to share his faith and testimony with the people in his village.

Thank You to Jan J for kindly donating *THE CHRISTIANS – twelve volumes of the Christian Church from 30AD to 2001AD*.

Small Groups: Our church has many "small groups", each with a different focus: from Wednesday morning Coffee Break, to evening study groups and a prayer focus group. If you are interested in a small group setting for personal growth and development, contact Rosemary at 250-724-3177 and together we can find a group that may work for you.

Annual General Meeting, March 8, 2020

On the agenda this year is a conversation about the causes we support. We aim to do more than simply write a check to various agencies; we want to know and pray and care about the cause. The deacons seek your input to establish a list of perhaps six causes (3 local and 3 global) that we support outside of budget offerings. We believe that together we can establish meaningful and even reciprocal relationships with a shorter list of causes (this in no way prevents anyone from giving to any cause, but that will need to be done outside of the church; the deacons will help you connect with other causes if you need that assistance).

In anticipation of the AGM, we publish our AVCRC Annual Report on Ministries. If you are ministry leader, the Admin Committee asks you to submit a report. You can talk with them about format; they can help you get it done.

See John K or Jake V. Thank you!

Weekly Calendar

Tonight: 6:00pm - Youth Bible study

Wednesday: 10:00am - Ladies Coffee Break Bible study - Everyone welcome!

Thursday: 6:30-7:30 Volunteer Appreciation Dessert Night

Mark your calendar

Sunday, March 8: (after the morning worship) - Annual General Meeting

Friday, April 24: 6:30 pm - Tim & the Glory Boys Buffalo Roadshow!

(See posters on notice boards for full info.)

Invitation to join a prayer group for our children and grandchildren

What may begin as a group of families who get together regularly to pray for our children and grandchildren will become a way of life for all who attend. In the book *The Praying Parent*, S. Omartian writes "we felt the power of our prayers and saw wonderful effects and amazing results. It's never too soon to begin and never too late to start. The answer to the prayers we prayed over the years fueled our faith and inspired us to be persistent and diligent to continue to pray even when they left home. If you embark on this adventure of praying for your children, you will find it to be an unending habit. Being able to positively affect your children or grandchildren in prayer will help keep you in close contact with them. And it will continually contribute to your joy as a parent or grandparent."

Starting on Tuesday, January 28th at 7:00 - 8:00 pm we began to pray for our kids and grandkids. Hope to see you join us.

TIM & THE GLORY BOYS present THE BUFFALO ROAD SHOW NO MORE HORSIN' AROUND

Arrowsmith Baptist Church Friday, April 24/Doors open at 6:30

Tickets \$15. Advance; \$25. at the door; Family Pass \$40.

Tickets available at Arrowsmith Church Office: 250-7247272

or visit Timmytour.co

OFFERING SCHEDULE

February 9 – Budget
 February 16 – Budget
 February 23 – Special Collection

COUNTER

Elaine V
 Patty T
 Janay G

HELPERS

Renger D & Margrit D
 John K & Dave R
 Kim M & Lois L

February 9
 February 16
 February 23

GREETERS

Bev & Brian H
 Alice & Theo V
 Alice & Theo V

NURSERY

Carol D; Eileen D; Curtis
 Yvonne C; Pat B

COFFEE MAKERS

February 9 Pete & Anita B
 February 16 Willem & Helle C
 February 23 John & Margrit D

LIBRARIAN

Margrit D
 Bev H
 Joan W

SECURITY

Yvonne A
 Yvonne A
 Yvonne A

Is this your first time Worshipping with us?

Welcome! Please join us for Coffee (downstairs) following the Service. We would love to get to know you ☺
 **There is an Info Card found in your pew seat. Feel free to fill it out and drop it in the Collection Bag. This will help us to keep in touch with you.

Nursery ... is provided during the Service for your babies and toddlers. Feel free to drop your children off before the Service starts.

Sunday School ... Pastor Curtis will let you know during the **Service** when the children can leave.
 **All our Volunteers are genuinely caring; have passed RCMP Background Checks; and, are well known by our Leadership.

AVCRC WELCOMES YOU!

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