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From Back to God Ministries International

[A LENTEN DEVOTIONAL SERIES FROM TODAY](#) - Lent is a season to focus on the hope of Jesus Christ. Receive a free Today devotional email series to help you refresh, refocus, and renew your faith during Lent. Or download the ebook! Subscribe at todaydevotional.com/lent.

[GROUNDWORK: JESUS PREACHED](#) - When Jesus preached, crowds gathered. Study Matthew 4:12, 17 and Luke 4:16-30 with Groundwork to help us better understand what preaching is and what preaching isn't and to hear for ourselves Jesus Christ's imperative and compelling message about the kingdom of God. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

[JUNK FOOD JUNKIES](#) - Check out our children's programs at www.kidscorner.net. In this week's episode, Liz and his friends are preparing for a race. When it's Liz's turn to provide the snacks, his choices don't help the others and actually make them feel sick after the training. Listen now at kidscorner.net and subscribe to KC's weekly emails for future episodes. Download KC's Lent 2020 devotionals to lead your family's Bible study as you prepare for Easter. kidscorner.net/activities.

From The Banner

[THE BANNER MAGAZINE WANTS TO HEAR FROM YOU!](#) - Please take our survey at thebanner.org/Survey. Help us improve to serve you better. Your participation is voluntary, confidential, and will only take about 10 minutes. Thank you!

From Faith Formation Ministries

[AT-HOME FAITH FORMATION TIP](#) - Faith5 is a simple five-step faith formation practice that your family or household can do together. First, share your highs and lows of the day. Then read a Bible verse or story together. Talk about how the Bible reading might relate to your highs and lows, pray for one another's highs and lows, and bless one another. Faith5 is great for people of all ages! Check out Faith5.org for more. (Tip from Faith Formation Ministries; crcna.org/FaithFormation)

[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.

From World Renew

JOIN THE TEAM AT WORLD RENEW! - Compelled by God's deep passion for justice & mercy, we join communities around the world to renew hope, reconcile lives, and restore creation. If you're passionate about this mission and want to join our team check out the following career, internship, and RFP opportunities: Human Resources Specialist - Capacity Building and Organizational Culture, based in Burlington, ON; Refugee Program Support Intern, based in Burlington, ON; and RFP - Grants Consulting Services. See worldrenew.net/careers for more details about these opportunities, the links to apply, or instructions on how to submit proposals.

WORLD RENEW RESPONSE TO LOCUST DISASTER IN EAST AFRICA - A plague of locusts is threatening food security for many in east Africa. Pouring into Uganda from Kenya, these insects are capable of covering 150 kilometers a day, destroying over 200,000 kg of vegetation. World Renew is accepting donations for "International Rapid Response Fund" to inform the local population on how to respond, how to store harvested food, and manage their food supply. Go to worldrenew.ca or call 1-888-WRLD-RNW (1-888-975-3769).

From Other

MARK YOUR CALENDARS now for the **50th Anniversary Celebration of the Ministry to Seafarers!** We will be gathering on Sunday, May 3, at 6:00 PM at the New Westminster Christian Reformed Church in Burnaby, BC. Details to follow but plan now to join us if you are able. We hope many of you can come.

SAVE THE DATE – June 6th – to participate in the **30TH ANNUAL REHOBOTH GOLF CLASSIC** at The Ranch Golf and Country Club. Our tournament entry fee this year is \$175 and includes an income tax receipt for \$45. Proceeds from this year's tourney will help to build a third large cabin at Rehoboth Camp near Gull Lake. Watch for more information about the 30th Annual Rehoboth Golf Classic coming your way in April. In the meantime, save June 6th on your calendar.

CELEBRATE EASTER IN ZAMBIA WITH EDUDEO Join an EduDeo HANDS Team to Zambia from Apr. 6 – 18, 2020. While sharing in some light duty school upgrading, we will also have the opportunity to celebrate our Lord's death and resurrection with our Zambian brothers and sisters. Come and be a part of this unique cultural experience that will last a lifetime! For more information, contact John Huizinga 289.527.0003 (jhuizinga@edudeo.com)