[WELCOME] We are glad you are here! At Fleetwood CRC we believe that God is calling us to **reach up** to Him in worship and prayer, **reach** in to each other for learning, fellowship and accountability, and reach out to our community with God's love. May you be blessed by your time here, and leave reminded of God's love for you. [NEW TO FLEETWOOD CRC?] The order of our service reflects the Reformed tradition of which we are a part. Our worship is centred on Word and sacrament: every week we hear the Scriptures, **God's Word** is preached, and we celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper together monthly. The Christ candle at the front of the Sanctuary reminds us of Christ's presence. Please fill out a **communication card** in your pew and place it in the offering basket at the back doors. This is so we can get in touch with you and get you connected to our church community. [CHILDREN'S CHURCH] Will break for summer.

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[NURSERY] Available upstairs over the summer for infants, toddlers and preschoolers to age 5. Each parent is provided with a pager for a call-back if necessary.

[PRAYER] If you are looking for a quiet, space for prayer, please feel free to use the prayer room upstairs overlooking the sanctuary. If you would like someone to pray with you, a member of our prayer team would love to meet you for prayer at the right of the stage after the service. If you would like to submit a prayer request to our prayer team email prayer@fleetwoodcrc.org.

[SMALL GROUPS] To join a small group, start a new one, or wonder a bit more about the place of small groups in the Christian life, please contact a pastor or our church office administrator.

[DAILY PRAYER] Lord, present to us today, ample opportunities to water the seeds of discipline in our lives that they might in time bear fruit, to the glory of Your name. Amen.

Fleetwood CRC is led by a Council of Elders and Deacons along with staff. If you have a pastoral need or would like to talk to someone confidentially, we encourage you to contact one of the Pastors, Elders, or church office. Our passion is to connect deeply with those around us, to encourage each other to trust Jesus more and more, and to help each other become the people God is calling us to be.

CHAIR OF COUNCIL: Gil Vergilio

VICE CHAIR: John Bron CLERK: Henk Van Andel

DEACON REP TO ADMIN: Linda Knopp **MEMBER AT LARGE:** Donna Klomps **CHAIR OF DEACONS:** Michael Milankovics

REACHING UP: Elders - Joyce Van Ravenstein, Case

Van Dop, Deacon - Manny Valoma

REACHING IN: Elders - Donna Klomps, Jim Tolsma,

Jan Rooker, *Deacon*—Tim Yzerman

Visiting Elders: Wilma Gleddie, Beatrice Vanderbos,

Joyce Klomps, Wendy Hanschke

REACHING OUT: *Elder* - Margaret Verkaik, *Deacon*

Joe Milankovics, Michael Milankovics

[HOW TO GET INVOLVED] Members and guests are encouraged to participate in the ministries of the church. Our pastors would be happy to meet with you to determine where your gifts would best fit in our community. Information about weekly activities/events can be found in our bulletin & on the website.

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Series: Good Fruit

Title: God is Gathering Together Heaven, Earth, and People for Greater Fruitfulness



Service Time: 10am

Scripture: Ezekiel 36:1-15

Date: **July 7, 2024**

[CHURCH FAMILY UPDATES]

Our prayers and condolences to **Bert and Coby** and **Pete and Evelyn Busink** on the loss of Bert and Pete's sister **Nella Venema** from Abbotsford. A service in celebration of Nella's life will be held at New Life CRC (35270 Delair Rd, Abbotsford) on

Thurs, July 11 at 1pm. Please keep them in prayer Pray for **Albert Vandermey** who is leaving for Holland for 3 months to be with his son **Jim** who will undergo surgery. Pray for safety in his travels and for successful surgery for Jim.

Please pray for **Tina DeRuiter** who remains in hospital after suffering a bad fall. Tina has since received hip surgery and that went well. Continue to pray for healing from her broken bones and that God provide her strength so she may return home. Continued prayers for **Bill Lucas** who also suffered a fall. Pray for healing.

Pray for those whose illness and heath conditions are ongoing and for those who support them. Pray for families having to make hard decisions regarding medical care for their loved ones. As we are faced with hard decisions, pray we may seek our Lord first, knowing He will put all the pieces into place.

