

IDENTIFICATION STATEMENT OF THE WYOMING CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

We are the Wyoming Christian Reformed Church. Standing on the infallible Word of God, in the tradition of the Reformed faith as it's expressed in the Heidelberg Catechism, Belgic Confession and Canons of Dort, we boldly proclaim and celebrate the coming of God's kingdom in Jesus Christ. By the strength of His Spirit we gather and enfold newcomers into His covenant of grace. We teach and equip believers and their baptized children for obedient, loving service in all areas of life to the praise of our heavenly Father.

Regarding Worship: Amidst the wide range of worship practices in our culture today, we maintain that worship is a meeting between God and His people in which God is praised and His people are blessed. Worship must be centered on the preaching of the word -the primary means of grace. We deem it is a blessing to assemble twice on Lord's Day to praise His name. Worship is our highest calling and joy.

Regarding Moral and Ethical Living: The Bible is our guide for life. It addresses the sanctity of life (EX.20:13), the roles of men and women in the church and home (1Tim 2:11-15; Eph 5:22-23), the proper attitude toward material possessions (1Tim 6:3-10).

In short, the bible addresses every aspect of our lives. In our world ravaged by moral relativism, we affirm that all the principles for Christian living revealed in the Bible and summarized in the Ten Commandments, remain normative in our lives today. The church's task is to proclaim these principles and to call sinners to repentance and faith in Jesus Christ. With love and compassion, we practice church discipline and encourage penitent believers in their continual battle against the kingdom of darkness.

To strengthen our identity in Christ, we seek contact and fellowship with churches of like mind.

COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ELDERS

John Krale ('21)- Chair, Calling Committee

John DeBoer ('21)- Vice-Chair

Noah Boer ('22)- Vice-All, Youth Rep.

Wes DeBoer ('22)- Pulpit Supply

Ben Dekker ('20)

Ryan Nutma ('20)- Church Ed

Rob Nutma ('22)

DEACONS

Nick Jonkman ('20)- Chair

Zack Jackson ('21)- Finance

Ben Kielstra ('22)

Sid Nutma ('20)- Board of Stewards

Chris Pool ('21)- Clerk

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CUSTODIAN

Tara Boelens

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Bulletin Information Deadline: Please submit all bulletin announcements no later than *Thursday at 12pm* to Brenda Beintema at wyomingcrcbulletin@gmail.com or bulletin@wyomingcrc.net.

Vouchers: Please see Lo Zylstra if you would like to purchase vouchers.

Administrative Assistant Hours: Tuesday 9:00am-12:00pm, Wed-Fri 9:00am-1:00pm.

Sunday Services: 10:00AM.

Sunday Service CD: CD recorder system is down at the moment. Sorry for the inconvenience this may cause.



*Wyoming Christian
Reformed Church
February 9, 2020*



Kiera Klazina Boer



Todd Sidney Nutma



Welcome to our worship services in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. If you come as a visitor today, we hope you will leave as a friend. Whether you are a newcomer to the community or to our church, we are honoured to have you here. May we all be strengthened and encouraged by the proclamation of the gospel. After the service this morning, everyone is invited for coffee and juice in the fellowship hall downstairs.



SUNDAY SCHOOL: Because we are privileged to celebrate the **Lord's Supper** during our morning worship service, there will be no Sunday School Classes for children ages 5-8 or for those with special needs. There will, however, be a **Colouring Class** for children ages 3-4. After the children's time, those wishing to attend may follow the leaders out of the sanctuary and downstairs.

