

**First Christian Reformed Church  
Lynden, Washington  
July 12, 2020**

**CHURCH FAMILY & PRAYER CLOSET**

• **BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO THE FOLLOWING:**

Vernon S will be celebrating his 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday on July 12  
Greta E will be celebrating her 85<sup>th</sup> birthday on July 14  
Nelly V will be celebrating her 91<sup>st</sup> birthday on July 16  
Joyce H will be celebrating her 85<sup>th</sup> birthday on July 17

• **DEALING WITH HEALTH ISSUES:** Beth B (shoulder replacement surgery), Ruth B (fractured hip), Mick V (recovering from surgery).

• **DEALING WITH CANCER:** John B (continuing chemotherapy), Susan B (continuing radiation and immunotherapy), Rick B (cancer dormant and subsiding), Pastor Phil K (former First CRC pastor - starting immunotherapy in CA), Al (missionary - undergoing chemo and immunotherapy in AZ)

• **ASSISTED LIVING AND CARE CENTER RESIDENTS:**

Cascade Christian Home – Amy B  
Christian Health Care – Jennie B, Mary K, Bennie M, Johanna R, Joanne V  
Cordata Court – Diane S  
Lynden Manor – Anna G, Edie M, Kristi N, Maggie S, Janet V, Cora V, Albert V  
Meadow Greens – Gussie B, Freda G, Grace H, Nellie H, Andy V, Jo V  
Orchard Park – Eleanor & Carol Zylstra

• **SHUT-IN MEMBERS:** Pray for those separated from loved ones and assistance.

• **CARE HOME AND MEDICAL FIELD WORKERS:**

St. Joseph's Hospital – Kim E, Kim A, Riley S, Roger P  
Christian Health Care Center – Julie Sc, Kari H, Anna E  
Meadow Greens – John & Karen M  
Stafford House – Janice S  
Cascade Connections – Tiffany B

• **ASSOCIATE PASTOR:** Pray for God's wisdom and clear leading to bring the man of His choosing to First CRC.

• **PHASE III BUILDING:** Pray for God's wisdom and clear leading and for His sufficient provision for building our future.

• **SERVE:** Pray for the SERVE Leadership Team as they plan and prepare for SERVE@Home 2020, scheduled to take place this August.

• **MOMS@1<sup>st</sup>:** Pray for God to nurture a fruitful ministry to all the moms and children involved, especially now as they minister to them remotely.

• **HAUSA PEOPLE GROUP:** Pray that God would open doors for the Gospel to reach the Hausa people in northern Nigeria.

• **FIRST CRC MISSIONARIES:**

Jeff & Melissa, Ray & Angie, Steve & Sandy, Gary & Mary, Memli & Luiza, Al & Julie, Tim & Charlene, Eric & Penny, Mitchell & Rochelle, John & Jean, Ken & Chris, Snehakunja Home

## **CHURCH INFORMATION**

- **IN-PERSON WORSHIP SERVICES:**

On Sunday, July 12 we will have two identical worship services at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. During the hour in between the worship services, touchable surfaces will be thoroughly cleaned. Please refer to the letter from the elders that you received via email or printed copy for complete details. If you would like more information or have questions, please contact your district elder. The congregation has been divided alphabetically. Please note your assigned service below:

July 12	9:00 a.m. service	last names L – Z
	11:00 a.m. service	last names A – K

We welcome David W to the pulpit this Sunday, July 12, as Pastor Robert and Phama are on vacation for the week.

- **LIVE-STREAM SERVICES:**

For those that do not feel comfortable or are unable to attend, the worship service will be live-streamed at **9:00 a.m. and be replayed at 11:00 a.m. using the same live stream link.** The service can be viewed at the following link or on our website:

[https://c.streamhoster.com/embed/media/WxsdDd/mc8FcKJsixL/F9Dehosydd\\_5?preview=1](https://c.streamhoster.com/embed/media/WxsdDd/mc8FcKJsixL/F9Dehosydd_5?preview=1)

Past streamed services are available to view at the following link or on our website:

[https://c.streamhoster.com/embed/list/WxsdDd/mc8FcKJsixL/OFrOSgTsiln\\_2\\_1?preview=1](https://c.streamhoster.com/embed/list/WxsdDd/mc8FcKJsixL/OFrOSgTsiln_2_1?preview=1)

- **TEMPORARY OFFICE HOURS:**

The church office will be open on Mondays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. On Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays, the church voicemail and email will continue to be checked regularly. We encourage you to call and leave a message or email if you have any needs, prayer requests, or questions.

- **OFFERINGS AND WAYS TO GIVE:**

Titles and offering can now be given on Sundays in the back of church, or you are welcome to mailed them to the church office (1010 Front Street, Lynden, WA 98264), dropped them off at church (place in the outside mailbox), use a bill pay service, or electronically with Tithe.ly ([www.tithe.ly](http://www.tithe.ly) or on the app). If you have questions about any of these options, contact any deacon or the church office.

July 12 – Al & Julie

July 19 – Christian Hope Association

July 26 – Benevolence

- **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:**

If you or someone in our church family needs financial assistance during this economic crisis, do not hesitate to contact a deacon. They are ready to help in any way they can.

- **ELDERS:**

The Elders will meet on Tuesday, July 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Room.

- **BABY BOTTLE COLLECTION:**

Do you remember those baby bottles you filled for the Whatcom County Pregnancy Center back in March? Dig out those bottles – we are finally collecting them! Please place bottles in the marked containers in the back of church within the next couple of weeks. You are welcome to bring them when you come to worship or drop them off at the church office on Mondays or Thursdays.

- **FLOWERS FOR CHURCH:**

If you have any issues getting your flowers to church, please contact the church office.

Upcoming flower schedule:     July 12 – Marilyn M  
  July 19 – Bev H  
  July 26 – Liz V

- **NON-PICTURE DIRECTORY TO BE PUBLISHED IN AUGUST:**

The office has been working on updating our non-picture directory. If you or someone you know that is not on the church email list, have any corrections or items you would like to add (email, cell number, etc.), please contact the church office.

- **CHURCH CONTACT AND SOCIAL MEDIA INFORMATION:**

Office Phone	360-354-4560 (For all office staff)
Church Email	<a href="mailto:info@firstcrcllynden.org">info@firstcrcllynden.org</a>
Church Website	<a href="http://www.firstcrcllynden.org">www.firstcrcllynden.org</a>
Church Facebook Page	First Christian Reformed Church – Lynden ( <a href="https://www.facebook.com/First-Christian-Reformed-Church-Lynden-108591740760643/">https://www.facebook.com/First-Christian-Reformed-Church-Lynden-108591740760643/</a> )
Church Instagram	firstcrcllynden ( <a href="https://www.instagram.com/firstcrcllynden/">https://www.instagram.com/firstcrcllynden/</a> )