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### From Back to God Ministries International

GROUNDWORK: THE HIDDEN HAND OF GOD - Life's coincidences are much less coincidental when we recognize the hand of God at work. Join Groundwork as we study Esther 5-10 to see how God worked in and through the actions of ordinary people and receive the assurance and hope we need to persevere in faith. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

THE SIX CLOCKS - Check out our kid shows at [www.kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net). In this week's episode, there's a thief on the loose in Terrene stealing clocks! Why clocks? What's the thief doing with them? What lesson does Grandpa Anole teach about contentment? Join in on the adventure and see if you and your family can figure out the mystery before the Lizarardo Detective Agency does! Listen now at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net) and subscribe to KC's weekly emails for future episodes. Download KC's Valentine Card Collection to share with family and friends. [kidscorner.net/activities](http://kidscorner.net/activities).

### From Office of Social Justice

OFFICE OF SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY IS NEXT WEEK! - OSJ Sunday is an opportunity for us all to reflect on the biblical call to justice. OSJ provides resources for learning about the root causes of poverty, hunger, and oppression, and we empower the church to call on those in power to improve systems and enact just policy. Please support this work generously.

### From Faith Formation Ministries

AT-HOME FAITH FORMATION TIP - - Looking for creative ways to pray with kids? Check out a helpful blog post at [network.crcna.org/sunday-school/5-pointers-praying-kids](http://network.crcna.org/sunday-school/5-pointers-praying-kids), or take a look at the book *Praying in Color: Kids' Edition* by Sybil MacBeth, 2009 Paraclete Press. (Tip from Faith Formation Ministries; [crcna.org/FaithFormation](http://crcna.org/FaithFormation))

### From World Renew

WORLD RENEW INVITES YOU TO JOIN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEEK - As Canadians mark International Development Week (Feb 2 - 8) tell your MP that Canadian aid is important to you -- that Canadian Christians care about our global neighbours! To learn how to email your local MP through Canadian Foodgrains Bank, go to: [foodgrainsbank.ca/campaigns/letters](http://foodgrainsbank.ca/campaigns/letters). Also, google "IDW 2020 events" to find an event near you.

### From Resonate Global Mission

EXTREME CHURCH MAKEOVER IN HONDURAS - Do you have a passion for renovating buildings? Do you know any skilled carpenters, plumbers, or electricians? Resonate Global Mission has a volunteer opportunity for you! We're looking for a team to partner with a CRC church in Honduras to spruce up their new property so their ministry in their neighborhood can thrive. Do you have a team from church or school who's ready to take on this project? Learn more by visiting [www.ResonateGlobalMission.org/makeover](http://www.ResonateGlobalMission.org/makeover).