

CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

7th Sunday after Pentecost

July 11, 2010 10 a.m.

Prelude	Lorraine Kandal	
Welcome	Sharing the congregational life	
Song	<i>Befriended</i>	
Call to worship	Ephesians 4: 1-6 (NRSV)	
*Hymn	<i>The church's one foundation (vv. 1-2, 4-5)</i>	#479
*Prayers of adoration and confession		
*Songs	<i>Above all Celebrate the Lord of love Everlasting God</i>	
Story time	Pastor Hans	
Musical interlude	Summer Kids Connect – "Rough Waves? Jesus Saves!"	
Responsive Reading	Psalm 122 (NRSV) p. 571 (p. 868 large print) ~ Jo-Ann Kiss	
*Song	<i>We bring the sacrifice of praise</i>	
Scripture Reading	Colossians 4: 10-14 (NRSV) p. 202 (p. 291 large print)	
Message	Fullness in Fellowship (II) Pastor Hans Kouwenberg	
*Song	<i>Blest be the tie that binds</i>	#481
Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession		
	followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/sin against us]	
Offering		
*Doxology - Prayer	<i>Alleluia, alleluia</i>	
*Song	<i>We are one in the Spirit</i>	
*Benediction	<i>Father, make us one</i>	
*Postlude	Lorraine Kandal	

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

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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 9:45 am.

The **GREETERS** this morning are **Karan and Carole Sookdeo**. Thank you to **Andy Kiss** 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.



The **flowers** today are provided to the glory of God.

We invite **EVERYONE** to gather downstairs between the services for **REFRESHMENTS** prepared by **John and Miriam Fleming**.



Thank you to **Pat Rigden** for leading the children's Summer Kids Connect program ("**Rough Waves? Jesus Saves!**") during the month of July!





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MALAWI

Our gifts to *Presbyterians Sharing* support Linda Inglis as she works with the Church of Central Africa Presbyterian's Blantyre Synod in Malawi. Linda helps the Synod host visitors from various church partnerships from around the world. She works with the Synod General Secretary and various committees to plan programs that will engage partners effectively in the mission work of the synod. She writes, "Mission visits help people witness the wonderful faith and joy of Christians in the synod, and awaken people to the realities faced by everyday people in one of the world's poorest countries." Let us pray for Linda as she continues this important work with our partner church in Malawi.



NOTES

Pastor Hans is pleased to announce that **Ms. Perrie Peverall** has accepted the position of **Spiritual Care Practitioner/ Chaplain for the Abbotsford Regional Hospital and Langley Memorial Hospital**. This newly created position is a joint initiative of the Abbotsford and Langley Faith communities and Fraser Health, working two days a week in Abbotsford and one day a week in Langley. Perrie is well qualified for this position. She worked at Surrey Memorial Hospital as the Spiritual Care Practitioner/ Chaplain for over 15 years from 1994-2009. She and her husband attend Bakerview MB Church. No doubt she will be available to train our church visitors. **Pastor Hans** believes this is a good outcome after a long process of many consultations.

Out of consideration for the health of **Susan Swanney**, Coordinator of Pastoral Care, Session has placed her on indefinite medical leave. We ask you **not** to contact her about church pastoral care issues but, of course, we encourage you to keep in touch with Susan and continue to visit her. (Please bring your pastoral concerns to Pastor Hans or to your elder.)

Katherine Allan has indicated she would like to be relieved of your **Youth Coordinator** duties to spend more time on her final academic semester, as of June 30. Session has agreed to appoint **Sarah Smith**, contingent on a satisfactory interview, to take on these duties as well as Children's Coordinator duties as of September 1. We are **thankful to Katherine** for her work with our young people.

Also, **Lorraine Kandal** has indicated she would like to be relieved of her **Worship Coordinator** duties to spend more time with her aging father, as of August 31; but she will continue to play piano for our services. Session has appointed **Don Blaak**, following a satisfactory interview, to take over the Worship Coordinator duties starting September 1.

