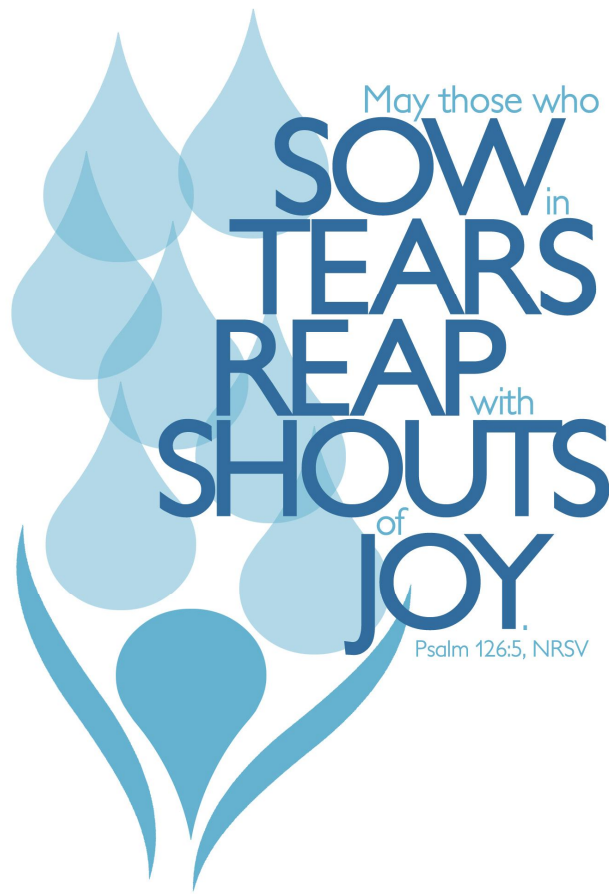


# Cascade Christian Reformed Church

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Rev. Timothy Toeset—Pastor



July 5, 2009

Morning Worship — 10:30 AM

**Welcome** to the house of God. The Lord is always near to those who gather in his name. Let us eagerly call upon God and make a joyful noise with songs and prayers of praise. Glory be to God! After joining us in worship, please join us in the lobby for refreshments and fellowship.

Prelude.....Jean Hofkamp, Organ  
David Poortinga, Piano

Welcome

\*Opening Song: Psalter Hymnal # 96  
“Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise”

\*Call to Worship and God’s Greeting

Pastor: We will praise you, O Lord, with all our hearts.

**People: We will tell of all your wonders.**

Pastor: We will be glad and rejoice in you.

**People: We will sing praise to your name, O Most High.**  
(From Psalm 9)

Pastor: People of God, receive God’s greeting:  
Grace and peace to you from God our Father  
and from the Lord Jesus Christ  
through the indwelling power of the Holy Spirit.

**People: Amen.**

\*Greet One Another

Time of Praise *(projected on front wall)*

“He Has Made Me Glad”

“We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise”

“Our God Is Lifted Up”

“Jesus Put This Song into Our Hearts”

“Therefore the Redeemed”

Morning Prayer

Offering.....General Fund

*(The offering is the opportunity for members of the church to give as God has blessed them for the ministries and causes the church has chosen to support. Visitors are invited to show gratitude to God for his gifts by giving as well, but are not expected to do so.)*

Children’s Message.....Joel Faber

\*Song of Preparation: Psalter Hymnal # 408

“Rejoice, the Lord Is King”

*(The children age three through kindergarten may be dismissed for Jesus’ Little Lambs.)*

Scripture: **Psalm 126** *(page 613)*

Message: **TEARS, THEN JOY**

Prayer

\*Song of Response: Psalter Hymnal # 480

“Jesus, the Very Thought of You”

\*God’s Blessing

\*Closing Song: Psalter Hymnal # 146

“Praise the Lord! Sing Hallelujah!”

Postlude

*\*Please Stand If Able*

## ***Evening Worship - 6:00 PM***

Prelude.....Bé Grimberg, Piano

Call to Worship

\*Opening Song: Psalter Hymnal # 486

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

\*God’s Greeting

Time of Sharing

Evening Prayer

Offering.....Building Fund

*(All checks without written designation for the above cause will be applied to the General Fund.)*

\*Song of Preparation: Psalter Hymnal # 267 “And Can It Be”

Scripture: **I Peter 1:18-21; 2:4-10** *(page 1200)*

Message: **MORE PRECIOUS**

Prayer

\*Song of Response: Psalter Hymnal # 384

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

\*God’s Blessing

\*Closing Song: Psalter Hymnal # 502

“The Church’s One Foundation”

Postlude

*\*Please Stand If Able*

## CALENDAR

Today: 10:30 AM Worship Services  
6:00 PM

Next Sunday: AM Offering: General Fund  
PM Offering: Christian Schools

**THE CONGREGATION** is encouraged to seek God's presence for this time of worship with a moment of personal silent prayer after being seated.

