

*Williamsburg Christian Reformed Church
April 10 Good Friday, April 12 Easter Sunday 2020*



CHRIST DIDN'T HAVE ANY SIN. BUT GOD MADE HIM BECOME SIN FOR US.
SO WE CAN BE MADE RIGHT WITH GOD
BECAUSE OF WHAT CHRIST HAS DONE FOR US.

2 Corinthians 5:21 (NIRV)

Dear congregation,

Due to increasing government restrictions and in the interest of protecting everyone in our church and communities, the church will be closed to all visitors until further notice. This means that no one will be allowed to drop off or pick up anything in the building.

Pastor Gregg, Pastor Joe, the elders and deacons will remain available by phone and email. We will update you when we have more information.

Please stay home, stay safe, and keep our loved ones safe. We are in this together.

God bless, Pastor Gregg

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You are welcome to join our live-stream on facebook Sundays at 9:30am. Just click the "streaming live" link on the homepage of our website and request to join the group.

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If you don't have internet access, you can still join our Sunday morning service by telephone.

At 9:25am pick up your phone and
dial 1-855-703-8985.

It is a toll free number, and won't cost anything. The automated greeting will ask for your meeting ID.

Enter 340-735-5548 on your phone keypad, followed by # (which is referred to as the pound key)

It will ask for your participant number:
Enter # again.

That's it.
Tanya Geertsema will be on the other end to greet you, and you can listen to the whole service on your phone.

When the service starts she will mute your line, so you don't have to worry if you need to sneeze or if your dog barks, you won't disrupt the others.

Looking forward to worshipping with you!

Pastor Gregg Lawson

GOOD FRIDAY

Call to worship

Prayer

Greeting

Reading 1

John 12:20-36 - Jesus Predicts His Death

Congregational Prayer

Reading 2

Matthew 26:14-25 - Judas Agrees to Betray

Jesus

Reading 3

Mark 14:22-25 - The Last Supper

Communion

The Lord's Prayer

Reading 4

John 14:1-7 - Jesus Comforts His Disciples

Reading 5

John 18:1-14 - Jesus Arrested

Reading 6

Mark 15:1-15 - Jesus Before Pilate

Reading 7

Luke 23:44-49 - The Death of Jesus

Message - The Shape of Love

Blessing

Prayers

- We remember the Don family with the passing of Eric's sister Trudy on April 5th.
- On Wednesday, Derrick Noort underwent successful removal of the cancerous tumor and part of his liver. The remaining part of his liver is cancer free. He remains in the Ottawa General Hospital. Please pray for God's healing presence.

Pastor Gregg Lawson

EASTER SERVICE

Call To Worship

Prayer

Greeting

2 Corinthians 13:13

Confession and Assurance

Reading 1

Luke 24:1-12 - Jesus Has Risen

Congregational Prayer

Reading 2

1 Peter 1:3-9 - Praise to God for a Living Hope

Message - The Glory of the Resurrection

2 Corinthians 5:21

Heidelberg-Catechism Lord's Day 17 Q. & A. 45
Question

How does Christ's resurrection benefit us?

Answer

First,

by his resurrection he has overcome death, so that he could make us share in the righteousness which he had obtained for us by his death.

Second,

by his power we too are raised up to a new life.

Third,

Christ's resurrection is to us a sure pledge of our glorious resurrection.

Call to Service

Blessing

Revelation 1:4-6

... for the complete forgiveness of all of our sins ...



Happy Birthday

This Week - April

- 13 Shailyn Bruining-Attia
Gertie De Jong
Kennedi Fetterly
- 13 Tessa Wagenveld
- 14 Michael Schell
- 15 Paul De Jong
- 16 Rebecca Adamyk
Janet Douma
Claude Helder
Jack VanGilst
- 17 Mia Henderson
William Mulder
Sarah TerHorst
Samuel TerHorst
- 18 Wiepo Bruining
Andrew De Jong
Andrew TerHorst

Next Week -

- 21 Travis De Jong
Gerald Mulder
- 22 April Dietrich
- 23 Tim Van'tFoort
- 24 Chris Johnson
- 25 Greg Yogurtian

We rejoice with those celebrating birthdays over 70 years of age. Wishing you God's continued blessing as you celebrate.

Congratulations to:
Gertie De Jong - 83
Claude Helder - 75
Jack VanGilst - 71
Wiepo Bruning - 73



MORE INFORMATION RE TITHES AND OFFERINGS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC: Our church continues to function even though we cannot gather together on Sunday mornings for worship. As a result, there are still bills to pay and commitments to meet. Some of the congregation may be having a difficult time financially while others still have their regular income. If you are still able to give to God's ongoing work in and through our church, five different options are available:

1. PAR monthly giving: PAR is managed by the CRCNA and is a means of direct monthly transfer from your bank account to our church's bank account. All funds received go toward the annual budget of the church and/or the benevolent fund. You must specify which fund your donation is for. There is no fee for this service. You can access the application form at the church website or ask for one. The application is given to R. Van Gilst who sends it to the CRCNA office. The application must be received at the denominational office by the 10th of the month and the withdrawal happens on the 20th.

2. Cheques can be mailed to the church. The mail is picked up regularly and the cheques will be recorded and deposited in a secure and healthy way. The cheque must specify which cause the funds are for.

3. Donations can be sent by e-transfer to a dedicated email address, wcrconate@gmail.com, that deposits funds only to the church bank account. The person sending the e-transfer will be identified on the bank transaction and will receive a donation receipt from the church.

4. The denomination has set up another means of giving via the denominational website, www.crcna/ChurchGiving. The funds are given to the denomination which then also issues the receipt. The denomination then forwards the funds to the local church with a list of the donors. The gift can be given by automatic bank withdrawal or by credit card. The credit card donation would have some fees.

5. If you wish to donate by cash, please contact the clerk and he will arrange a pick-up and give you a receipt. Please indicate what cause your gift is for. If you have any questions, please contact any member of council.

