


3 WAYS TO GIVE

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- Lord, give us the desire to study Your Word to better able understand the truths of Scripture.
 - May we practice wise discipline, using the time You have given us.
 - Grant us the grace to press on even in times of difficulty and discouragement.
 - Help us to have an eternal perspective and to think godly in all things.
 - May we learn to love like Christ.
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Mission Focus for the Week

Pioneers: Xtend Global
Arley McBlain



The international ministry Pioneers exists to bring the gospel to where it has never been before - which are often countries hostile to the gospel. Arley serves with the Xtend Global team which currently serves the Middle East and North Africa region. For decades this team has innovated using the latest technology to bring the message of Jesus to the millions of people. There are 380 million Arab Muslims worldwide, and many of them have questions about Jesus and the Bible. Xtend Global has three active programs for connecting with these seekers. The programs include websites and apps for finding seekers of different backgrounds, as well as tools for equipping local evangelism teams, and a platform for training Muslim Background Believers (MBBs) with pastoral skills to foster local churches.

Over the decades the technical innovations began mainly with print and radio, and now is primarily built upon the Internet. The Pioneers media workers have a saying "The harvest is plentiful, and so are the smartphones!"

There are many obstacles and opportunities that the Xtend Global faces, we can pray for unity within the teams, particularly as one key leader is transitioning into retirement, with Arley lined up to fill his shoes!

VOLUNTEERS

Openers

Feb—Steve & Kerry Levitt
 Mar—Larry & Cheryl Teeple

Nursery

Feb 5—Brenda Lamoureux & MacKenzie Gootjes
 Feb 12—Anne Ottaway & Hannah Pallant

Toddler Room

Feb 5—Salina Levitt & Mattaya Teetzel
 Feb 12—Jen Gootjes & MacKenzie Gootjes

Ushers/Greeters

Feb 5—Scott Oosterhof & Ron Lamoureux
 Feb 12—Zac Bauman & Stewart Campbell

Sound Tech

Feb 5—Jesse Wierenga
 Feb 12—Dale Quinn

Librarian

Feb 5—Sandra Campbell
 Feb 12—Mary-Ann Campbell



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Welcome to

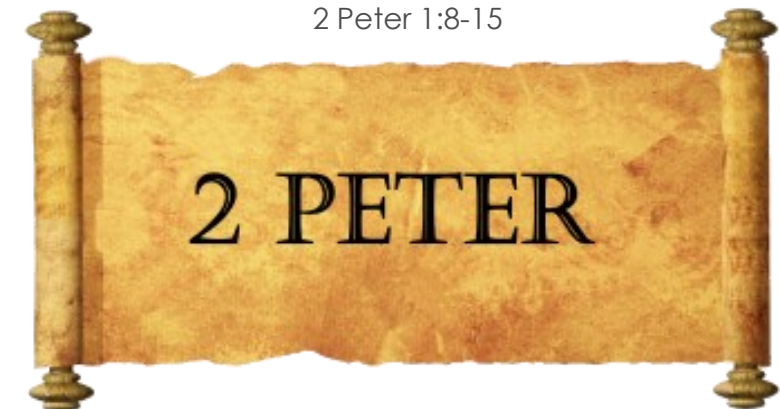
Elim Bible Chapel



Sunday February 5, 2023
 with Mark Ottaway

"A Fruitful Faith"

2 Peter 1:8-15



Women's Bible Study Continues
Tuesday at 9:30am and 7:00pm



This week we discuss chapter 14 of 1 Corinthians, with help from The Royal Route to Heaven chapters 25 & 26. Questions? Ask Rose or Cheryl T.

Elim Ministry Night

formally know as . . .
Annual Business Meeting
 a night to share what God has done!
 Thursday, February 9th
 Starting @ 7 PM
 Refreshments Provided



Women's Ministries at Elim

Elim's women's ministries are overseen by a committee of five (Anne, Mary, Sandra, Ashley & Cheryl T) who are currently working towards ensuring that all the chapel women are aware of how things are organized and how to get involved. Next Sunday, the women's committee plans to hand out an overview of these ministries, together with an updated list of who are currently serving as leads.

The **Library** is **Open** today

Chapel Family Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays:

Today—Claudia Deelstra
 Saturday—Owen Hodgson

Anniversaries:

None this week



Sunday January 22, 2023
with Mark Ottaway

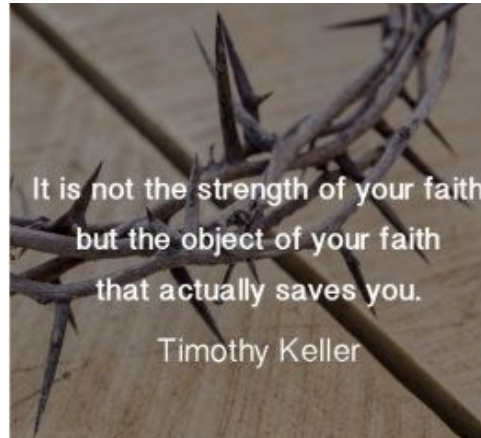
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Sunday Evening Series

What is the Gospel?

The Gospel-Shaped Life

Tonight at 6:30 we continue to this series, answering questions like, What is the true gospel as give in the bible? How is it received by the sinner? Join us as we study together biblical truth of the gospel.



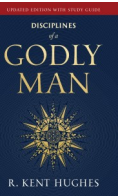
Elim Coffee Hour
 Join us downstairs following the service
 Enjoy fellowship coffee & cookies

This Week at EBC: Feb 5-11

- Today** Sunday School—No Sunday School today—toddlers can go down when dismissed
- Tonight** 630 pm—Evening Service
- Tues** 930 am—Women's Bible Study
- Tues** 7 pm—Women's Bible Study
- Wed** 7-830 pm—Youth
- Wed** 7-815 pm—Kids Club
- Thur** 7 pm—Elim Ministry Night (Annual Meeting)

Rescheduled

Men's Book Study
 Disciplines of a Godly Man by R. Kent Hughes
 Next meeting—**Thursday, February 16** @ 7 pm
 Location—Pastor Mark's home—8335 Townsend Line
 Any questions, or if you need a book, please see Stewart Campbell



We are not brought by faith into a realm of passivity, but rather, we are brought into the realm of diligent activity.

Alistair Begg



The Meaning of Marriage . Book Review
 by Timothy and Kathy Keller

Modern culture would have you believe that everyone has a soul-mate; that romance is the most important part of a successful marriage; that marriage does not mean 'til death do us part, but merely for as long as my needs are being met; and that when serious differences arise, divorce is the best solution. According to the bible, all of these modern-day assumptions miss what marriage is all about. In *The Meaning of Marriage*, Timothy Keller, along with Kathy, draws a profound portrait of marriage from the pages of Scripture that neither idealizes nor rejects the institution but points us back to the relationship between God and man. The result is a vision for marriage that is refreshingly frank and unsentimental, yet hopeful and beautiful. This book is for anyone from singles, to couples considering marriage, to those who have been married recently or for a long time.