

## CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

*Palm/ Passion Sunday*

April 17, 2011 9:15 a.m.

Prelude	Lorraine Kandal
Welcome	Sharing the congregational life
*Song	<i>Hosanna</i> (children's processional)
Call to worship	Isaiah 30: 18-21 (NRSV) Palm/ Passion Sunday Liturgy (insert in bulletin)
*Song	<i>Lift up your heads</i>
*Prayers of adoration and confession	
*Songs	<i>All hail King Jesus</i> <i>Forever</i> <i>Sing to the King</i> <i>King of Kings</i>
Story time	<b>From parade to pariah</b> - Pastor Hans
Musical interlude	Kid Connect - Preschool to Grade 6
Responsive Reading	Psalms 118: 1-4, 19-29 (NRSV) p. 565 (p. 857 large print) ~ John Fleming
*Song	<i>This is the day</i> (Ps.118)
Scripture Readings	Mark 11: 1-11 (NRSV) p. 47 (p. 66 large print)
Message	<b>Welcoming the King</b> Pastor Hans Kouwenberg
*Hymn	<i>Come, children, join to sing</i> #377
Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession	followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/sin against us]
Offering - Offertory	
*Doxology - Prayer	<i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow</i>
*Hymn	<i>Hosanna, loud hosanna</i> #218
*Benediction	<i>May the peace of God</i>
*Postlude	Lorraine Kandal
	<i>*Please stand or sit, as you are able</i>

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April 17, 2011 11 a.m.

Prelude	Veronika Klassen
Welcome	Sharing the congregational life

### WE WORSHIP GOD IN PRAISE

Call to worship	Isaiah 30: 18-21 (NRSV) Palm/ Passion Sunday Liturgy (insert in bulletin)
*Hymn	<i>All glory, laud and honour</i> #214
*Prayers of adoration and confession	
Choir	<i>Now sing we all Hosanna!</i> - by Price/Besig

### WE WORSHIP GOD IN LISTENING

Story time	<b>From parade to pariah</b> - Pastor Hans
*Hymn	<i>Ride on, ride on in majesty</i> #217
Responsive Reading	Psalms 118: 1-4, 19-29 (NRSV) p. 565 (p. 857 large print) ~ Margaret Rowley
*Song	<i>This is the day</i> (Ps.118) #78
Scripture Readings	Mark 11: 1-11 (NRSV) p. 47 (p. 66 large print)
Message	<b>Welcoming the King</b> Pastor Hans Kouwenberg

### WE WORSHIP GOD IN RESPONSE

*Hymn	<i>Come, children, join to sing</i> #377
Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession	followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/sin against us]
Offering - Offertory	
*Doxology - Prayer	<i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow</i> #830
*Hymn	<i>Hosanna, loud hosanna</i> #218
*Benediction	<i>Threefold Amen</i> #780
*Postlude	Veronika Klassen

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

## THIS WEEK

### MONDAY - APRIL 18

- 9:30 am Calvin Clappers handbells practice today.  
7 pm Ladies Bible Study at Dorothy Vivian's home -  
#121-2451 Gladwin Road, Abbotsford (604-850-5331), studying  
"The Remarkable Women of the Bible" by Elizabeth George.  
7 pm Finance Committee meeting in the upper meeting room

### TUESDAY - APRIL 19

- 10:30 am-12:30 pm Ladies Bible Study at Margaret Allan's home -  
3719 Nootka Street, Abbotsford - 604-853-6623  
"Grace: An Invitation to a Way of Life."  
6:30 - 9 pm Downtown Street Ministry - lower meeting hall,  
Carole Sookdeo, Coordinator (604-852-3171).

### WEDNESDAY - APRIL 20

- 10 am Friends and Coffee Social meet in the lower meeting hall.  
All welcome! Bring a friend!

### THURSDAY - APRIL 21

- 10 am Pastor Hans' Bible study in the upper meeting room.  
7:30 pm Choir practice in the worship area.  
7:30 pm Langley Presbyterian Church (20867 44th Ave) invites you to  
their annual Tenebrae service on Maundy Thursday. The  
service is a meditation on the dark, final days of Jesus' life as he  
made his journey towards the Cross.

### GOOD FRIDAY - APRIL 22

- 10 am Holy Communion and Children's Program.  
Hot cross buns, coffee and tea to follow, provided by "Heart  
and Soul".  
3 pm 7 Last Words - Pacific Spirit Choir and String Quartet celebrate  
Easter with the music of Haydn. Bakerview Church -  
2285 Clearbrook Road. \$10 at the door.

## COMING EVENTS

### EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 24

- 7 am Lakeside Service - Mill Lake at John Mahoney Park. Pancake  
breakfast following, provided by the Fleming's.  
9:15 & 11 am Easter Services and reception of new members.



### FRIDAY - APRIL 29

- 6 pm Missions Awareness Weekend. Please join us for dinner and  
dessert (provided). A signup sheet is posted in the front  
entrance and in the lower hall. Our guest speaker will be  
Barb Burchert of the Mustard Seed Ministry, helping to meet  
the needs of women in the Philippines.

