

CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2597 Bourquin Crescent East, Abbotsford B.C. V2S 1Y6

Easter/ Resurrection Sunday

April 4, 2010 9:15 a.m.

Prelude Lorraine Kandal
Welcome Sharing the congregational life

Song *Here I am to worship*
Call to worship Job 19: 23-27 (NRSV) / Easter liturgy
*Hymn *Jesus Christ is risen today*

*Prayers of adoration and confession

*Songs *Amazing love*
Lord, I lift Your name on high
He is exalted

Welcome friends and family into the household of faith

*Song He is Lord (twice)

Reading I Corinthians 15:1-8, 12-20, 35-44, 50-58
~ Miriam Fleming

*Song *He lives*

Scripture Reading Mark 15: 42-16: 8 (NRSV) p. 54 (p. 76 large print)

Message **Easter Sunday's children**
Pastor Hans Kouwenberg

*Song *Alleluia, Alleluia*

Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession
followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/ sin against us]

Offering - Offertory
*Doxology - Prayer *Give thanks*

*Hymn *Thine be the glory* #258

*Benediction *Peace be yours*

*Postlude Lorraine Kandal

**Please stand or sit, as you are able*



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WE WORSHIP GOD IN PRAISE

Call to worship Job 19: 23-27 (NRSV) / Easter liturgy
*Hymn *Jesus Christ is risen today* #243
*Prayers of adoration and confession
Choir *He is risen - by Price/ Besig*

WE WORSHIP GOD IN LISTENING

Welcome friends and family into the household of faith
*Song He is Lord (twice) #252
Reading I Corinthians 15:1-8, 12-20, 35-44, 50-58
~ Ken Baker
*Hymn *He lives* [insert]
Scripture Reading Mark 15: 42-16: 8 (NRSV) p. 54 (p. 76 large print)
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WE WORSHIP GOD IN RESPONSE

*Song *Alleluia, Alleluia* #260
Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession
followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/ sin against us]
Offering - Offertory
*Doxology (#830) - Prayer
*Hymn *Thine be the glory* #258
*Benediction *Three fold Amen* #780
*Postlude Veronika Klassen

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TODAY

11 am **John and Miriam Fleming's series of studies on "The Holy Land"** - meets in the lower meeting hall

THIS WEEK

MONDAY - APRIL 5

9:30 am **Calvin Clappers** handbell group practice in the worship area
7:30 pm **Ladies Bible Study at Irene Smorenburg's home**
#224-2451 Gladwin Road. Studying **"The Remarkable Women of the Bible"** by Elizabeth George.
Please call **Irene** at 604-859-1762. Join us!

TUESDAY - APRIL 6

10 am **Prayer chain** meets in the upper meeting room
2 pm **Guild Executive meeting** in the upper meeting room
6:30 - 9 pm **Downtown Street Ministry** - lower meeting hall.
Carole Sookdeo, Coordinator (604-852-3171)
7:30 pm **Presbytery meeting** at Gordon Presbyterian Church
7457 Edmonds Street, Burnaby

WEDNESDAY - APRIL 7

10-11:30 am **Friends and Coffee Social** postponed until next week, April 14.
7 pm **Bible Study** at Margaret Allan's home - 3719 Nootka Street, Abbotsford - 604-853-6623. On the topic of **"Heaven"** (Randy Alcorn's book and study guide.) **Join us!**
7 pm **Youth Group** - Contact Katherine Allan
7 pm **Facilities Committee meeting** in the upper meeting room

THURSDAY - APRIL 8

10 am **Pastor Hans' Bible study** in the upper meeting room
11:15 am **Mission and Outreach Team meeting** - upper meeting room
1 pm **Guild business meeting**
1:30 pm **Knitting Bee** for all knitters of "pneumonia-prevention vests" for Malawi and India. Please bring any finished articles and work in progress. Non-knitters are very welcome. Refreshments provided.
7:30 pm **Choir practice** - worship area
7:30 pm **Session meeting** in the upper meeting room.
Elders: Some reports are available for pickup today

SATURDAY - APRIL 10

8 am **Men's Fellowship Breakfast** at the Roseland Restaurant
33550 South Fraser Way. Guest Speaker: **Ivan Djonov**.

NOTES

We welcome submissions to the **Calvin Chat**, our church family newsletter. **Future editions** will include items such as: Helpful Hints, My Favourite Recipe, Biographical Sketch, This and That - Happenings around Calvin Church, Inspirational Corner and Book Review. If you have any new submissions relating to these headlines, please give them to **Peter Rigden** at peter.rigden@gmail.com or drop them off in the office.

