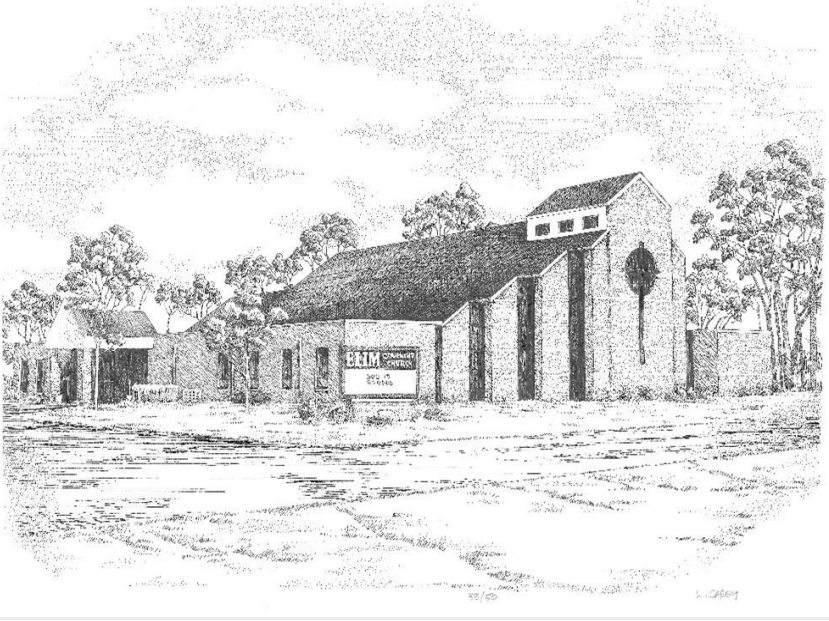


ELIM COVENANT CHURCH

March 23, 2025



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WORSHIP CELEBRATION

March 23, 2025

10:30 a.m.

Elim's mission statement:

"To develop leaders who will impact the world for Christ."

GATHERING BEFORE GOD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kim Shuda

OFFERING

MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH

"Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time." (1 Peter 5:6)

WORSHIP SONGS

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

WORDS FROM GOD

MESSAGE

Pastor Steve Peterson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

WORSHIP SONG

BENEDICTION

GREETERS TODAY Cheryl Bear & Karen Johnson

Sermon Notes
March 23, 2025
“King Over Jerusalem”
2 Samuel 5:6-25; 1 Chronicles 11:4-12:40

Key Text: *“But blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord, whose confidence is in him.”* (Jer. 17:7)

Key Thought: David conquers Jerusalem and establishes his reign, because God was with him.

- 1) Intro & Context

- 2) David’s **CITY** (5:1-10) (cf. Ps. 76:2; 2 Kgs. 14:20; 1 Chr. 11:4-9; Neh. 12:37)

- 3) **MILITARY** growth (cf. 2 Sam. 23:8-39; 1 Chr. 11:4-12:40)

- 4) **TYRE-SOME** friends (5:11-12) (cf. 1 Kgs. 5:1; 9:26-28; 1 Chr. 14:1; 2 Chr. 2:3-16; 8:18; 9:10,21)

- 5) **FAMILY** growth (5:13-16) (cf. 2 Sam. 3:2-5; 1 Chr. 3:5-9; 14:3-6)

- 6) **ROUTES** the enemy (5:17-25) (cf. Ex. 14:14; Deut. 3:22; Jos. 23:10)

- 7) Life **LESSONS** (cf. Pr. 3:5-6; 28:1; Jer. 17:7; Rom. 8:31; 1 Pt. 5:6)

- 8) Conclusion

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION:

- Have you sought to build yourself up? Or is it God who lifts you up?
- Do you fight your own battles, or does God fight for you?
- Do you seek God’s will, or your own, for your life?
- In whom do you put your trust? God, or yourself? (be honest!)

Looking Ahead

Sunday	March 23	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
Tuesday	March 25	9:30 a.m.	SAS Bible Study
		6:00 p.m.	GriefShare
Wednesday	March 26	9:00 a.m.	"Amped" Prayer Meeting
Thursday	March 27	9:30 a.m.	Keenagers
Sunday	March 30	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
		10:30 a.m.	Worship Celebration Service
Tuesday	April 1	9:30 a.m.	SAS Bible Study
		6:00 p.m.	GriefShare
Wednesday	April 2	9:00 a.m.	"Amped" Prayer Meeting
		5:00 p.m.	Trimble Funeral Home & Covenant Trust Presentation
Friday	April 4	5:30 p.m.	Girl's Night Out

March Birthdays

24 – David Cespedes 24 – Joseph Hennings
26 – Claudine Patton 31 – Larene Paul

April Birthdays

3 – Helena Henry 6 – Reagan Wood

March Anniversaries

24 – Ryan & Kelly Wood

Attendance Last Week

Sunday Worship = 60/ Views on YouTube = 17

Sunday School/Children's Church = 20

CHILDCARE SCHEDULE

TODAY, March 23

Children's Church: Meagan Bear & Diane Snipes

Nursery: Sheila Yoeckel & Jamie Cespedes

NEXT WEEK, March 30

Children's Church: **No Children's Church**

Nursery: Amy Hennings & Kristen Burns