### SUNDAY - MAY 1

- 9:15 & 11 am Barb Burchert will be sharing a message.

Fabric for Barb Burchert - Barb Burchert, of the Action International's Mustard Seed Ministry to young women and their families in the Philippines, will be a familiar featured speaker at our upcoming Missions weekend April 29<sup>th</sup> to May 1<sup>st</sup>. Some of you have been collecting fabrics, quilt squares and fabric, baby blankets and clothing and craft materials that she might take back to the Philippines with her. Please contact **Margaret Allan at (604) 853-6623** to arrange for dropping those items at her home, the collection point, or to have her pick them up from you. Margaret will also be glad to receive any items at church this coming Sunday, April 24<sup>th</sup>. Please act promptly as the Missions weekend is soon here! Thank you.

### SUNDAY - MAY 1

- 2:30 pm Praise Festival at Langley Presbyterian Church - 20867-44 Ave.  
Langley. Come sing praise songs and hear choir anthems, solos,  
duets and instrumentalists. Calvin will be participating.

### SATURDAY - MAY 7

- 5:30 pm Camp Douglas Fundraising dinner - see leaflet

### SATURDAY - APRIL 30

- All day Camp Douglas Work Party - see leaflet

### SUNDAY - MAY 8

- 8 & 9:15 am Mother's Day Breakfast - Commencing Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup>,  
representatives of the Men's Breakfast Fellowship will be in the  
front lobby of the church to give breakfast passes to Mom's and  
to sell breakfast tickets to all others. Price of a ticket will be \$5.  
On Mother's Day those with passes or tickets will be entitled to  
a First Service breakfast between 8 and 9 am or a Second  
Service breakfast between 9:15 and 10:15 am

## NOTES

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!  
CELEBRATION FOR PASTOR HANS KOUWENBERG  
RETIREMENT LUNCHEON BUFFET  
JUNE 11, 2011  
12 - 4 PM  
AT CASCADE CULINARY ARTS SCHOOL  
35190 DeLAIR ROAD, ABBOTSFORD, BC

Please check your mailboxes in the front entrance for your invitation to **Pastor Hans' Retirement Celebration**. Please RSVP to the **Planning Committee** by May 1<sup>st</sup>. **Tickets are on sale now.** Anybody requiring a ride to this event, please contact **Richard Hay** (604-859-8161)

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### WELCOME

to all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who sin and need a Saviour;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
to all who struggle and desire victory;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who are new and want fellowship;  
to all who come,  
Calvin Church opens wide its doors and offers welcome  
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

We grieve with **Dorothy Vivian** in the sudden loss of her second son, **Blake** (who often worshipped with her at Calvin), on Thursday, April 7, at the age of 57. He lived in North Vancouver. He is survived by his older brother, **Neil (Barbara)**, of Campbell River, and younger sisters, **Anne Marie (David) McGillivray**, of Abbotsford, and **Cindy (Walter Bailas)**, of Orillia, ON, and their families. Blake was also predeceased by a younger brother, **Ian**, at the age of 18 years, in a motorcycle accident. A remembrance of Blake will be held today at his church, meeting in St. Michael's Anglican, North Vancouver, at 6 pm, as part of their regular worship service. Blake helped us with the Guild silverware purchase and the planning for the new church building kitchen.

**Both Chuol** has requested that Calvin Church sponsor his mother and step son as immigrants to Canada from Sudan. Session is favourably inclined to support this request.. If you would like to participate or have any questions, please contact **Ann Friesen, Clerk of Session**. (We have sent some school supplies to their son, **Subit**, still in Sudan.)

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 **Harold and Shirley Swanson** and **Bernice Lapworth and Irene Smorenburg** at the 11 am service. Thank you to **Andy Kiss** and **Ken Baker** 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!

The **flowers** today are provided by  
**Linda Benzel** (friend of Miriam Fleming)  
in loving memory of her son,  
**Gordon**,  
who passed away in 1970, at the age of 18 months.



We invite **EVERYONE** to gather downstairs between the services for **REFRESHMENTS** prepared by **Virgil and Sharon Bloom**.

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**NICARAGUA: Mike Birks**

*Presbyterians Sharing* supports Mike Birks, a Young Adult Intern working in Nicaragua with The Council of Protestant Churches in Nicaragua (CEPAD). CEPAD serves poor communities by promoting justice and peace and helping communities improve their quality of life. Mike is working with one of CEPAD's new agricultural projects in Jinotega. He is helping to set up a small company to sell certified, good-quality, indigenous bean seeds to local farmers. Mike is helping create a marketing plan for the seeds, under the company name Demitierra Frijoles CEPAD. He is also responsible for tracking the results of this project to determine whether or not it will be a viable option to continue, and possibly expand, in the future.

**Sarah Smith** travelled with **Mike** to Malawi last May 2010.