If we can be of any service to you (if you have a prayer request or would like more information about our church and the programs we offer), please do not hesitate to get in touch with an elder or deacon. We are here to "...serve each other in love." - Galatians 5:13

Elders

John DeBoer 519-849-5555
 Wes DeBoer 519-845-0287

Deacons

Nick Jonkman 519-899-2566
 Chris Pool 519-845-1614

Announcements: John DeBoer

Hall Monitor: John Sipkens
NEXT WEEK: Alice Nutma

OFFERINGS:

February 9 AM Church, Deacons
 February 16 AM Church, Petrolia Food Bank
 February 23 AM Church, Refugee Fund

FEBRUARY 2020						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 10:00am Worship Service 7:00pm Youth Group	3 7:00pm Cadets & GEMS	4 9:45am Coffee Break 7:30pm Deacons Meeting	5 7:00pm Friendship 7:30pm Wednesday Night Bible Study	6 7:30pm Worship Committee Meeting	7	8
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VOLUNTEERS

Mother of the Month: Stephanie DeBoer

February 9

Nursery:	Laura Pool, Sandy Dekker, Austin Hoekstra, Nicole Schiestel
Sunday School:	Lord's Supper-No Sunday School, colouring class only.
Door Keepers:	Olga Anjema, Audrey Van Ruitenbureg
Coffee Servers:	Harry & Edith Ann Poort, Jack & Liz Koetsier
Ushers:	Web Boersma, Harry Boers
Accompanist: AM	Diana Schenk
Tech: AM	Craig DeBoer, Harry VanRuitenbureg

February 16

Nursery:	Samantha Boer, Tracy VanRooyen, Derek Huizinga, Melyssa Beintema
Sunday School:	3&4-BethAnn Dekker-Jackson, 5&6-Hilda Sipkens, 7&8-Cindy Boelens
Door Keepers:	Sandy Dekker, John & Sandra Woudstra
Coffee Servers:	John & Corrie Beintema, John Curtis Beintema, Olga Anjema
Ushers:	Wes DeBoer, Curtis Jackson
Accompanist: AM	Praise Team
Tech: AM	Jack Koetsier, Chris Jackson

May God shower you with Blessings on your Birthday!

February 10th Wes DeBoer, Harry Poort



TODAYS WORSHIP

What an amazing day and what a fantastic opportunity for us all to come together to share in fellowship and praise with Pastor Dave VanBerkel from Sarnia First CRC who will lead us in worship today.

We will celebrate the sacrament of Lords Supper this morning as well as celebrate the sacrament of baptism when Noah and Samantha Boer present Kiera Klazina; and Kyle and Amelia Nutma present Todd Sidney.

Lord's Supper Invitation: If you are a guest with us, and would like to share in our celebration, we invite you to do so! Because we hear the Bible's instruction, "*whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord,*" (1 Corinthians 11:27), we extend the invitation to all who love the Lord Jesus Christ as their Saviour, all who are genuinely sorry for their sins, and who are members in good standing of a Christian church. **Please NOTE:** The glasses in the very center of the communion tray have grape juice in them; the rest have wine. May the Lord bless us as we lift up our hearts to him!

NEXT WEEK

Next week, Lord willing, we welcome Mr. Steve Baarda from London to our pulpit.

CHURCH FAMILY

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

- Wytze deRoos is in Petrolia hospital for observation and physio to help strengthen his walking.
- Ron Schenk continues to struggle with affects from strokes and aggressive cancer.
- Due to increased pain from screw that is backing out in his right foot Rick DeBoer is going to have surgery when they have an opening to remove the screw and, in a few months, do a CT scan to check healing. The hope is that MAYBE it is healed enough he won't need more hardware reinserted down the road, but it is still a possibility. Surgery for left foot is postponed.
- Carol DeBoer had a great visit with the doctor where she was informed that they got all the cancer with clean margins, so no radiation is needed. She will be monitored closely for the next 5 years for reoccurrence in the left side.
- Margaret Nywening as she recovers from knee surgery

Remember in prayer Bill Boersma, Arie & Margurite Brouwer, Jean Hoving, Gertie Sipkens, Gerald Verroen and others unable to worship with us.

