

April 18, 2021

# WILLIAMSBURG CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Pastor Gregg

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship**

**Greeting**

**Confession and Assurance**

**Baptism**

Ruthie Harbers

**Announcements**

**Congregational Prayer**

**Special Music**

Broken Vessels

**Blessing**

### LEAD PASTOR

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### SERVICE ELDER SCHEDULE

**Apr 18** John M, Neil V

**Apr 25** Neil V., Chris J

**May 2** Chris J, Mike L

**May 9** Mike L, Harold D

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

**Apr 18** Community Food Share

**Apr 25** Food Grains Local Plot

**May 2** GEMS girls club

**May 9** Diaconal Ministries Canada

### 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.

### YOUTH GROUP

We continue to meet Wednesdays 7:30pm on zoom. This week we'll begin a new series on "Angels and Demons" looking at questions such as: What do angels do everyday? Are demons the same as ghosts? Do I have a guardian angel? Feel free to come with your questions and we'll have a good time learning what the Bible teaches us about them.

### YOUNG ADULTS

On Sunday April 25, 7pm we'll be having another movie discussion! On your own watch "Spiderman: Into the Spidaverse" and then on zoom we'll enjoy good conversation about its themes, messages, etc. Contact Pastor Joe if you have any questions.

## PRAYERS THIS WEEK

- We pray this week for all the students and parents that will not be returning to school after spring break. We pray for continued learning for the students and patience for the parents.
- We pray for all those awaiting vaccines in our area, we pray that more supply would arrive soon.
- We pray for wisdom and discernment for our leaders in our county and province as well as federally as they face more and more challenges brought about by COVID.
- We pray for those in our church and surrounding our church that are battling disease and illnesses. We pray for God's healing and comfort.
- We pray for the nomination and affirmation process for new elders and deacons. We thank the lord for all those who's names are standing for these important roles in service to God's kingdom.
- We celebrate with the Harbers family with the baptism of Ruthie today

### NEW CONTACT INFORMATION - Titia DeVries

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### DIGITAL DIRECTORY

If you would like a digital copy of the new church directory to save on your computer or to carry on your phone, please contact the clerk.

## COLLECTIONS

### Collected from WCRCDonate for the last 2 weeks:

**Budget** \$1,440  
**Camp Adonai** \$30  
**World Renew** \$350

**Total** \$1,820

You can send donations by E-transfer to [WCRCDonate@gmail.com](mailto:WCRCDonate@gmail.com)

Funds destined for second collections should be identified in the comment section. Thank you for supporting the work of our church

### THIS WEEK: COMMUNITY FOOD SHARE

(formerly Dundas County Food Bank) is a registered charity created to help fight hunger in our community. Community Food Share operates from two locations which are open three times a week and a food cupboard open one day a week. We serve over 350 families, representing more than 1,000 people, 40% of whom are children. Our programs are supported through generous donations from individuals, businesses, churches and service organizations in the community.

### NEXT WEEK: FOOD GRAINS LOCAL PLOT

The mission of Canadian Foodgrains Bank is to end global hunger. They do this by collecting grain and cash donations for projects in many countries all around the world. They also manage the procurement and supply of food commodities and engage in public policy and education activities related to hunger and food security. The projects they support provide food assistance to people with immediate food needs, help communities to improve food security (provide food for themselves in the longer-term) through improved agricultural techniques, and help families and communities improve their nutrition

### AFFIRMATION VOTE AND CASTING THE LOT FOR NEW OFFICE BEARERS

After prayerful consideration and virtual visits, council presents the following nominees to fill the offices of elder and deacon: for elder--Andrew De Jong, Mike Dewar, Mark Geertsema, John Guthrie, Derrick Noort and Andrew Van Veen and for deacon--Andrew De Jong, Mike Dewar, Mark Geertsema, John Guthrie, Claude Helder, Derrick Noort and Andrew Van Veen. Council deems that these men have the gifts to serve in this church and trusts that by the process of the affirmation vote and the casting of lots, the men of God's choosing will be selected.

After this announcement is shared with the congregation on April 18 and April 25, the members of the congregation will have the opportunity to affirm that they consider these nominees to have the gifts to serve. You may vote "Yes" for every nominee that you consider has the required gifts. The affirmation vote will be done both on line and with paper ballots and the process will be explained on May 2. From all those receiving 50% or more of the votes from the congregation, the lot will be cast. We trust that our faithful God will bless our congregation through this process and will also bless those who are chosen to serve and those who are not chosen at this time

### FROM REFRAME MINISTRIES

Thank you, congregation, for your recent gifts and your prayers in support of Reframe Ministries. As of this past January, we are reaching out to new Christians around the world with a new name: Reframe Ministries. A different name, but our same commitment to share the Gospel, disciple believers, and grow God's church. Like you, we have found ourselves in a new space because of the pandemic. The digital and social media ministries that Reframe Ministries works in around the world on behalf of your local church have been in the right place at the right time. Now in the spring of 2021, we find ourselves in a position to share the Gospel around the world via technology when personal contact is still limited or forbidden. Please pray for the work of Reframe, especially in this critical time when many are tired and anxious and looking for answers only God can provide through His Son, Jesus. Visit [www.reframeministries.org](http://www.reframeministries.org) to see how your church is making a difference in thousands of lives around the world!

### VIRTUAL MEN'S CHOIR

"Roman's Doxology", Audio only, no video. Everything is in the google drive: <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1dNuZ2pjdAINKinUplMZA7hSQg19fbX7-?usp=sharing> Deadline is April 25.

### BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

#### THIS WEEK

**Apr 18** Wiepo Bruining  
**Apr 18** Andrew DeJong  
**Apr 18** Andrew TerHorst  
**Apr 21** Travis DeJong  
**Apr 21** Gerald Mulder  
**Apr 22** April Dietrich  
**Apr 23** Tim Van'tFoort

#### NEXT WEEK

**Apr 25** Greg Yogurtian  
**Apr 25** Christopher Johnson  
**Apr 26** Derrik Jansen  
**Apr 28** Jordan Geertsema  
**Apr 29** Claire Haayema  
**Apr 29** Emily Tibben

We rejoice with those celebrating birthdays over 70 years of age. Congratulations to **Wiepo Bruining (74), & April Deitrich (75)**

### LOCKDOWN GUIDELINES

The church will continue to have restricted capacity for in-person attendance – 15% capacity. If you are able to participate in the service through our live stream, you are encouraged to do so. However, if you do not have access to the livestream for any reason, you are invited to in person worship with covid guidelines in place