

John 1: 1 - 18

Full of Grace and Truth



1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was with God in the beginning. 3 Through him all things were made; without him nothing would have been made. 4 In him was life, and the life was the light of all mankind. 5 The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

6 There was a man sent from God whose name was John. 7 He came as a witness to testify concerning that light, so that through him all might believe. 8 He himself was not the light, he came only to testify about the light.

9 The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. 10 He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him. 11 He came to his own people, and all who did receive him, to those who did not receive him, he gave the light to become children of God. 12 To all who received him, he gave the right to become children of God— 13 children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God.

13 The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

14 John testified concerning him. He cried out, saying, "This is the one I spoke about when I said, 'He who comes after me has surpassed me because he was before me.'" 15 Out of his fullness we have all received grace in place of grace already given. 16 For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. 17 For no one has ever seen God, but the one and only Son, who is himself God and is in close relationship with the Father, has made him known.

**Sunday Morning
Worship Service
9:30 a.m.**

**Child care provided
for infants and toddlers**
during the morning worship service.

Junior Sunday School
for children born in 2013, 2014, 2015
Dismissed during the worship service.

Sunday School & Catechism
for grades 1 to 12
after the worship service.

**Sunday Afternoon
Bible Study
4:30 pm**

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Unless otherwise noted, our songs are projected from Lift Up Your Hearts. If you can't see the projected songs, this hymn book is available at the back of the church.

Welcome

A warm welcome is extended to our visitors and church family. We are thankful that you have joined us for worship today. May God richly bless you, as we worship together.

Please join us for refreshments in the fellowship hall after the service.

*Pastor Bernie will
lead us in worship today.*

**Dispatches From the Front
Sunday Afternoon 4:30pm - 5:30pm**

There will be **NO** Sunday afternoon Bible Study today.
We will resume again next Sunday.

Gathering Songs –

God Calls us to Worship Him

- *Call to Worship
- *Moment of Personal Prayer followed by
M117 I Love You Lord
- *God's Greeting
- *Songs of Praise
 - 17 "Beautiful Saviour"
 - 603 "Shout to the Lord"

We Renew Our Relationship with God

- Confession and Assurance
- Song of Salvation
 - 695 "And Can It Be"
- God's will for our Lives:
 - 715 The Ten Commandments
- *Song of Dedication
 - 745 "Dwell in Me, O Blessed Spirit"
- Children's Message

We Respond with Thanksgiving and Prayer

- Offerings:
 - a. Local and Denominational Ministries
 - b. Office of Social Justice
- Offertory Prayer
- Congregational Prayer
- *Song of Preparation:
 - 747 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

God Speaks to Us through His Word

- Scripture: John 1:1-18
- Focus: vv 14-18
- Message: Full of Grace and Truth
- Prayer of Application

God Sends Us into the World with His Blessing

- *Song of Response:
 - 859 "Be Thou My Vision"
- *Affirmation:
 - 259 The Unity of the Body
- *God's parting Blessing
- *Theme Verse – 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24
- *Doxology: 947 "We Receive Your Blessing"
*(*indicates please stand if able)*

Prayer items in our church:

Let us rejoice with those who rejoice, mourn with those who mourn; in all circumstances let us keep one another in prayer...

Our youth and Pastor Joe as they attend the All Ontario Youth Convention in Waterloo this weekend.

Church council in providing leadership to the church especially in planning for next season.

All those providing leadership in teaching and leading our children, youth, and adults.

Family and friends who struggle with physical and mental health...have why questions?

Leaders whom the Lord has placed over us: e.g. judicial, municipal, provincial, and federal.

In our Classis we pray for:

Williamsburg, Youth and Young Adults Pastor Joe Groeneveld and for Pastor Gregg, as discerns God's will in the call to Williamsburg.

In South Dundas we pray for: Morrisburg Pentecostal Tabernacle Rev. James Tripp

Prayer Ministry: Prayer requests for the congregational prayer can be passed on to the pastor through phone call, email or text, as well as coming to the Council room just before the service. A prayer team continues to meet in the prayer room before the service.

