

November 8, 2020

# WILLIAMSBURG CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Pastor Gregg

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship**

**Greeting**

**Confession and Assurance**

Psalm 32:103

**Children's Message**

Acts 17:28

'For in him we live and move  
and have our being.'

**Announcements**

**Congregational Prayer**

**Sermon**

Come near to God  
James 4:1-10

**Sending**

Ephesians 4:1-6

**Blessing/Benediction**

### LEAD PASTOR

Pastor Gregg Lawson  
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### YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRIES

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### SERVICE LIVE STREAM

You are welcome to join our live-stream 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

### PROFESSION OF FAITH & BAPTISM

If you would like to inquire about baptism or profession of faith please email, call or text Pastor Gregg

### FROM THE DEACONS

Please check the link sent out with the bulletin email for a newsletter from Ministry to Seafarers. It includes a lot of great information about what's happening in Montreal as well as info on how to get ready for the annual parcel campaign. Also a newsletter from World Renew was delivered with this month's copy of the Banner. **There are some cloth gift bags available** for members of the congregation to use for the Christmas gifts for the seafarers in Montreal. They are on the ledge in the foyer of the church

### SERVICE ELDER SCHEDULE

**Nov 8** Mike L, Harold D  
**Nov 15** Harold D, Dan S  
**Nov 22** Dan S, Ype V  
**Nov 29** Ype V, Jim K.

### 2<sup>ND</sup> COLLECTION

**Nov 8** Bible League  
**Nov 15** Ottawa Christian Reformed  
Campus Chaplaincy  
**Nov 22** Missionary Moses and  
Karen Lubbers-Odel  
**Nov 29** Our Kenyan Kids  
**Dec 6** Christian Horizons  
**Dec 13** Community Food Share  
**Dec 20** Ministry to Seafarers

## PRAYERS THIS WEEK

- We lift up in prayer all those that mourn, mourn for a lost loved one, a lost way of life, a lost hope or dream.
- We pray for the care givers in our community, for those who take care of a loved on and for those that take care of the most vulnerable. May the Lord grant rest and protection for our caregivers.
- We pray for our church, the committees and the leaders, as they plan and work towards Advent in a very different year.
- We pray for all who look for ways to find fellowship, to reach out to the lost, to embrace the lonely.
- We give thanks to God for the Bill DeJong's successful hip replacement surgery. we pray for speedy recovery and restoration to health.

### FALL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Has been scheduled for Thursday, November 19, beginning at 7:30. The meeting can be attended in person at the church or you can participate via ZOOM. The agenda will include the proposed budget for 2021 and updates from the pastors. The proposed budget and agenda will be distributed soon.

### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

**The shoeboxes have arrived at the church!** Pick them up Sundays or Tuesday - Friday mornings (Pastor Gregg is normally in the office during those mornings). Upon your request, we can deliver them to your home. Packed shoeboxes are due back at the church by **Thursday November 19** (or by request, we can pick it up at your home). You can also pack a shoebox online! Please contact Pastor Joe if you have any questions. Check out the website to see what to pack and about the \$10 donation to cover the shipping costs

<https://www.samaritanspurse.ca/what-wedo/operation-christmas-child/>



## COLLECTIONS

Harvest House	\$5.00
Christian Blind Mission	\$5.00
Ottawa Campus Ministry	\$10.00
Community Food Share	\$15.00
Hope & Healing	\$20.00
Timothy Christian School	\$25.00
Our Kenyan Kids	\$30.00
Canadian Food Grains Bank	\$155.00
Bible League	\$210.00
Moses & Karen Lubbers-Odel	\$455.00
Resonate Global Misions	\$847.00
World Renew	\$1,372.00
Budget	\$8,911.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$12,060</b>

## BUDGET UPDATE

	2020	2019
Original budget to end of Oct	\$278,713	\$284,743
Received to end of Oct	\$224,069	\$217,194
Government support	\$9,168	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$244,237</b>	<b>\$217,194</b>
<b>Shortage to date</b>	<b>-\$45,476</b>	<b>-\$67,549</b>

