

GLOBAL UPDATE BY PASTOR HOLLY

Mexico (One Life One Chance): Praise God for new staff additions in Mexico! To have a functional staff team of indigenous leaders to run the ministry has always been the dream and God continues to provide for the needs of the ministry in Mexico. This means there is growth and good things God has for them to do. Let's continue to pray for the leadership of this staff team and the counterpart leadership from the Canadian office. Joint cross-cultural leadership brings extra challenges as they negotiate and celebrate cultural differences, but they are committed to doing this well.

Let's also continue to pray for the local pastors and pastoras. Pray for resilience, strength, and empowerment from the Spirit to do the work He has called for them to do in the next days, weeks, and months.

OUR PASTORAL STAFF

FULL-TIME

Matt Mordaunt (Sharilyn)
Greg Zacharias (Jennifer)

Lead Pastor
Executive & Worship Pastor

PART-TIME

Carol Goh (Andrew)
Anna Carr (Dain)
Holly Duke
Chantal Roberts (Jeremy)

Seniors, Community & Spiritual Care Pastor
Children's & Family Pastor
Missions & Engagement Pastor
Worship & Communications

Leon Throness (Carol)
Wayne Massey (Hilarie)
Catie Koleba
Riley Zacharias

Encounter Ministries Director
Vision Tree & Outreach Director
Youth Ministries Director
Young Adult Ministries Director

OUR ELDERS

Neil Froc (Melody)
Chairman
Laurie Throness
Vice Chair
Derek Van Oosterom (Becky)
Treasurer
Jeremy Roberts (Chantal)

Bob Derksen (Bev)
Jon Freeman (Liz)
Micah Galmut (Brittany)
Kelly Heibner (Becky)
Ken Orr (Jeanette)

PRAYER CHAIN

To contact the prayer chain with a prayer request
please email care@mycac.ca
or call the office at 604.792.0051



CHILLIWACK
Alliance Church
GROWING DEEP • REACHING WIDE

WELCOME!

September 20, 2026

Welcome to CAC!

People hold many views of what they think God is like: policeman, old man, meek and mild, or parental hangover. We tend to relate to Him according to our view.

Jesus taught about God in terms of family and this morning we look at one of the most beautiful parables Jesus gave to describe the Father.

We are meant for home...

Pastor Leon Throness

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 and visit the Connections Centre in the foyer with any questions you may have.

Contact Us

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Office Hours
Mon-Fri | 9am - 4pm
(closed all stat holidays)

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SEPTEMBER

21 Monday
6 PM | Young Adults

22 Tuesday
9 AM | Senior Men's Bible Study
9:30 AM | Women's Ministry Kick-Off
1:30 PM | Pickleball
6:30 PM | Pickleball

23 Wednesday
10 AM | Oasis Prayer Team
1:30 PM | Knit & Natter
7 PM | Youth Group

24 Thursday
9:30 AM | Julie Klassen's Bible Study
1:30 PM | Pickleball
1:30 | All-ages Bible study
5:15 PM | Motorcycle Riders
7 PM | Floor Hockey

25 Friday
10AM | Oasis Coffee

26 Saturday

27 Sunday
10 AM | Celebration Service & Kids' Church
11:15 | The Grill

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

WELCOME!

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

CHURCH NEWS

Puzzle Exchange: Join us for coffee, treats, games, and a puzzle exchange on Friday, Oct 9, 10-11:30am, in the Coffee Connection. Bring one puzzle and take another puzzle home! Please make sure your puzzle is in excellent condition and has all of the pieces. Contact carol@mycac.ca for details.

We are hosting a Clothes2U Event: Saturday, Oct 17, 10am-12pm, in the All Purpose Room to give away clothes for babies to adults including toys, linens, personal items and smaller household items. \$5 entry fee at the door, kids 10 and under admitted free. For more information see www.clothes2u.ca or call 604-857-4617. Please spread the word to those who would benefit from this. You can donate items at the church office the week of Oct 12.

Rescue Cambodia's Family Road Trip is coming to Chilliwack Alliance on Tuesday, Oct 20 at 2pm. This will be a Cambodian dance performance by children from the home that Marie Enns started. If you are willing and able to billet children, please contact Debbie Lutz at [604.799.1816](tel:604.799.1816) or debbielutz2026@gmail.com.

The Cherish Project is hosting its annual Walk for Life this Saturday. This local fundraiser supports vulnerable community members through the organization's programs. To register, donate, or find more information, please visit www.cherishproject.ca/walk-2026.

AUGUST FINANCIAL UPDATE

Income General Fund: \$96,165.75
Budgeted General Fund Income: \$98,859.61
Shortfall or Surplus: (\$2,693.86)
YTD Shortfall or Surplus: (\$5,384.73)

Kindergarten to Grade 5 kids will be dismissed from the service today. Nursery, toddler & preschool (4 yr olds) childcare is also available!

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Our Sunday School program is also looking for volunteers to serve in a variety of ways—from registration and nursery helpers to leaders and helpers in our toddler, preschool, and Grades 1–5 classes. If you love Jesus and are willing to give some of your time to invest in the next generation, we'd love to have you join the team! Email Pastor Anna at anna@mycac.ca to learn more.

In December, we will be hosting the entire Robertson Elementary School for their annual Christmas Concert. Please let Pastor Carol (carol@mycac.ca) know if you are willing and able to make 4 dozen peanut-free cookies and bring them to the church on or before December 15. This is a wonderful opportunity to show love and hospitality to the families in our neighbourhood!

To find out how you can help, contact the church office at 604-792-0051 or office@mycac.ca

ENGAGE | ENCIRCLE | ENCOUNTER | EMBRACE

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 to find out more.

Encircle:

We would love to connect with you about building a small group with your people: People with whom you share things in common. 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 matt@mycac.ca and let's chat 'next steps'.



Encounter:

"Devout souls delight to reflect upon those mercies that they have obtained in answer to prayer for they can see God's special love in them." CH Spurgeon (submitted by Doreen Wry).

Embrace:

"To embrace someone is to make room for them—to welcome them, value them, and help them know they belong."

"For He satisfies the longing soul, and the hungry soul He fills with good thing."
Psalm 107:9

Missed a Sunday? Want to watch again?
Check out our YouTube Channel @ChilliwackAllianceChurch