



**And  
whatever you do,  
whether in word  
or deed,  
do it all in  
the name of the LORD JESUS,  
giving thanks  
to GOD  
the FATHER  
through him.**

**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.*

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*This Sunday we celebrate Christ with the Friendship Group. They will share with us about their year and some songs that they've learned and we'll join with them in a number of songs that they enjoy. Have a blessed Sunday!*

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

Today, 4:30-5:30pm, we'll continue the theme of 1st Peter by watching a video about North Africa, a place that was largely Christian many years ago but has become predominantly Muslim. We'll see how the Christians there share their faith in the face of threats and persecution.

*Everyone is invited.*

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## God Calls us to Worship

Gathering Songs

PH 241 "This is the Day"

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### \*Call to Worship

\*Silent Prayer followed by

610 "Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" 2x

\*God's Greeting

\*Songs of Praise:

M103 "We Will Glorify"

"O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer"

## We Worship with the Friendship Group

Friends share their memory work:

Colossians 3:17

Friends sing a few favorite songs

## We hear about their ministry year

\*Song of response:

709 "Jesus Loves Me"

*(Children 3-5 depart for Sunday School)*

## We Respond with Thanksgiving & Prayer

Our Offerings:

1/ Local and Denominational Ministries

2/ Friendship Ministries

Offertory Prayer

Congregational Prayer

...ending with the Lord's Prayer

\*Song of preparation:

743 "O God, You Are My God" 2x

## God Speaks to us in His Word

Scripture: Colossians 3:1-17

Text: Verses 12-17

Sermon: Be who you are!

Prayer of Application

## God Sends us into the World

\*Song: "Cornerstone"

\*434 Affirmation: My Only Comfort

\*God's Blessing

\*Verse of the month: 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

\*Doxology: 937 "We Receive Your Blessing"

*(\*indicates please stand if able)*

## Prayer items in our church:

- Let us continue to keep in prayers families and friends who deal with illness and loss of a loved one.

- Jayne DeJong's brother, Harry in North Bay, pass away recently. May his wife, Tracy and family, experience the comfort of the resurrected Christ.

- May all who attended the All Ontario Youth Conference last weekend continue to grow in the Spirit's work in their lives. To watch the sessions you can go to [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5iaDI4LbgrmmEqXK\\_DHT5w](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5iaDI4LbgrmmEqXK_DHT5w)

- May the Spirit be with those finishing up the school semester.

- We pray for all farmers across Canada so they can get all the planting done for the coming season.

- We pray for safety of people and animals in places of wild fires and tornadoes.

- May the Spirit guide Pastor Greg and Laurie as they make plans for moving to Williamsburg and Bethany CRC Bloomfield as they transition to calling a pastor.

## In our Classis we pray for:

Athens, Pastor Dan Zylstra and Ascension Day (May 30), praise our Saviour on the throne

**In South Dundas we pray for:** Knox Presbyterian Church, Morrisburg & St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church, Ingleside Rev. Firas Chamas

**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 26 Friendship Group

The mission of Friendship Ministries is to share God's love with people who have intellectual dis-

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abilities and to enable them to become an active part of God's family.

Friendship Ministries is international and inter-denominational. They have helped equip churches from more than 75 denominations in 28 countries around the world to include people with intellectual disabilities.

Your gifts help provide resources, training and support to the hundreds of friends, mentors and volunteers of friendship groups across Canada.

June 2	Back to God Ministries International
June 9	Resonate Global Missions
June 16	Aboriginal Ministries

#### Offerings recieved last Sunday

Budget	\$ 4,332
Office of Social Justice	\$ 463

**P.A.R. for May 2019**                      **\$6,465**

#### Update from Pastor Bernie

Please let me know if you have any concerns and would like a visit. Feel free to contact me at 905-626-1829 or bernie.bakker@gmail.com. Next Sunday I will continue the series on "Grace and Truth" focusing on John 8:1-11. Contact me if anyone wants a copy of Synod 2019 Agenda as I have two extra copies.

**Installation of new office-bearers:** Next Sunday, June 2, Anjo Norg and Stuart Staal will be installed as deacons and Eric Don and John Menkhorst will be installed as elders. The following Sunday, Neil VanderMeer will be installed as an elder. We thank God for providing men to give leadership in our congregation.

## Youth Group Final Night!

This Wednesday, 5:30-8pm, all high school youth are invited to close out our year together with a BBQ dinner at Pastor Joe's home - 4294 Schell St, Williamsburg. And for those who attended AOYC, this is a friendly reminder to fill out the survey that was emailed to you.



