September 27, 2020 WILLIAMSBURG CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Pastor Gregg

Welcome

Call to Worship

Greeting

Confession and Assurance

Children's Message Crayons

Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Sermon Mercy Triumphs Over Judgement James 2: 1-13

Blessing

LEAD PASTOR

Pastor Gregg Lawson 613-438-4774 wcrc.pastor@gmail.com

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRIES

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SERVICE ELDER SCHEDULE

Sep 27	Ype V <i>,</i> Jim K	
Oct 4	Jim K, Eric D	
Oct 11	Eric D, John M	
Oct 18	John M, Neil V	

2 ND COLLECTION		
Sep 27	TCS F.A.C.E	
Oct 4	Harvest House	
Oct 10	World Renew	
Oct 11	Community Food Share	
Oct 18	Christian Blind Mission	
Oct 25	Resonate Global Mission	
Nov 1	Bible League	

SERVICE LIVE STREAM

You are welcome to join our livestream on Facebook **Sundays at 9:30 a.m.** Just click the "streaming live" link on the home page of our website and request to join the group

BAPTISM

If you would like to inquire about baptisms or profession of faith please speak to Pastor Gregg at <u>wcrc.pastor@gmail.com</u> or by phone or text 613-438-4774

THE STORY

Starting October, Pastor Gregg will be leading a Bible study based on the Story Series. An abridged, chronological Bible that reads like a novel. The study will take place in two cohorts, one on Wednesday night from 7:30-8:30 and Sunday nights from 6:00 - 7:00. The study will be the same for both nights, just offered at 2 different times. You must sign up for a specific time as spaces are limited. https://www.thestory.com.

Please email Pastor Gregg to sign up

PRAYERS THIS WEEK

- We pray for Bill and Titia DeVries as Bill has been moved into a care home
- Please give praise for the recovery Taylor Douma, daughter of Thomas and Michelle, has experienced as she recovers from surgery.
- We lift up John and Marguerite VanBruinessen as they continue to struggle with health issues. And at the same time we give thanks for positive attitudes and many helping hands
- We celebrate the recent marriage of Jeff & Lianne Tibben's son Chris to Amily. They will reside in Tilsonburg.
- -We give thanks for the dry sunny weather so that the crops can be harvested. The Lord provides!
- We lift up our local schools (families and staff) as they get adjusted to the new school year.
- We pray for our municipal, provincial, and federal leadership in this volatile time.
- We pray for protection and unity as we face increasing number of COVID cases in our region.
- We pray for our council, pastors and committees as they imagine what church looks like in the new normal of COVID.

A reminder that your Pastors are working and welcome your prayer requests and conversations. Prayer items are only published in the bulletin with full permission from the people involved so stay connected, stay involved and take comfort in knowing our congregation cares.

COLLECTIONS

TCS F.A.C.E.	\$5
Redeemer CHS - Transportation	\$55
GEMS	\$234
Cadets	\$200
Community Food Share	\$100
Budget	\$4211

P.A.R. for September 2020 \$6980

If you are donating by E-transfer to WCRCDonate@gmail.com, funds destined for second collections should be identified in the comment section. Thank you for supporting the work of the church!

TCS – FACE

Financial Assistance for Christian Education (FACE) is a fund that is set aside to help those who desire to send their children to TCS, but find themselves short of having enough to cover the full cost of Christian Education. For more information, talk to one of the Deacons.

Face is collected and administered by TCS themselves to help offset the cost of Christian education. It is set aside to be used first for families from our church. Through this program, assistance is offered to new and existing families, if they struggle to afford the full tuition amount. In most cases a strategy is developed with the family to make Christian education at TCS affordable.

HARVEST HOUSE

Harvest House's mission is to rehabilitate young men who are chemically dependent, to instill in them self-discipline, and to reintegrate them into society by an inner change brought about by faith in Jesus Christ.

RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

Parents, we hope that you have checked out Parent Cue for virtual Sunday School. Families have also been enjoying connecting to Kid's Corner for audio stories and other activities. If you have a great Children's Ministry Virtual must see, please share it.... Contact Pastor Gregg.

https://theparentcue.org/ https://kidscorner.reframemedia.com/

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

wcrcbulletin@gmail.com | Jessica V. | Thursdays @ 4:00

NEW THURSDAY SMALL GROUP!

Do you want to share your faith with a neighbor, coworker or classmate but struggle with how to approach it? What words do you use? How do you not sound like a salesperson but show that you truly care about them?

Starting **Thursday Oct 15, 7:30pm**, you are invited to join a small group that will be aimed to help you with sharing your faith. We'll be using the "Tactics" DVD series by Gregory Koukl and this will be an 8 session biweekly small group. For more questions, please contact one of your pastors!

NOTICE

Pastor Gregg and Laurie will be away on vacation the week of September 28th. Pastor Joe and the elders will be available should any need arise.

DIRECTORY UPDATE

Tim and Birgit Van't Foort: 36 Mooney' Bay Lane, Portland KOG 1V0 Telephone: 613-292-7429 (Tim) Telephone: 613-803-5317 (Birgit)

THE BOOK OF JAMES

Have you ever wondered, if all I need to do is accept Jesus as my saviour and believe that He died for my sins, then I don't have to do anything else?

And while it is a true statement, it falls short of what being a Christian is. The truth is that as a beloved child of God, our lives should look a little different. They should reflect a life of faith. This will be the focus today as we begin our series on the book of James.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK

- Sep 27 Dryden Buter
- Sep 28 Joe Groeneveld
- Sep 29 Jolanda De Jong
- Sep 29 Marc Charbonneau
- Oct 1 Tim Noort
- **Oct 1** Kaley Menkhorst
- Oct 2 Ethan Charbonneau
- Oct 3 George Ross

NEXT WEEK

- Oct 4 Eric Don
- Oct 5 Nick Belmonte
- Oct 8 Karina Johnston
- Oct 9 Diane De Jong
- Oct 4 Eric Don
- Oct 5 Nick Belmonte
- Oct 8 Karina Johnston