

First Christian Reformed Church
Lynden, Washington

Announcements for January 14, 2024

WORSHIP SERVICES

January 14 - 10:30 AM - Guest Pastor, Jim V

Luke 9:10-17 "Our Inadequacy, Christ's Abundance"

January 14 - 6:00 PM - Guest Pastor, Jon Y

Exodus 17:1-7 "The Gospel of Grace: Living Water"

January 21 - 10:30 AM - Sanctity of Human Life Sunday

Guest Pastor - Mitchell S - *Romans 5:1-5 "Perseverance"*

January 21 - 6:00 PM - Guest Pastor, Bryan D

Psalms 71 "Our Rock of Refuge"

- **Nursery** is available for children up to 3 years during the morning service.
- **Children's Church** is available for children 3 years – 3rd grade during the morning service. Children are invited to leave during the service.
- **After the Service**, join us for a time of fellowship in the basement.
- **Join us online** if you are unable to worship with us in person. Worship services can be streamed at www.firstcrclynden.org.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

UPCOMING OFFERINGS

- January 14 - Al & Julie, with Operation Mobilization in Belgium, one of the least reached nations in the world. For more information, visit www.om.org/be/be_en.
- January 21 - Lynden Human Life
- January 28 - Benevolence

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Any tithes or offering can be given the following ways:

- Placed in the offering bag on Sunday
- Mailed to the church office (1010 Front Street, Lynden, WA 98264)
- Dropped off at church during the week (at the church office during office hours or in the outside locking mailbox after hours)
- Electronically through a bill pay service or online through Tithe.ly

PRAYER AND PRAISE ITEMS

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- **Elsie D** anticipates having a pacemaker put in on Tuesday. Pray that the procedure will go smoothly and that she will recover quickly.
- **Jessica K** (daughter of Ben & Jill) is at home recovering from some procedures this week at Swedish hospital for eating difficulties. Continue to pray for clarity on the next steps to help her.
- **Marsha M** continues to undergo treatment five days in a row, every three weeks to treat bone marrow cancer.
- **Kristi N** is dealing with difficulty swallowing.

NEWS AND UPDATES

GUEST PASTORS JOINING US THIS WEEK

This Sunday morning, we welcome to the pulpit Pastor Jim V, the associate pastor at Victory Christian Fellowship in Lynden. During the evening service, we welcome to the pulpit Pastor Jon Y, the senior pastor at Third CRC in Lynden.

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

SAFETY MINISTRY TEAM

We will be meeting on Saturday, January 13 at 7:00 AM in the Loft. For more information, contact Randy L.

EDUCATION CLASSES

Education classes for all ages meet on Sunday mornings at 9:30 AM.

- **Adults:** Led by Glenn G in Church Basement.
- **Infants – Kindergarten:** Childcare available in the Ed Building
- **1st grade - 3rd grade:** Led by Stephanie R in the Ed Building
- **4th grade – 5th grade:** Led by Andrew R the Ed Building
- **6th grade – 8th grade:** Led by Glen B in the Ed Building
- **9th grade – 12th grade:** Led by Mike S in the Loft

TIRED AND RETIRED (MIDDLE AGE - RETIRED MINISTRY)

Join us Sunday, January 14 after the morning worship service for a soup luncheon/potluck. Come to the Loft for soup, salads, desserts, and fellowship. If you have any questions, talk to Dawn H.

WOMEN'S MONDAY BIBLE STUDY

If you would like to join the Monday Women's Bible study *Keep Holding On*, please pick up your study guide from the church office. We will be meeting on Monday, January 15, at 10:00 AM in the Loft for our discussion of Week One. This is a six-week study commitment and will cover the Promises of God. We would love to have you join us!!! For more information or if you have any questions, contact JoAnn R.

HELPING HANDS

All those who love to sew, knit, or crochet are invited to join us on Monday, January 15 at 1:00 PM in the Education Building. For more information, contact Leona O.

PRAY FOR AMERICA

The Pray for America group will meet on Monday, January 15 at 7:00 PM in the Prayer Room.

FORGED@FIRST (7th-8th GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY)

Forged@First will meet on Monday, January 15 at 7:00 PM in the Loft. For more information, contact Jeff & Renee L or Patty R.

MOMS@1ST (WOMEN'S MINISTRY)

Moms@1st will meet on Tuesday, January 16 at 9:30 AM in the Loft. For more information about MOMS@1st, contact Carly V.

WORSHIP PLANNING

Worship Planning will meet on Wednesday, January 17 at 7:00 PM in the Council Room. For more information, contact Nancy Z.

TRIBE (HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY)

Join us for our on Wednesday, January 17 at 7:30 PM in the Loft. For more info, contact Cal B.

DAUGHTERS OF ZION - WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Join us for a study of 1&2 Peter and Jude, on Thursday, January 18 at 10:00 AM in the Ed. Building. Please prepare lesson 9. Servers are Gertrude H and Cobie T. For more information, contact Eleanor V.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

All young and middle-aged men are invited to join us for coffee, donuts and Bible study on Saturday, January 20 at 7:00 AM in the Loft. For more information, contact Patrick J.

CHURCH INFORMATION

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