Camp Firelight (VBS) begins this week Monday— Friday from 9-12pm. Pray that God's love flow through us and to those around us. Pray that the children in attendance will learn to put their faith in our Heavenly Father and that Fleetwood CRC may come alongside our community to offer support and be God's hands and feet.

As many families are on summer holidays, pray for their safety, that God may bless their time together **[DIRECTORY UPDATE]**

Terry Van Dorp #215 9002 158 Street, Surrey, BC V4N 5G4. Cell number only 778-888-7618. New email: terryvandorp38@gmail.com

[ENCOURAGEMENT & THANKS] Thank you to all who attended our annual community summer sale this past Saturday. It was a wonderful time spent in community! Proceeds of the sale went to supporting Good Shepherd's youth fundraiser for Guatemala, Fleetwood CRC's support to our partners in Zambia, and to our youth program.

[TODAY'S OFFERING]

WORLD RENEW - responds to urgent needs around the world. It works in partnership with other agencies to provide food, tools and crisis counseling. World Renew works in 6000 of the world's poorest communities. The goal is to help communities to develop in positive and lasting ways. World Renew does not receive ministry shares, and is dependent on the gifts of God's people to support it. Visit their website here for more information. You may give your offering to the church or online.

[OFFERINGS FOR JULY 2024]

JULY 7: World Renew

JULY 14: FCRC Summer Outreach Interns

JULY 21: Pregnancy Options Center

JULY 28: The Well (Kelowna)

[THIS WEEK AT FLEETWOOD CRC]

SUN, JULY 7: Worship 10am (*in-person and online*) **MON, JULY 8:** Camp Firelight begins!! 9-12pm, Drop In Soccer 7pm @ Woodland Park Elementary

TUES, JULY 9: Camp Firelight 9-12pm

WED, JULY 10: Camp Firelight 9-12pm, AA 7-8pm **THURS, JULY 11:** Camp Firelight 9-12pm, Kingdom Life Community Church Fireside Room 7-10pm

FRI, JULY 12: Camp Firelight 9-12pm

[COMING UP]

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP: This Sunday we continue our worship series titled '*Good Fruit: God's plan for human flourishing.*' This week we will look at Ezekiel 36:8-12 and how caring for creation makes us fruitful in a way that brings glory to God. We will also share in communion together.

PLEASE NOTE: Sarah will be on vacation from June 26-July 8th. Should you have any worship related questions, please contact the office

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP: Children's Church is on break for the summer. Children our invited to use the activity bags located in the fellowship hall. If you are a guest with us this morning, there are bags labelled "guest" to share with your children. Our nursery is available to preschoolers to age 5, over the summer months and they are welcome to come upstairs after the children's message.

BABY SHOWER: Join us in celebrating parents to be Natasha and Yemi in a potluck style baby shower on Saturday, July 27 from 10-Noon at Fleetwood CRC. To contribute to this shower, please bring a brunch item to share, or if you wish to give a gift, visit their unique registry https://www.encorebabyregistry.com/registry/natashas-baby/. All are welcome.

MONDAY NIGHT SOCCER: Join us Monday, July 8 at 7pm at Woodland Park Elementary School. All ages and skill levels welcome!

[COMMUNITY NEWS]

1LIFE NEWSLETTER: Please take a moment to read a copy of <u>1Life Foundation's latest newsletter</u>. Find many opportunities and events to consider.

WORLD RENEW VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: For individual adults, couples, or church groups to help in areas impacted by disasters. These one-week trips include home repair and cleanup projects that give vulnerable homeowners a chance to rebuild their lives. Learn more—worldrenew.net/volunteer.

DIRECTOR OF PRETEENS & YOUTH MINISTRY:

Willoughby CRC in Langley is seeking to hire a Director of Preteens & Youth Ministry for 25-30 hrs per week. The Director of Preteens & Youth Ministries is called to be an exemplar and spiritual leader who will help to inspire the WCRC young people to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. A full job description for this position is available by clicking here. For more information or to apply please contact info@willoughbychurch.com (604) 530-5959.

LEADING IN WORSHIP - JULY 7, 2024

A/V BOOTH: Simon V. (Sound), Camden B. (Camera), Wendy V. (Projection) MUSIC: Natasha V. (Piano), Seth S. (Guitar), Graham B. (Drums), Greg B. (Bass), Natasha B. (Vocals)

PREACHER: Justin Roukema