# Happy Birthday

#### This Week - May

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

#### June

- 1 Megan Martel

#### Next Week -

- 2 Brenda De Jong
- 3 Katelin DeVries
- 4 Kathryn Mulder  
Eric Tibben
- 7 Anne Knier  
Dick VandenEykel  
Alexa Schuler  
Wobbina Sluiskes
- 8 Harlem Norg

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

Congratulations to:

**Theo TerHorst** celebrating his 81th birthday on Friday.

Celebrating birthdays next week is **Anne Knier** (79)

**Wobbina Sluiskes** (77)

**Dick VandenEykel** (72)





**CAMP ADONAI.** Just a friendly reminder to register for camp before May 31st in order to avoid a late fee of \$40.00 added to the camper registration fee. Currently the registration fee for junior week is \$210.00 and senior week \$275.00. Camp runs from August 11 to 16th (campers who will be 9 years of age this year to 12 years old) and August 17 to 24th (campers aged 13 – 15 years old). Lastly, in order to run camp, we require counsellors. Please visit our website at [www.campadonai.ca](http://www.campadonai.ca) for more information regarding campers or counsellors and conveniently download the applicable registration forms.

### 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.



**Welcome to Kindergarten Morning at Timothy Christian School:** Is your child ready to begin Kindergarten in September? On Thursday,

May 30 TCS is hosting a Welcome to Kindergarten Morning. Beginning at 9am you and your child are invited to spend some time in the classroom, experiencing what learning is like in Kindergarten. This opportunity is for families enrolled at TCS for September and for those who might be considering it. If you want to know more about our Kindergarten program, including our optional full day Kindergarten, please see the website or contact the school: [office@tcswilliamsburg.ca](mailto:office@tcswilliamsburg.ca) or 613-535-2687 [www.tcswilliamsburg.ca](http://www.tcswilliamsburg.ca)



**TCS Memorial Scholarship**

Graduates of TCS who are currently enrolled in a Christian university or college and have completed their first year are invited to apply for a scholarship to be presented at the TCS Graduation. For information please contact James Kooistra at: [james@kooistra.ca](mailto:james@kooistra.ca) or Maryke DeJong at: [dejongpm@gmail.com](mailto:dejongpm@gmail.com)

**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

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### MONDAY

**TUESDAY 7:30pm Elders Meeting**

**WEDNESDAY 7pm Youth Group**

**FAC 7pm Board of Finance & Administration meeting**

### THURSDAY

### FRIDAY

**SATURDAY 9am-2pm THE BIG GIVE [thebiggive.ca](http://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"*



## COMING EVENTS

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### 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)

[www.libertasvoices.com](http://www.libertasvoices.com) 905.522.0001 [info@libertasvoices.com](mailto:info@libertasvoices.com)

	<b>May 26</b>	<b>June 2</b>	<b>June 9</b>	<b>June 16</b>
<b>Elder Hall Monitor</b>	Jack Van Gilst Andrew van Veen	Harold De Jong Jack Menkhorst	Jason Wagensveld Harold Douma	Dan Schuler Ype VanderVeen
<b>Deacons</b>	Mike Dewar	Mark Geertsema	Peter Venema	Andrew Harbers
<b>Projector</b>	Devin G.	Chris J.	Tony V.	John M.
<b>Usher Front Door</b>	Marge N. Ralph N.	Betty-Ann v. Anjo N.	Lindsey/Alie Brent G.	John M. Christine V.
<b>Musician Song Leader</b>	Jessica group of 4	Pam Shannon/Siena	Margo Harold	Tanya Sharon
<b>Nursery Cuddlers</b>	Bonnie B. Koryn W.	Bridget D Sarah G.	Jessica V. Jolanda D.	Lianne T. Christine V.
<b>Nursery Adventurers</b>	Dan B. Melanie M. Cadie G.	John M. Brigitte D. David T.	Jenn W. Erin V. Brent G.	Emma H. John D. Annika W.
<b>Jr. SS Teacher Helper</b>	Emma Amy	Sarah Brent	Crystal Koryn	Sharon Stacey
<b>Craft Helper</b>	Nicole *David	Kristin *Jason	Tracey *Melanie	Bridget *
<b>Helper</b>	Annika	Shannon	Siena	Jordan
<b>SS Grades 1</b>	Dan	Dan		
<b>Grades 2</b>	Melissa	Melissa	Children	Summer
<b>Grades 3</b>	Cindy	Cindy	and	Break
<b>Grades 4/5</b>	Jenn	Jenn	Worship	
<b>Grades 6/7/8</b>	Jason	Jason		
<b>Coffee</b>	Gerald & Eva Bill & Tina	Ralph/Lisa Will & Bonnie	Jack & Margo Dave & Brenda	Ype & Gail Dean & Alice

**Woodland Villa:**      **June 2**      D. & A. Howland, A. & B. VanVeen, P. Venema  
**June 16**      R. & M. Norg, H. & M. Douma, P. Venema

**Letter to the missionary this week** - J. & A. Knier

**Mailing Address** - Karen Lubbers, P.O. Box 423, Soroti, Uganda      **Email:** ttclubbers@hotmail.com

**Custodian / Church hall rental** - Bill & Jo-Anne Hoftzyer 613-652-1211 / jwhoftzyer@hotmail.com

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