Offering Schedule

May 19 Office of Social Justice

The Office of Social Justice helps CRC members love our neighbors in tangible ways. We provide resources to learn about the root causes of poverty, hunger, and oppression, and we empower the church to call on those in power to improve systems and enact just public policy.

We prioritize the perspectives of marginalized people most impacted by injustices, raise awareness, educate members, share resources, and prompt advocacy.

It's how we love our neighbors. It's how we live our faith.

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May 26	Friendship Group
June 2	Back to God Ministries International
June 9	Resonate Global Missions

Offerings recieved last Sunday

Budget	\$ 1,726
World Renew	\$ 1,552
Operation Manna	\$ 100
GEMS	\$ 40

New office-bearers: Last Sunday morning the casting of lots resulted in the following: Anjo Norg and Stuart Staal were chosen as deacons and Eric Don, John Menkhorst and Neil VanderMeer were chosen as elders. If there are no lawful objections, these men will be installed in their respective positions in the near future.

Thank You

Thank you for all the thoughts and prayers on the passing of Jean Van Veen. Your cards, phone calls, messages and emails are very appreciated in this difficult time. We are comforted to know that Mom is now with her Lord and Savior. The Van Veen family.

AOYC - www.allontario.com/aoyc-2019 Check out youth conference and listen in on some of the plenary sessions.

**THE BIG GIVE thebiggive.ca**

On Saturday June 1st the churches in our county are teaming up to bless our community through a free yard sale, bbq lunch, bouncy castles, bike repair, face painting and more. The location is Earl Baker park in Morrisburg from 9am - 2pm. If anyone in the church has something to donate to the free yard sale - clothing, furniture, toys, books/music/movies, housewares, tools, etc - please let Pastor Joe know.

"A National Movement of Generosity"

**This Week - May**

- 19 Darrick Staal
- 20 Caroline Ross
- 21 Weston TerHorst
- 22 Tanya Geertsema
Bill Hoftzyer
- 24 Carter Groeneveld
- 25 Jessica VanderVeen

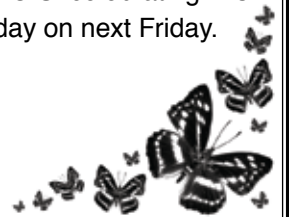
Next Week -

- 26 Tyler Harbers
Elias Staal
- 28 Anjo Norg
- 29 Joel DeVries
- 30 John DeJong
John Guthrie
- 31 Josh Geertsema
Theo TerHorst

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

Congratulations to:

Theo TerHorst celebrating his 81th birthday on next Friday.



Pray for Inspire 2019 - Inspire 2019 is a conference to connect people from across the 1000+ churches in the Christian Reformed Church for three days of worship, workshops, speakers, and conversation. As we plan and prepare for this event, happening August 1-3 in Windsor, Ont., please join us in praying for the event and all who will attend. This week, please pray for worship team leaders Gail DeYoung and Jeremy Simpson. Pray for them as they make decisions about worship sessions at Inspire 2019 and as they plan and prepare. Pray that worship will be powerful and positive for all involved.

Song of the Month

947 "We Receive Your Blessing"

This closing doxology includes familiar words of praise mixed with a prayer for the Lord to change our lives. You can listen the first part of the song here: <https://hymnary.org/media/fetch/152923/hymnary/audio/LUYH2013/947%20We%20Receive%20Your%20Blessing%3B%20Shawnee.mp3>

Verse of the Month -

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

23 May God himself, the God of peace, sanctify you through and through. May your whole spirit, soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. 24 The one who calls you is faithful, and he will do it.

SUMMER JOB POSTINGS

Timmy's Place has received funding for 3 summer students, therefore we are now accepting applications for students who are returning to school in the fall. Students must be at least 15 years of age to apply. Please contact the managers at Timmy's Place, Box 1268 Morrisburg On K0C 1X0 or email timmysplace2@gmail.com.

The Ministry to Seafarers in Montreal has a position open for a paid summer internship.

If you like talking with people and are interested in spending the summer (June-August) meeting seafarers from different countries, this is the opportunity for you. The ideal candidate is mission-minded, interested in international development, pastoral care, cross-cultural studies, chaplaincy, or the maritime industry.