Camp Douglas is the place to be this summer! Camp provides a safe and challenging program in a Christ-centred environment helping to develop an appreciation of God's creation. **Join us! Brochures** in the front entrance or sign up online at www.campdouglas.ca.

Camp Douglas has a bunch of fresh programs planned for this summer: Family Camp, Fine Arts Camp, Leaders-in-Training Camp, and a whole mess of other camps aimed at cooking up strong connections between campers and Christ. A vital ingredient for any successful camp is **FOOD** - and behind all good food is a **GREAT COOK!** Camp Douglas is on the lookout for just such a person ... do you know someone who likes to show their love for Jesus Christ by serving up a fantastic meal? Someone who salivates at the opportunity to feed small crowds of hungry children? Someone who can commit time during July and August to cooking up a storm? If you are this person or know someone who is, please contact Rebecca "Bert" Simpson at Camp Douglas: campdouglas@telus.ca.

The **Guild** is asking for your **favourite recipes, graces, blessings, Bible verses and food related jokes and poems** for inclusion in a **congregational cookbook**. You can drop them off in a box in the office or place them in **Elizabeth Harrison's** mailbox folder in the front entrance. Proceeds will go to the new building fund - kitchen area.



*Following Jesus doesn't get us where we want to go. It gets us to where Jesus goes, where we meet him in Resurrection surprise:
"My Lord and my God!"
Eugene Peterson, The Jesus Way*

Please pray for and speak with **Sarah Smith** as she prepares to go on a “**Youth In Mission**” trip to **Malawi, Africa**, for the month of May. The Presbyterian Church in Canada, Youth in Mission, sends young adults to Malawi to witness the relationship the Presbyterian Church has there, and the work Presbyterian World Service and Development workers are doing to combat hunger, poverty and HIV/AIDS. The first part of the trip, Sarah will spend at the Likhubula House where children orphaned by HIV/AIDS live and are educated. The second half will be spent with a family from a local congregation.

Sarah will be **fundraising for this trip** by holding a bottle drive during the month of April. If you have any **bottles, cans, juice boxes, etc**, please bring them on Sundays to the west door and place them in Ron’s blue truck. **Thank you for your help!**



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TAIWAN

Our gifts to *Presbyterians Sharing* support Louise Gamble as she teaches English to students at Tam Kang High School, a private Christian school in Tamsui, Taiwan. Tam Kang seeks to present a strong Christian image to all of its students. It has been developing a strong English language program, and many of the senior students can converse easily in English. Louise teaches conversation classes to several grades, as well as some Biblical courses to senior classes and teachers at the school. She writes, “My Bible classes for teachers are quite popular. Participants have doubled this semester. Curiosity is growing, and I am always surprised and stimulated and challenged by the questions of those who haven’t read the Bible.”



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We **WARMLY WELCOME YOU** to this service of worship! If you are a visitor, or would like a visit, please let us know of your presence or any request on a blue welcome card, and place it on the offering plate. *Thank you.*

PRAYER in preparation for the services held in Pastor Hans’ office at 9:00 am.

The **GREETERS** at the 9:15 service are **Peter and Nic Funk** and **Jean Grant and Bessie Price** at the 11 am service. Thank you to **Ron Smith and Art Vanden Eykel** for taking care of our building security.

Large-print copies of our **HYMNBOOK, BIBLES (NRSV)** and **SONGS OF PRAISE** may be picked up from the shelf at the back of the worship space, and **HEARING ASSISTANCE HEADSETS** from their pocket in the entry hall. Please return them after each service. Thank you!

In an effort to increase the **security measures** of Calvin Church, the **west door will be locked** during each Worship Service.

Welcome to **Veronika Klassen**, our new organist and choir accompanist , to the worship service today.



The **flowers** today are provided by **Terry Szabo and her family** for all those who can’t be with us today.



We invite **EVERYONE** to gather downstairs between the services for **REFRESHMENTS** prepared by **Philippa and Richard Hay**.



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household of faith at Calvin Church

at 9:15 am:

- **by profession of faith:**
Andrew (Andy) Kiss
Jo-Ann Kiss
Jordan Kiss
- **by reaffirmation of faith:**
Kevin Poland (from Langley Presbyterian Church)
- **by transfer:**
Maria Bitter from Christ Community Christian Reformed Church, Victoria, BC
Fred Dees from Cornerstone Christian Reformed Church, Chilliwack, BC

at 11 am:

- **by profession of faith and baptism:**
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