



HOPE ^{IN} CHRIST
CHURCH

A Christian Reformed Church

Glorifying God by Knowing,
Living and Proclaiming
our Hope in Christ

TODAY'S MESSAGE

The Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

Guest Pastor Marco Daniel

Welcome!

Welcome to Hope in Christ Church. We are so glad
you have joined us today!



Order of Worship

I Believe

Welcome

Call to Worship: Ephesians 6:10-20

Holy, Holy, Holy

What a Beautiful Name

Agnus Dei

Confession and Submission

A Mighty Fortress is Our God

Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

Sermon: The Lord's Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)

Benediction

Battle Belongs



Today's Offering is for the Outreach Fund.
There is a collection basket next to the sound booth.



God is Moving Mountains

An Afghan brother in Christ, Zia, was martyred because of his faith in Jesus. According to those in the community, he was the very first Christian in the Afghan community in this middle eastern country to give his life as a martyr.

The exact details are still unclear. Some say he was burned alive. Others say he was killed in another way. One thing is certain: Zia was persecuted and killed for one reason only—because he belonged to Jesus Christ.

This is one of the newest waves of persecution that has fallen on the church in Afghanistan.

Though the world may not know his full story, heaven does. Zia's name is written in the Book of Life, and his testimony will not be forgotten. Our partner says that he believes through Brother Zia's sacrifice, many more Afghans will come to know the hope and salvation that is only found in Jesus Christ.

Glory to God for the faithfulness of His servant, Brother Zia. May his testimony strengthen the church and awaken many to the truth of the Gospel.

How to Pray:

1. Pray for God to be near to Zia's family and friends, providing comfort and strength.
2. Pray for other believers in the area to also hold fast to their Savior, trusting their life in his hands amidst persecution.
3. Pray for God to open the eyes of non-Christians who know or hear of Zia's story, that they may be drawn to Jesus because of him.

For More Information Visit:

<https://christianresponse.org/news/brother-zia-a-martyr-for-christ/>

Sermon Outline

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Announcements

SOUND/TECH MEETING: There will be a brief meeting after today's service, by the sound booth, for all sound and projection volunteers to discuss the current schedule.

POTLUCK: A soup, salad, & buns potluck is being planned for October 5 during the Sunday School hour. Dessert and beverages will be provided.

ACTIVITY INFO CORRECTION: The bulletin insert, which listed activities and bible studies, had an error. Please note that Wise Guys meets at Panera Bread on Wednesdays from 10am-11am, NOT on Thursdays.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Wednesday, September 24, the women's Wednesday morning bible study will begin. They will meet from 9:45-11am in the HCC foyer on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month and will be studying 1 & 2 Thessalonians and Titus. Let Faye, Hildred or Ev know if you'll be joining them and they'll make sure you receive a book.

CHRISTMAS SNACKS FOR FRIENDSHIP: Friendship is celebrating Christmas all fall! We're looking for Christmassy style snacks on Oct 13 & Oct 27. Let Tanya know if you're willing to help with this.

SUMMIT HOUSE CELEBRATION: Come join the Summit House Celebration September 25, 6:30-8pm, at 2nd CRC in Lynden (710 Front St). There will be a couple songs, a short update on Envision, and the celebration of three of the Summit House men completing one year at the Summit House. Desserts will follow the program.

ATTENTION TEAM LEADERS: The deacons are getting ready to set the budget for next year and they need to hear from you! Please submit your budget requests for next year no later than September 28, and thank you so much for your continual dedication to growing God's kingdom!

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE FAIR: There will be a Christian College fair at Mount Vernon Christian High School. Wednesday, October 1, 2025 from 6-8pm, and at Lynden Christian High School on Thursday, October 2, 2025 from 6-8pm. See the Friday announcement email for registration information.

Hospitality for Sunday, September 28, 2025

Provide: Ida	Set-up: Needed
Serve: Needed	Clean-up: Needed

Servants for Sunday, September 28, 2025

Greeters: Hildred, Clair	Scripture Reader: None
Foyer Monitor: Rachel	Prayer Room: Needed

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