Peter Rigden is requesting articles for submission to the next edition of the **Calvin Chat**, our church newsletter, under the following headlines:

- A Book Review
- Happenings Around Calvin Church
- Inspirational Corner
- This and That
- Helpful Hints
- Favourite Recipes
- Biographical Snapshot.

Thank you.

Please help yourself to a copy of "**The Scottish Reformation**", found on the table in the front entrance. These booklets were handed out at General Assembly and Pastor Hans' friend, Don McLeod, sent some along for those interested.

Michele Martin is seeking more volunteers to help with the coffee ministry (requires a total of 45-60 minutes of your time once every 3 - 4 months). Please give Michele a call at 604-853-3756. To those of you who are already serving in this ministry, we give a big **THANK YOU** for your time, energy and devotion. If you are currently helping with the coffee time and are unable to do so next year, please also call Michele.



New schedules will be in your mailboxes in the front entrance once they are developed at the end of the summer. Also, if you would like to **bring a cake** to share at the coffee time to celebrate a special occasion, please kindly inform those who are preparing coffee a week in advance. Thank you for your help.

The minutes of the **Annual General Meeting**, held March 14, are displayed on the bulletin boards in the front entrance and lower meeting hall.

General Assembly 2010 - Sydney, Nova Scotia.

Part 3: Briefing sessions 1

The first full day of the Assembly was given over to the various committees and agencies of the church. The purpose of briefing sessions was to discuss with committees their reports and recommendations and to give commissioners an opportunity to question any other aspect of their responsibilities. Committees were grouped together into 10 sessions, out of which we could choose five. One of my choices was the Committee on Church Architecture and the Presbyterian Church Building Corporation. Now that may sound rather dull to you but I was interested to hear what help these two committees could give to churches planning construction of a new building. The plans that our architect drew up for our new Worship and Ministry Centre have already been approved by the Committee on Church Architecture but I was particularly keen to find out what grants and loans might be available to us for our new building project. It seems that we may apply for an interest-free loan of up to \$100,000.

Ann Friesen, Clerk of Session, and Representative Elder to Presbytery



PRAYER REQUEST FOR YOUTH!

We rejoice with the following children and youth as they attend and work at Camp Douglas this summer. Please pray for them as they experience God in the beautiful setting of our church camp:

Luke Blaak	Adrian Kiss (and friend Quinn)
Trevor Blaak	Jordan Kiss
Janine Bradley (Fleming)	Breanne Robinson-Fleming
Sager Bradley (Fleming)	Alex Scott
Gai Chuol	Michelle Scott
Nyawurh Chuol	Taylor Sigurdson
Alicia Epp	Hannah Smith
Caden Epp	Sarah Smith
Taralee Epp	
Kiera Houtby	
(and grandma Margaret)	



CHRISTMAS IN JULY: Samaritan's Purse "Operation Christmas Child"

Samaritan's Purse goes to the remote corners of the world to bring **joy, hope** and the **message of God's love** to millions of boys and girls who are the victims of war, disease, disaster and poverty.

We encourage you to **start your shoeboxes now**, when there are summer items available in the stores, such as flip flips, t-shirts and summer toys.

One of our members has already completed **35 boxes!** The shoeboxes are available in the front entrance. Be sure to pick up a **leaflet** to learn about what gifts are most suitable. The collection date is in November.

If you find it hard to make up a box, **yet still want to help**, you can make a gift of money for supplies to be purchased and packed by others. (Donations may be made to Calvin Church, marked "shoeboxes".)



JOSHUA HOUSE:

Joshua House Ministries supports men in recovery homes. For more information, please look at their website at

www.yahwehsavesrecovery.ca.

Summer requests include (please place items in the marked basket in the front entrance):

- Toiletries (toothbrushes and paste, razors and shaving cream)
- Gently used towels

Please contact Margaret Houtby at 604-859-6292, if you have any questions. Thank you.