



"A Place of Grace"

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Community Church of Pincher Creek

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Sunday Services January 21st 2024

10:00 AM Live & Online** **Evening Service 6 – 6:45 pm**

Prayer Hours before services: Morning 9 am Evening 5 pm

Sunday School During Morning service **Nursery** Open for you to use

2024 Programs – Ladies' Bible Studies Tues & Thurs, 1:30 at church

Mom's Bible Study Fridays 9:30 am at church

Project Gals' Day – 2nd Monday/month at church, 10 am-3 pm

Seniors' Lunch – 1st Wednesday of each month at church, 11:30 a.m.

3rd Sunday – Congregation and friends Potluck after church

Church Service 6 pm at Vista Village Extended Care

Men's Bible Study Weds 7pm

Youth – 7:30 pm Fridays at the church

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Offerings Options - box on back table, **Mail - CCC** Box 757, Pincher Creek ToK

1Wo. **Auto-debit** or **e-transfer** – ccctreasurer20@gmail.com

Benevolent offering - box on back table or add to your auto debit

Announcements - Today is Missions Sunday Check your knowledge of Missions in 2024 through the Missions Quiz. **Church fellowship potluck lunch immediately after service. All welcome!**

Vista Village service @ 6 p.m.

Worship through Music – Dana

Worship through Prayer – “I cried aloud to the Lord, and He answered me from His holy hill.” Psalm 3:4

- Mary Small's niece Emily being treated for Hodgkins Lymphoma

“To know Christ, and to make Him known locally and globally”

Today's Notes . . .

January 21st, 2024

The Four Distinctives of the Church

Acts 2:40-47

C. Third Distinctive - Worship

Acts 2:42 – breaking of bread Corinthians 11:123-34 -

Worship defined – definition defines function!

- kissing of the hand – A bowing of the knee – WORTHSHIP
- True worship involves both the inward and outward of the person

John 4:1-24

V 7-10 Breaking the Norms of our Prejudices

- He broke the norms of a prejudice society to show this woman a path of reconciliation to God. Will we do the same with our prejudice? **

V 10-14 The Preeminence of Jesus

- The unfulfilling Jacobs well - Are you greater than our father?
- Yes I AM! 4:25, 26

V 15-19 A life that doesn't Match up

- Five husbands and living with another – Can't worship anywhere in this kind of condition

V. 21-24 - Jesus answers in 3 parts:

1. The Father – Worship is no longer centered around a place Worship is of the Father who is Spirit
2. In Spirit – worship is no longer about a form but of the spirit of worship Phil. 3:3; Ezekiel 11:19
3. In Truth - Worship is no longer about ritual but about heart and life of worship Romans 12:1
 - Present – to stand beside – picture of standing before God as a living sacrifice
 - **Holy and acceptable – was does this mean to you?**

God is looking and listening. He is seeking our worship

- Our TRUE worship must be out of a changed heart and a life lived

Did you come here drinking from Jacobs well?

Jesus has relentlessly pursued you here today

Will you allow the blinders to fall from your eyes and drop your water pot and just drink from the living water?

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Creekside Church Missions Sunday

January 21 2024

Check your knowledge of Missions for *the 2024 version of the Great Commission*:

(from the Lausanne Conference (Evangelism) 2023 as reported in 'Faith Today' 01/02 2024 P.30+)

1. The majority of Christians now live in:
a. Africa b. North America c. Latin America
2. Our greatest mission field is:
a. Overseas b. our own backyard
3. A majority of SIM (*Serving in Mission* Canada) missionaries are now serving in:
a. China b. Brazil c. Thailand d. Canada
4. Mission's lesson for us is about:
a. Bringing God to the Majority World (formerly called the 'Two Thirds World')
b. Knowing God is already in the Majority World, wanting to teach us things from how brothers and sisters in Christ act toward each other
5. The greatest number of missionaries often are from:
a. The United States b. the United States and Canada
c. the Global South (Africa, South America (Brazil) & developing parts of Asia – South Korea)
6. a. In the 1st century to the 19th century, missionaries went out by _____.
b. In the 20th century, missionaries went out by _____.
c. Today, missionaries can go out by _____.

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7. One of the greatest potentials for mission work, largely unused by our Christian churches, is:
 - a. Little old ladies with lots of money
 - b. our youth, who understand social media
 - c. Gen Z'ers who are media literate and can spend up to six hours per day online

Answers:

1. a. & c.
2. b.
3. d.
4. b.
5. c.
6. a. sailing boats, steam ships b. airplane
c. social media*
7. b.

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Our Missions connections:

Canadian Baptist Ministry 'Partners in Mission':

_____ & _____

We also support: _____ (EFC) Bolivia

& _____ Bolivia

_____ Madagascar

_____ South East Asia countries

_____ Ukraine

& our two camps are: _____ & _____

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