



"Jesus replied, 'Let us go somewhere else – to the nearby villages – so I can preach there also. That is why I have come.' "Mark 1:38

Welcome & Announcements

Offering (Online Giving)

Congregational Prayer for Ukraine

Build My Life Who You Say I Am

Time of Personal Reflection and Prayer

Just As I Am, Roger Dahl O Come To The Altar \*

"Becoming the Body of Christ, Pt. 4 -

Invitation to a Journey: What does our call as disciples in 2022 look like?"

— Pastor Becky Hanson

Benediction

Postlude

<sup>\*</sup> Children, ages 3-5th grade, will be dismissed to Children's Church.

### **EVENTS THIS WEEK \*\***

**TODAY:** 9:30 am The Gathering with Bagels and Beverages (Dining Room)

9:45 am Prayer Room for anyone needing prayer with the pastors

10 am Worship Service (in person and on Facebook)

https://www.facebook.com/ElimChurchMpls/live

11:15 am-Noon Sunday Connections, Adult, Youth and Children's Ministry Options

\*\*Masks are not required for attendees at Elim. As always, please take any precautions to protect your health and the health of others.

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**Mon-Fri:** 12 noon Noon Online Prayer Meeting

URL: <a href="https://meet.google.com/ast-cxmh-ykk">https://meet.google.com/ast-cxmh-ykk</a>
Phone: +1 401-684-3085 PIN: 724 649 481#

**Tues:** 10 am Women's Tuesday Study on the book of Mark at the online link above

6:30-8:30 pm Leadership Team Meeting in the Library

**Wed**: 6-7 pm Re-Covering in God Bible Study

6:30-8 pm Youth Group meeting

6:30-8 pm GriefShare to begin in the Lounge

Fri: 8-9:30 am Men's Bible Study online

**Sat:** 8-10 am Hope Avenue Ministry

9:30-11am Kidz Klozet and The Unlimited clothing giveaway

Save the date (check the events page for information that may be available):

~~ Sun, 4/10-17 Holy Week Activities

~~Tues, 4/19, 6:30-8:30 pm Leadership Team Meeting in the Library

~~ Sun, 4/24, 11:15am-12pm Annual Business Meeting

~~ Sun, 5/1 6Friends meet across the congregation

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### **UPCOMING EVENTS and NEWS**

## **EASTER BUDDIES - keep praying!**

Do you have an encouraging prayer or scripture verse you'd like to anonymously share with your Elim Kid/Youth? Handwritten cards or notes addressed to your buddy can be given to Melanie Eslinger at the piano on Sundays for distribution. You can also feel free to email messages to <a href="mailto:ElimEasterBuddies@gmail.com">ElimEasterBuddies@gmail.com</a> and they will be delivered for you.

As we look around Elim we see old and new faces. To help us all reconnect and get to know each other, we are introducing *6Friends*, beginning Sunday, May 1. Let's shake it up a bit: this will be a 2 hours/once a month gathering over a meal of six people-couples and singles, new and old to Elim- with the sole intention of getting to know others at Elim. After three gatherings, everyone will switch to another group of *6Friends*. Sign-up begins in the dining room on April 3 at the *6Friends* table. Questions? Connect with Pastor Becky.



We thank the Lord for His many blessings, direction, and call as the current fiscal year draws to a close on March 31. If you would like to give an additional financial gift by then, please note the following deadlines:

- Cash and checks can be received in the office from 9-4 pm on 3/31
- ❖ To give by mail, your contribution must be postmarked by March 31.
- ❖ Electronic Giving: we've made it easy! Just go to elimchurch.com/give
- ❖ To give by phone, text any amount to 84321.

Thank you and God bless you for your faithfulness! Dennis R. Jezierski, Elim Church Treasurer

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

**The Kidz Klozet** is seeking volunteers to help with the organization and clothing distribution on Saturday, April 2, 9:30-11 am. Please connect with Janice Schreck with questions. Then during April, they could use help as we change to Spring/Summer clothing. Please call or sign up at <a href="https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1a1L0vQv7YXWWsrbG1QkG8PtzLetKAcMnatxfdFE540k/edit?usp=drivesdk">https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1a1L0vQv7YXWWsrbG1QkG8PtzLetKAcMnatxfdFE540k/edit?usp=drivesdk</a>

As the **Children's Ministry** loves and teaches the littlest ones, volunteers are needed to welcome them at check-in for both the service hour and for Connections. Please contact Heather (<a href="https://example.com/needs-needs-volunteers">https://example.com/needs-need

**The Gathering:** The need remains for a few volunteers to occasionally set up food and coffee for the Gathering. Also, to clean up the bagels and beverages after Sunday Connections. Sign up as a family unit or with your friends. It's a great time to welcome people to church. Please connect with the church office.

## **Becoming the Body of Christ, Pt. 4:**

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Jesus lived faithfully to His calling

Who does Jesus seek?

Jesus' Challenge to Embrace Priorities

The Seasons of Spiritual Growth
Come and See
Come and Be
Come and Remain

Walking out your Response

# **Prayerful Pause**

How are you partnering with Christ today?