



Denominational News for November 25, 2018

RESOURCES FOR ENCOURAGEMENT

FAMILY FIRE - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

I BELONG: SO I LIVE FOR HIM - What does belonging to Jesus mean for how I live my life? Do I have to change? Study Romans 8:12-17 and Galatians 5:13-25 with Groundwork to gain a better understanding about why belonging to Jesus means, with the Holy Spirit's help, we'll be willing and ready to live for him. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

TURKEY ROCKET - On Thanksgiving Day, all of Terrene comes out to help to celebrate being thankful, but Liz and the gang encounter some tough challenges and hard times. Can they be thankful regardless of the circumstances? Subscribe for free at getkidscorner.com. Check out KC's Gifts of Kindness Advent Calendar and Devotional and invite your whole family to join you in giving daily gifts of kindness. www.kidscorner.net

Family Faith Formation Tip - Does helping your child grow in faith feel overwhelming? Great resources are key! Check out tinyurl.com/FamilyFaithResources for a list of family devotions ideas, Bible storybooks and picture books, music, and helpful books and websites. (Faith Formation Ministries; crcna.org/FaithFormation)

FROM RESONATE GLOBAL MISSION

Join the Global Prayer Safari! - In Swahili the word "safari" means "journey." Join a team of North Americans who appreciate the power of prayer as you journey hand-in-hand with teams from Ethiopia, Kenya, and Uganda. You'll learn about prayer from other Christian traditions as you visit schools, hospitals, jails, government buildings, markets, and more. Dates: January 31 - February 11, 2019. For more information, visit www.resonateglobalmission.org/safari.

Journey Through Egypt - Join Resonate Global Mission on an Egypt Vision Tour. History comes alive as you learn how scripture is connected to ancient Egyptian monuments. Dates: April 2-10, 2019. For more information visit www.resonateglobalmission.org/Egypt.

Summer Language Institute Chaplain - Each summer, 300 youth from across Eastern Europe study English on the campus of LCC International in Lithuania for the Summer Language Institute. The chaplain is responsible for fostering spiritual growth among students. Learn more about this summer volunteer opportunity at resonateglobalmission.org/chaplain.

Summer Language Institute Resident Director - Each summer, 300 youth from across Eastern Europe study English on the campus of LCC International University for the Summer Language Institute. The Resident Director is responsible for building community among students in LCC's residence halls through events, programs, and more. Learn more about this summer volunteer opportunity at resonateglobalmission.org/residentdirector.

Teach English in Lithuania - Each summer, 300 youth from across Eastern Europe study English on the campus of LCC International University for the Summer Language Institute. As an ESL teacher, you will be the heart of the program by helping students improve their English language skills and gain a better understanding of what it might be like for them to go to college. Learn more about this volunteer opportunity at resonateglobalmission.org/sli.

Advent begins on December 2 - Follow Jesus into the lives of the poor through the World Renew 2018-2019 Gift Catalogue. Have fun together, giving gifts that are meaningful and powerful, helping people who live with scarcity to experience Uzima -- the fullness that God intends for them. Go to worldrenew.net/gifts to give or call 800-730-3490 to order.

World Renew - RFP - Marketing Firm - World Renew seeks to engage an experienced marketing/fundraising consulting firm. Recently, World Renew created a Comprehensive Fundraising Campaign (CFC) with the objective of changing fundraising practices, and increasing the engagement of constituents. The key objective of this consultancy is to run analytics of the present donor database and an audit of marketing practices to make recommendations to the CFC Director and Executive Directors. Full details, along with instructions on how to submit a proposal: <https://worldrenew.net/RFP>.

World Renew Opportunity in Cambodia - Have a heart for Cambodia? Have 5 years of community development consultation experience? World Renew, an agency of the CRCNA, is seeking a Country Consultant for Cambodia to provide leadership in the

development of World Renew's strategy and programs in Cambodia. Candidates with a bachelor's degree, and a minimum of 5 years of community development work and 5 years' of cross-cultural experience are invited to apply. Preference will be given to candidates with fluency in oral and written Khmer language skills or willingness to learn to speak Khmer. For information, please visit <https://worldrenew.net/careers>.

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REFUGEE AWARENESS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES WORKSHOP

December 8th, 2018; 9:00 AM - 12 PM at Inglewood Christian Reformed Church.

Inglewood CRC has recently committed to privately sponsoring and supporting refugees during their first year of resettling in Edmonton. As such we want to be a welcoming and educated community to these newcomers who have a lot to adjust to when resettling here. We would like to invite you to join us to learn more about the pathways and contexts that refugees are coming from in order to be as welcoming and supportive as possible. If your church or group is sponsoring refugees or has newcomers as a part of your community the following workshop may be helpful:

Refugee Awareness for Inclusive Communities is a project by the **Centre for Race and Culture** to provide accurate and comprehensive information about refugees to host communities. This free educational workshop will support individuals and organizations in understanding the pre-migration experiences of refugees, offer practical tools for working with refugee families, and provide ideas for creating welcoming and inclusive environments that ensure sustainable and successful resettlement of refugees in Alberta.

The key learning objectives of the workshop are to:

- Learn about refugee pathways and the global and historical contexts to the most recent resettlement efforts
- Describe barriers and opportunities when working with refugee individuals and families
- Practice using reflective and analytical tools to build their inclusive and equitable practices for refugee individuals and families

If you are interested please email or call Tricia Boonstra at triciaboonstra@gmail.com or 780-297-7037.

FOR THE SECOND YEAR WE ARE HOSTING A SHOWING OF THE OVER 18. It is a documentary about pornography and its impact on our culture, our relationships, our brains, etc. It is not aimed at only those struggling with a porn addiction- it is more about the societal impact of pornography.

All are welcome to join us on Thursday, NOVEMBER 29, at 7pm in The Level here at King's. Feel free to pass this info on to anyone who is interested.