

## GLOBAL UPDATE BY PASTOR HOLLY

**Mexico (One Life One Chance):** Recently the OLOC Canadian staff and some board members were able to travel to Mexico for business meetings, catching up, visiting pastors and churches, and planning. Let's pray for all the work now that comes from times like this together. Pray for the pastors and pastoras as they serve their churches. May God bless their service, empower them more and more through the Holy Spirit to meet the spiritual needs and whatever else they might require in ministering to those who cross their paths.

**Don and Betty Orr (Area Directors for Central Asia and Middle East teams):** These 2 are finally home, hopefully for more than a few days. Pray for them as they rest and recover from 2.5 months of travel and ministry to their teams, and as they integrate themselves back into ministry in their local international church and among their neighbours. Part of their time away was spent in meetings with other regional area directors and national ministry center leadership. Lots of planning, policy work, and vision casting took place likely with implementation strategies for those they lead. Pray as these new things get worked out and for fruitful ministry in many hard and dark places.

## OUR PASTORAL STAFF

### FULL-TIME

**Matt Mordaunt** (Sharilyn) Lead Pastor  
**Greg Zacharias** (Jennifer) Executive & Worship Pastor

### PART-TIME

**Carol Goh** (Andrew) Seniors, Community & Spiritual Care Pastor  
**Anna Carr** (Dain) Children's & Family Pastor  
**Holly Duke** Missions & Engagement Pastor  
**Chantal Roberts** (Jeremy) Worship & Media Communications  
  
**Leon Throness** (Carol) Encounter Ministries Director  
**Wayne Massey** (Hilarie) Vision Tree & Outreach Director  
**Catie Koleba** Youth Ministries Director  
**Riley Zacharias** Young Adults Ministries Director

## OUR ELDERS

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|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Neil Froc</b> (Melody)<br>Chairman          | <b>Bob Derksen</b> (Bev)       |
| <b>Laurie Throness</b><br>Vice Chair           | <b>Jon Freeman</b> (Liz)       |
| <b>Derek Van Oosterom</b> (Becky)<br>Treasurer | <b>Micah Galmut</b> (Brittany) |
| <b>Jeremy Roberts</b> (Chantal)<br>Secretary   | <b>Kelly Heibner</b> (Becky)   |
|                                                | <b>Ken Orr</b> (Jeanette)      |

## PRAYER CHAIN

To contact the prayer chain with a prayer request  
please phone Min Wendel at 604.378.2590.

For those wishing to inform the pastoral staff please call 604.792.0051.



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## WELCOME!

January 25, 2026

Welcome to our annual Country Sunday!

Let me be completely honest, we only do this once a year, and so if this is your first time with us, please don't set your expectations too high or too low based on this weekend. At CAC, we love to worship God and have a great time together, and this is just one way that we do that.

A second way we do that is through our annual Chilli Cook Off that is happening after the service in the APR. We've got lots of chili to serve everybody, so please feel free to join us and enjoy connecting with some great people!

We're so glad you came today as we start a new sermon series in the book of Job.

Pastor Matt

## Visitor Information

Whether you are new or have attended for a long time, we are so glad to see you!

You will find brief descriptions of some of our current ministry opportunities in these pages.

For more information please visit our website at [mycac.ca](http://mycac.ca) and visit the Connections Centre in the foyer with any questions you may have.

## Contact Us

604.792.0051  
[office@mycac.ca](mailto:office@mycac.ca)

[www.mycac.ca](http://www.mycac.ca)

**Office Hours**  
Mon - Fri | 9 AM - 4 PM  
(Closed all stat holidays)

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## JANUARY

### 26 Monday

### 27 Tuesday

9:30 AM | Morning Break & Mom2Mom  
1:30 PM | Pickleball  
6:30 PM | Pickleball  
7 PM | Sabine's Study

### 28 Wednesday

10 AM | Oasis Prayer  
1:30 PM | Knit & Natter  
6:30 PM | Youth Group

### 29 Thursday

9:30 AM | Julie's Group  
9:30 AM | Connect & Play  
1:30 PM | Pickleball  
1:30 PM | Victor's Group  
7 PM | Worship Practice  
7 PM | Floor Hockey

### 30 Friday

10 AM | Oasis Soup & Bun Lunch with guest speakers.

### 31 Saturday

## FEBRUARY

### 1 Sunday

10 AM | Celebration Service & Full Kids' Church  
11:30 AM | The Grill!!

To access our  
WiFi network:  
Name: CAC Guest  
Pswd: Deep&Wide

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

We have many excellent opportunities coming up for you to engage in the life of our church, and grow your faith and witness at the same time!