Candidates must have a valid passport, a driver's license, a clean driving record and 5 years of driving experience. IT experience is an asset. Please contact Michelle DePooter at chaplain@ministrytoseafarers.org for more information.

Ottawa Christian Counseling Service: Dundas County Divisional office. Please call the Ottawa office at 729-8454 to contact Elizabeth. All new clients must dial 0 for general inquiries.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY

TUESDAY 7pm **Friendship - Bea**

WEDNESDAY 7pm **Youth Group**

THURSDAY 10am **Tots'NTea**



noon **J.W. MacIntosh Senior Support Centre Diners Club on May 23** at the Morrisburg Legion. Join us for a dinner of Sweet and Sour Meatballs. Stay and listen to the musical talent of Vicki Spurrel. Dinner served at 12:00 Call 613-535-2924 to reserve your seat.



7pm **Redeemer Christian High School invites you** to join us for our annual **Spring Concert and Art Exhibit on Thursday, May 23 at 7 p.m.** in the gym. Come hear our school choir, band, string ensemble, and worship band. Also, we will showcase art and projects from our students. Admission is free and everyone is welcome.

COMING EVENTS



Board of Finance & Administration meeting on May 29 at 7:00pm



THE BIG GIVE On Saturday June 1st



ATTENTION COFFEE BREAK LADIES

June 6th is the date for the ladies Coffee Break get-together. To be held at YEFSI's in Iroquois 12 noon Please let Janet know if you are coming.



LIBERTAS MALE CHOIR – HANDS ACROSS THE OCEAN 2019 TOUR - In concert together with the Groot Mannenkoor Nederland forming a combined choir of 120 voices! Directed by Martin Mans and accompanied by Mark Brandwijk. Wednesday June 5 – Redeemer University College, Thursday June 6 – Port Hope United Church, Friday June 7 – **St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, Saturday June 8** – The Cathedral Church of St. James, Toronto *****All concerts begin at 8:00PM*****

Reserve your tickets today! (Also available at the door)
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	May 19	May 26	June 2	June 9
Elder Hall Monitor	Ype VanderVeen John Guthrie	Jack Van Gilst Andrew van Veen	Harold De Jong Jack Menkhorst	Jason Wagenveld Harold Douma
Deacons	Andrew Harbers	Mike Dewar	Mark Geertsema	Peter Venema
Projector	John M.	Devin G.	Chris J.	Tonu V.
Usher Front Door	Jo-Ann H. Devin G.	Marge N. Ralph N.	Betty-Ann v. Anjo N.	Lindsey/Alie Brent G.
Musician Song Leader	Margo Shirley	Jessica group of 4	Pam Shannon/Siena	Margo Harold
Nursery Cuddlers	Amy D. Crystal B.	Bonnie B. Koryn W.	Bridget D Sarah G.	Jessica V. Jolanda D.
Nursery Adventurers	Dan S. Laura Lee D. Shannon G.	Dan B. Melanie M. Cadie G.	John M. Brigitte D. David T.	Jenn W. Erin V. Brent G.
Jr. SS Teacher Helper	Bridget	Emma Amy	Sarah Brent	Crystal Koryn
Craft Helper	Sharon	Nicole	Kristin	Tracey
Helper	*Stacey	*David	*Jason	*Melanie
Helper	Jordan	Annika	Shannon	Siena
SS Grades 1		Dan	Dan	
Grades 2	Children	Melissa	Melissa	Children
Grades 3	and	Cindy	Cindy	and
Grades 4/5	Worship	Jenn	Jenn	Worship
Grades 6/7/8		Jason	Jason	
Coffee	Tony & Jessica Koop & Katherine	Gerald & Eva Bill & Tina	Ralph/Lisa Will & Bonnie	Jack & Margo Dave & Brenda

Woodland Villa: **May 19** T. & B. Van't Foort, L. & A. Dietrich, P. Venema
June 2 D. & A. Howland, A. & B. VanVeen, P. Venema

Letter to the missionary this week - C. & N. Johnson

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