**TODAY** we welcome Dr. Roger Butz who will be leading our worship services while Pastor Tim is on sabbatical.

**JESUS' LITTLE LAMBS** is a ministry for children age three through kindergarten and is held during the morning service. The children may be dismissed during the singing of song # 408, "Rejoice, the Lord Is King." **Parents, please bring your children directly to the classroom. The congregation's policies now require that only a child's mother or father may pick up the child following the worship service.** The children will be in classroom 5.

**THIS MORNING'S OFFERING** is for the General Fund. Each week God gives us an opportunity to share with him our gifts of praise and thanksgiving. Jesus told us to love one another as he loves us. Love comes from the Father. We give from our earnings to glorify God because he blesses us with grace and mercy. This week dedicate yourself unto the Lord and become a working disciple.

**THIS EVENING'S OFFERING** is for the Building Fund. Maintenance of our bodies requires food, shelter, and clothing. Spiritual maintenance requires Scripture, fellowship, and a place to worship. The church provides this and much more. In giving this week, let us be mindful of the Christians who sacrificed their lives so the Word of God could go out to all nations.

**WE EXPRESS OUR SYMPATHY** to Ron and Carol Haveman on the death of their brother-in-law Tony. May God provide his sustaining peace and comfort.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Betty Overcash who will celebrate her 89th birthday on Saturday, July 11. We praise God for the many years he has given her.

**SAVE THE DATE!** The Outreach Ministry Team is planning their annual Fun Day for August 15 from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM. Volunteers will be needed for this fun-filled outreach to our neighborhood. More information will be available later.

**CREATION 09:** The Youth Group will be attending Creation Fest this summer on July 22 - 25 at The Gorge. This is a very popular summer Christian event. We have five camp sites reserved at Crescent Bar on the Columbia River and will have lots of chaperones for the kids. Contact Andy Sytsma (425-231-9412) for more information.

**LIKE TO PLAY GOLF?** You are invited to participate in the Charlie Martindale Golf Tournament on Saturday, August 15, at Camaloch Golf Course on Camano Island. Contact Henry Van Dam (425-508-1329) or Allan Wolff (360-435-5922) for more details.

**CASCADE FAMILY BIBLE CONFERENCE:** Looking for something this summer that brings the entire family together? Come to Warm Beach July 9 - 13 and enjoy a weekend of inspirational worship, dynamic speakers, great children and youth activities, and recreational fun for the entire family. Registration forms are available on the table in the foyer or at [www.cascadefamily.org](http://www.cascadefamily.org).

**TAPROOT THEATRE:** Join Taproot Theatre this summer for a toe tappin', knee slappin', heartwarmin' bluegrass gospel extravaganza! Your favorite hymns get the Sanders family touch in this story about a musical family with a whole lotta heart. *Smoke on the Mountain Homecoming* runs July 8 through August 8. For more details call 1-206-781-9707 or visit [www.taproottheatre.org](http://www.taproottheatre.org).

**VOLUNTEER COUNSELORS AND NURSES NEEDED:** Are you looking for a place to volunteer this summer? Come on down to Warm Beach Camp as a volunteer counselor for W-Bar-B Ranch Camps, Day Camps, and Family Camp! Enjoy fun-filled days with campers while serving alongside Warm Beach Camp staff. Do you have nursing experience? Volunteer nurses are also needed throughout the summer. Find out more about summer programs at Warm Beach Camp at [warmbeach.com](http://warmbeach.com). For more information about volunteer positions, contact Laurie Fertello, Program Director, at 425-350-1303.

**DISABILITY CONCERNS:** The summer issue of Breaking Barriers, a quarterly resource with stories and information for inclusion of people with disabilities in churches and ministries, is now available online at [http://www.crcna.org/pages/disability\\_Issue82.cfm](http://www.crcna.org/pages/disability_Issue82.cfm).

#### **PRAYER REQUEST FROM BACK TO GOD MINISTRIES**

**INTERNATIONAL:** Arabic-speaking families hear a special radio program produced by Back to God Ministries International every Thursday evening. The family program airs on the Middle East's most popular radio station immediately following the news. Praise God that many listeners have tuned in to this program "by accident" and others (including Muslim converts) have become faithful followers, not just of the radio program, but of Jesus Christ!