- **Friday, January 30th** is an Oasis Soup & Bun Lunch. Join us at 10 AM for coffee and stay to hear David and Dawn Falk talk about their work as medical missionaries in Africa. Lunch is \$2.
- **Thursday, February 5th**, the 8-week course, Practicing the Way, begins. This course emphasizes apprenticing under Jesus in community. You can sign up in the foyer with Pastor Carol, or online at [mycac.ca/events](http://mycac.ca/events).
- **Sunday, February 15th**, the Legacy Foundation will hold an info luncheon meeting at 11:30 AM. More details to come!

Please visit [mycac.ca/events](http://mycac.ca/events) to register or find out more information about any of these upcoming opportunities.

Beginning February 1st, your 2025 tax receipts will be available for pick up, either Sunday mornings in the church foyer, or during the week at the office. Now would be a good time to let us know if there have been any changes to your contact info, especially email and mailing addresses. Call or email the office at 604.792.0051 or [office@mycac.ca](mailto:office@mycac.ca).

Precepts Canada is holding a conference on March 13 & 14 at Northview Community Church, at their Mission Campus. Details are at: [preceptscanada.ca](http://preceptscanada.ca). Friday evening & all day Saturday, with lunch and student materials included. Cost is \$65 per person.

If you would like to be visited or need some meals because of illness or bereavement, please let us know at the church office. Email: [office@mycac.ca](mailto:office@mycac.ca), or call 604.792.0051. If you would like to JOIN our visitation team, please use the same contact information.

If your small group is looking for fresh material, check out RightNow Media. You can get access to a free account by contacting Debbie at: [office@mycac.ca](mailto:office@mycac.ca).

Mission Fest BC is taking place February 12-14, 2026 at Heritage Park here in Chilliwack! Visit their website at: [missionfestbc.org](http://missionfestbc.org) for all the exciting details!

During service from 10-11:15, nursery, toddler & preschool childcare is available. Kindergarten to Grade 5 kids will be invited up to Children's Church during the service.

## CHURCH NEWS

Wordly provides instant translation of our sermons into many different languages and also closed captioning for the hearing impaired. Use this QR code with your smartphone to get started! If you need assistance, contact a member of the Connections Team.



**We're Hiring!** If you have strong interpersonal skills, a gift for organization, and a heart for serving our church community, we would love to have you join our Front Office team. **How to Apply:** The full position description and application details are now available at [mycac.ca](http://mycac.ca). We encourage anyone interested to review the requirements and submit their application through the online portal or talk to Debbie Grager for details.

Did you know YOU have a mailbox here at CAC? Please check the mailboxes by the library for mail that someone may have left for you!

Main Street Church's annual apologetics conference, designed to help believers defend and share their faith with confidence, clarity, and compassion, is taking place on Saturday, February 28th, from 9 AM-4:30 PM. Find all the info you need at: [www.mainstreetchurch.ca/project315](http://www.mainstreetchurch.ca/project315)!

## ENGAGE | ENCIRCLE | ENCOUNTER

**ENGAGE:** If you are interested in learning more about baptism, membership, or discovering your spiritual gifting, we would love to hear from you. Contact Pastor Matt at 604.792.0051, or by email at [matt@mycac.ca](mailto:matt@mycac.ca) to find out more!

**ENCIRCLE:** I would love to connect with you about building a small group with your people: People whom you share things in common with. Building a small group with a strong culture of trust is super important to us here at CAC and we have actionable steps to make that happen. Email [holly@mycac.ca](mailto:holly@mycac.ca) and let's chat 'next steps.'



**ENCOUNTER:** A new podcast was released this past week, called Encounters in the Valley. Christians look for fresh encounters with God through times in the Word, worship and prayer. But what about those 'valley' times - when it's dark and bleak? Can we experience God then as well? Each of the panel members have gone through this kind of time and share their thoughts on what God did and said.

"To applaud the will of God, to do the will of God, even to fight for the will of God is not difficult...until it comes at cross-purposes with our will" Richard Foster.

## JOIN A TEAM

Using your gifts to serve the church is an important aspect of the Christian life. You can give us a call at the office, talk to one of the pastors, or shoot us an email/phone call to find out more about the opportunities available!

Are you new to Chilliwack Alliance?  
Drop by the Connection Centre after the service.  
Bring your Connection Card - we have a gift for you to take home!