

CENTENNIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A caring Christian fellowship called by God to serve

Christ in and through our community

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Welcome

Welcome to worship at Centennial today. Please take a moment to sign the “Friendship Registry” when it is passed so we may greet each other personally. All are invited downstairs for refreshments following the service.

November 6, 2022

10:30am

Order of Service

Hymn Request Time

Entry of the Word

Welcome

Call to Worship (Please stand if you are able)

Time of Praise

SB 134 Come, Now is the Time to Worship

SB 33 God Will Make a Way

SB 136 Draw Me Close

Prayers and the Lord's Prayer

Assurance of Pardon

Time of Remembrance

Prayer

Last Post

Doug Zacharias

Moment of Silence

Reveille

Announcements The life of the Congregation

Church Family Celebrations

Children's Time

Hymn

BP 650 He Leadeth Me

BP 496 Thy Word

Scripture Exodus 16:2-11

Reader: Jim Broadwell

Sermon **LOST IN THE WILDERNESS**

Offering

Dedication of the Offering

BP 663 God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending
(tune: Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken)

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord's Supper

The Invitation to the Table

Communion Hymn

BP 553 May The Lord Bless You

The Apostles' Creed Book of Praise #539

The Prayer of Thanksgiving Book of Praise #564

The Lord's Supper

(Our bread is gluten free and our wine is grape juice)

Hymn

SB 200 Revive Us Again

Benediction and Choral Commissioning

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Prayer Counsellors are available by telephone. Please contact the church office.

CENTENNIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Services/Events:

Nov. 6	Daylight Savings Time ends Communion Remembrance Day Service
Nov. 9	Board, 7:00 pm
Nov. 13-18	Shoesboxes to church
Nov. 20	Dedication of Shoeboxes Presbytery Visit
Nov. 23	FISH Network meeting, 7:00, zoom
Nov. 27	Registration deadline for Dec. 7 Family Dinner Night
Nov. 29	Worship Committee, 11:00 am, church Session, 7:00 pm

	Today:	Next Week:
Duty Elders:	Cletus Chesami Richard Crowe	Daniel Edie Pride Muma
A/V:	Joe Peter	Portia Falgui
Reader:	Jim Broadwell	Madlin Muma
Nursery:	Judith Fongeh	Annie Edie
Coffee Hour:	Margaret McCord Phyllis Russell	Joyce Kim Wennie Baquir

Please keep Val and Tony Singh, and Lovell Small in your prayers, as Val is in Foothills Hospital.

It's **SHOEBOX** time!!!

If you are making a donation to help with the cost of the shoebox, please place it in an envelope with your number, note that it is for the Shoeboxes and place it in the offering plate. It will be assigned properly. Please return them to the office by Nov. 13-18 so the Mission Team can get them to Samaritan's Purse on time. You will find an extensive gift suggestion list in the October Newsletter. **When you return the shoeboxes, bring them to the office and place on the chair beside the filing cabinet.**

When returning the Shoeboxes, PLEASE mark the gender and age group on the label taped to the top of the box. We have several that have been turned in with no markings.

The Board and Session have recognized that our financial situation needs to be addressed. The Board has had to withdraw funds from our investment twice in 2022 in order to keep meeting our financial obligations. Although many committees have not spent their budgeted funds in the past two years, that will undoubtedly change as we return to pre-pandemic life. At a recent joint meeting, it was agreed that we ask the members of the congregation to give an additional offering to help alleviate our shortfall in offerings. On the bulletin board at the back of the sanctuary, you will see a blue poster. On the poster there are envelopes with cards inside which designate a specific amount ranging from \$25-\$100. There are also blank cards which you can use for any amount. Take a card, add that amount to your regular offering and place the card on the offering plate with your offering. This will indicate to the Board that 'someone' has made a special offering. And we thank you. If you have questions, speak to a Board member.

There have been some inquiries as to how people can help with the expenses of the Family Dinner Night. You can contribute by putting your donation in an envelope, marked with your number and "Family Dinner Night", put it into the offering plate and it will be attributed appropriately.

Session Notes

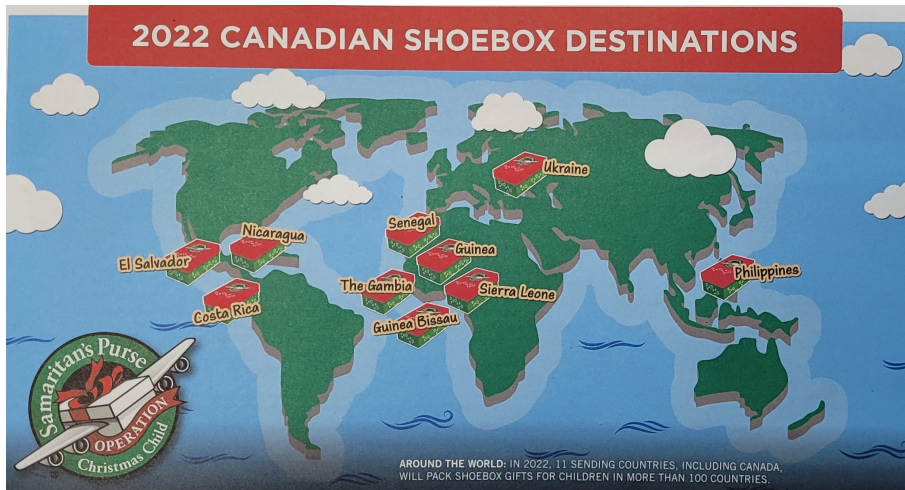
- The session is looking at revamping our current committee structure to reduce the number of active committees. The resulting committees will be given clear goals and objectives in a manner that progress and effectiveness can be evaluated and changes made where necessary.
- The regular Presbytery Visitation, to assess the health of our congregation, will be held on Sunday, November 20th. These visitations happen every 2 to 3 years and usually consist of a small team of Presbyters who talk with the Minister, Session and Board of Managers.
- An ongoing fundraiser has been approved to help with our depleted finances.
- The Mission team has heard from the refugee sponsorship program that members of our third sponsored family may arrive before the 2nd family. Three of the six people sponsored in the third family have received their interviews and medical clearances. Plans are in place for any arrival in the next few months. Government officials have not been in contact with the second family at this time.
- The job posting deadline for a Youth Pastor has passed and the committee is moving to the interview phase.

Fellowship/Coffee hour has resumed! We can always use more volunteers. If you are interested, please contact Phyllis Russell (403-313-7357) to let us know.

If it suits your talents, **volunteers are still required for help in the A/V department**, with powerpoint operation, video operator, and in other areas.

When you enter the sanctuary, you are invited to spend a few moments praying for God's blessing on the congregation and all who are participating in the service.

*Please ensure that your cell phone is off or on vibrate during worship.
Thank you.*



This map shows the locations where Samaritan's Purse delivers Shoeboxes. There are some new areas receiving these gifts this year as well. This way you can see where your donations are going.