**BACK TO GOD HOUR**—*The Church Without Compromise:* The pressures in our lives often require us to make decisions. Bad economies make difficult decisions about where to spend money necessary. Even ensuring survival after natural disasters brings difficult decisions. But do these decisions ever force you to make compromises? What does the Bible say about faith and compromise? Find out on the July 12 *Back to God Hour*. Visit [BacktoGodradio.net](http://BacktoGodradio.net) to find a station in your area or to listen to a sermon. You can also download our podcast. No station in your area? Can't listen on line? Call or e-mail us to request that a CD to be sent to you.

**KIDS CORNER**—*The Stowaway (Part 1):* Scooter desperately wants to go along on the camping trip with all his friends, but his teacher says he's too young to go. What if Scooter sneaks his way onto the bus? Nothing can go wrong, can it? Find out on this week's *Kids Corner*. Then check out the *Kids Corner* website at [www.kids-corner.org](http://www.kids-corner.org) for stories, devotions, puzzles, and more.

**CROSSROAD CONNECTION**—*The Prisons Are Her Vineyard:* Dr. Brenda Jackson, a prominent leader in the African-American community, has led her own world-wide prison ministry for many years and is serving as a Crossroad instructor. She discusses with Dr. David Schuringa on this week's *Crossroad Connection* keys for reaching inmates and their children. Go to [www.cbi.fm](http://www.cbi.fm) to listen to *Crossroad Connection*, a restorative justice ministry of Crossroad Bible Institute.

AREA OF MINISTRY	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
<b>JESUS' LITTLE LAMBS 3-Year-Olds through Kindergarten</b>	Michele Poortinga Kyle Poortinga	Marge Faber Jacie DeGroot Grady Poortinga
<b>NURSERY AM 10:15</b>	Chelsea Klein Patti Van Dyke Austin Van Dyke	Cora Star Joanie Smith Connor Smith
<b>HOSTESSES</b>	Laurie Munneke Karen Ruff	Barb Overcash Becky Van Dam
<b>GREETERS (West Door)</b>	Dirk & Eleanor Van Dyke	Jim & Patti Van Dyke
<b>USHERS</b>	Andy Sytsma Dean Lampers Marvin Boersema	Eldon Wichers Jim Boersema Andy Sytsma
<b>VIDEO</b>	Jim Van Dyke	Jim DeGroot
<b>SOUND AM PM</b>	Ron Haveman Bernie Sytsma	Ron Haveman David Poortinga

**OUR VISION**

*We at the Cascade Christian Reformed Church seek to be a fellowship growing in understanding of God and His Word causing us to reach out to those who are unchurched, desiring to bring them into fellowship with God.*

**CONVERSATIONS WITH GOD**

**Call Bé Grimberg at 425-609-1002 or e-mail her at [JGrimberg@bardicgrove.org](mailto:JGrimberg@bardicgrove.org) with your prayer items. Items received by Thursday evening will be included in Sunday's guide.**

**NEW CONCERNS:**

- ✚ Pray for Don Van who is scheduled for hernia repair on July 16.
- ✚ Pray for Carol Haveman's sister Pat and the family as they mourn the death of Pat's husband Tony.
- ✚ Pray for Angela, Karen Jacobs' friend, and her family as they mourn the death of her father Danny.

**CONTINUING CONCERNS:**

- ✚ Pray for healing for Esther Daniels who has an infected tooth.
- ✚ Pray that we will have a passion for spirituality.
- ✚ Pray that we will love and support one another.
- ✚ Pray for healing for Jean Hofkamp following cataract surgery.
- ✚ Pray for Terry Kersaan and Sharon Hanson as they travel.
- ✚ Pray for Vacation Bible School, which will be held July 27 - 31.
- ✚ Pray for healing for Toni Heaphy who broke both of her kneecaps in a car accident.
- ✚ Pray for patience and healing for Kirstin, Patti Nobach's daughter-in-law, who had surgery to repair a torn ACL.
- ✚ Pray that Pastor Tim's sabbatical will be a time of refreshment, encouragement, and learning for him.
- ✚ Pray for Henry Jager, Marge Toeset's father, who is in a nursing home and is not doing well.

**OUR EXTENDED FAMILY:**

- ✚ Pray that God will bless the decisions that were made at Synod.
- ✚ Pray for healing for Debbie, Dave and Ginny Boersema's friend, following a double mastectomy and the removal of some cancerous lymph nodes.
- ✚ Pray for the family of Diana, the woman Gertie Kwant was caring for, as they mourn her death.
- ✚ Pray for healing for Roberta Swanson, Esther Daniel's friend, and also for growth in her Christian faith.
- ✚ Pray for Nolan, Blake Van Dyke's classmate, who is receiving treatment for leukemia. Pray also for his family.
- ✚ Pray for healing for Irmgard Hiskar, Esther Daniels' friend, who has medical problems.
- ✚ Pray for healing for Katie Hilker's niece Patty who was diagnosed with cancer of the spine.