## THE BIBLE LEAGUE

In more than 40 countries worldwide, Bible League Canada partners with churches, indigenous Christian and community leaders, and local governments. Together with their faithful supporters, they are able to provide Bibles, training and resources for Christians who are working on the ground, delivering the Good News to those who have never heard it. Check out this video on YouTube:

<https://youtu.be/bDbyPrGUrIc>

## OTTAWA CHRISTIAN REFORMED CAMPUS CHAPLAINCY

The Ottawa Christian Reformed Campus Chaplaincy is working to establish a generous space for faith within the University of Ottawa. We are working to find the places where faith intersects with learning and do so through an open chaplaincy office, meeting with student groups for various events and topics, and showing up in classrooms and at events in order to bring a Christian faith presence and perspective into the life of the University. The hope and dream is to see an avenue of Christian worldview development among students that serves God and benefits the community life of the University

## CHURCH LIBRARY

The library is open for self-serve use before and after the worship services. Instructions are posted and there is a wide variety of books and videos available

## TCS FUNDRAISER -12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS

We will be running an online auction to help raise money for Timothy Christian School. It will run from **Friday November 20th until Friday December 4th**. More info to come in the coming weeks. **Donations Needed:** contact Karla (karla.pool@hotmail.co.uk), Sharon S. (text 613 330-4498) Kristin G.: (krisv18@hotmail.com), or Cheryl ([cherylthompson10@gmail.com](mailto:cherylthompson10@gmail.com))

## LADIES TUESDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY.

**LADIES**, our bi-weekly Tuesday afternoon small group is almost at **capacity** so another opportunity will be offered. Starting this **Thursday November 12, another bi-weekly small group will begin**. It is an opportunity to share and encourage one another. If interested, please contact Laurie Lawson at 613-393-3117 by phone or text and pre-register. **You must pre-register, follow COVID protocols, bring your own bible, beverage and mask.** This is meant to be casual and meaningful. It will run bi-weekly from 1:30 to 3:00 pm Thursday afternoons.

## THURSDAY NIGHT TACTICS SMALL GROUP

We meet this **Thursday, 7:30pm** at the church to discuss and encourage one another how to have meaningful conversations with friends, neighbors and co-workers. Anyone is welcome.

## YOUNG ADULTS: FIDGETS IMPROV ON ZOOM

Some of you have laughed with the Fidgets in your youth group days - they are back doing a show for young adults on zoom **Friday, Nov 13, 7:30pm**. It's free and you can share it with your friends. We all can use a good laugh these days and the FIDGETS (Dave, John and Chris) are great at doing that! The Zoom link will be sent to you by email, text or Facebook

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### THIS WEEK

<b>Nov 8</b>	Robert Mulder
<b>Nov 8</b>	Steven Postma
<b>Nov 11</b>	Taylor Menkhorst
<b>Nov 13</b>	Kristin Groeneveld
<b>Nov 14</b>	Clarence Haayema

### NEXT WEEK

<b>Nov 15</b>	Manoah Atti
<b>Nov 16</b>	Ava Van Veen
<b>Nov 17</b>	Gavin Honders
<b>Nov 17</b>	Tina De Jong
<b>Nov 17</b>	Pearl Haayema
<b>Nov 17</b>	Jason Schell
<b>Nov 19</b>	Douglas Honders
<b>Nov 19</b>	Kevin TerHorst
<b>Nov 19</b>	Mac Vandemheen
<b>Nov 20</b>	Miranda Robinson
<b>Nov 21</b>	Janet Noort

We rejoice with those celebrating birthdays over 70 years of age.

**Congratulations to Clarence Haayema (86), Pearl Haayema (85), and Mac Vandemheen (83)**

## re-Source Thrift Shop

we are **NOW OPEN!!** There are many volunteer opportunities available. Please contact Brenda at [info@re-sourceottawa.ca](mailto:info@re-sourceottawa.ca) or visit our Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/resourcethriftottawa>) The store is located at 1400 Clyde Ave in the Bleeker mall, and is open from 10:30 am to 3:30 pm Tuesdays through Saturdays. Donations are accepted during store hours. Funds generated from the store will be used to support Christian education in the Ottawa area