NOTES FROM COUNCIL

NOMINATIONS: It is that time of year again where we as congregation think about and get nominations for the replacement of Elders and Deacons. This year we need to replace two Elders and two Deacons. Our procedure is to solicit nominations from the congregation and submit these nominations to council. All male members of the congregation who are members in good standing are eligible to be nominated. Please prayerfully consider allowing your name to stand.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

COFFEE BREAK: This week Tuesday we will be studying Lesson 2 - 1 John 2:1-17 "Living in the Light" See you at 9:45 a.m.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: It is that time of year again where the coordinators are busy planning for the upcoming VBS season. VBS week is planned for July 20-24 this year. If you are interested in helping coordinate, please contact Jen DeBoer as soon as possible.

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY: will meet D.V. at 7:30 pm in the consistory room to discuss lesson 16 entitled "The Son of Perdition" based on Matthew 27: 1-10 and Acts 1: 15-19.

ATTENTION SENIORS: On *Friday, February 14th* we will be having a Valentine's Day Dinner at 5:30pm. This will be a special dinner for the occasion and will cost \$10 per person. We will be doing a call out so we will know how many to prepare for. If you are not on our call-out list and wish to join us, please call John & Sientje Bebingh at 519-876-2501.

COLLABORATION EVENING: The Pastoral Search Committee would like to invite all members to an evening of collaboration at the church. We are seeking input from the congregation to help focus our search. Please join us at the church for a drop-in style event featuring casual conversation and refreshments, *February 21st* anytime between 6:30 and 9:00. Child-care will be provided.

BOERENKOOL SUPPER: Join the GEMS for their annual Boerenkool Supper on *Friday, February 28th* from 5:00-7:00pm. See next weeks bulletin for more information.

HAVE YOU BEEN HEARD? Our congregation has a once-in-five-year opportunity to participate in the 2020 CRC denominational survey. This survey helps denominational leadership understand the concerns and needs of local congregations like ours. It is crucial that as many people from our congregation as possible participate. Please visit crcna.org/survey/2157 to answer the survey questions **by February 28**.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

JKCS COMMUNITY DISCOUNT CARDS: John Knox Christian School is pleased to announce a new fundraiser in the form of community discount cards being sold for just \$10 each! These make excellent stocking stuffers and gifts for those hard to buy for people so grab yours before they're gone. This year, the 2020 JKCS discount card features 12 amazing discounts to local businesses in the surrounding area. Examples include 15% off at the Country Yarns store, \$3 off a large plate of fries from Peggy Sue's fry truck, and many more. They will be good for multi-use purchases throughout 2020. Cards will be available for purchase at John Knox Christian School - just visit Mrs. Jackson in the office! Thank you for supporting our school!

JOB OPENING AT WYOMING JOHN KNOX: Our grade four teacher is going on maternity leave after March Break; we are looking for someone to fill her role and finish out the school year. This is a marvelous opportunity to teach an interesting class of 14 students. If you may be interested, or know of someone who is, please contact Mr. Boersma at the school. This may be done in person, through a phone call (519 845 3112) or email (info@wyomingjkcs.com). To apply, we ask for an up to date résumé, cover letter, statement of faith related to Christian education, and a pastor's reference. Please submit by February 14.

REDEEMER UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCEMENTS: Come for a Visit! - Feb. 10, 2020

Are you or a loved one considering Redeemer? Join us for one of our Campus Visit Days where you will have lunch with faculty, get a tour of our campus, sit in on classes and experience our community. To register or for more information, visit: redeemer.ca/visit

Redeemer Reads - March 12, 2020

Over the course of the academic year, Redeemer brings a number of authors to campus to celebrate the work of local writers. On March 12, we will host a reading and Q&A with poet Elizabeth Ross from 5 to 6:30 p.m. All are welcome! redeemer.ca/redeemer-reads

Spring Mainstage: Henry V - March 25-28, 2020

Shakespeare's classic history play chronicles the story of King Henry V of England before and after the Battle of Agincourt in 1415. All performances are in the Redeemer auditorium and tickets will be available soon. For all the details, visit: redeemer.ca/henry-v

Housing for Redeemer Students

Redeemer University is growing, which means more students are looking for apartments, rental units and other boarding options in Hamilton and the surrounding area. If you're a landlord and would like to post an ad for free, please visit: redeemer.ca/off-campus-housing. Our students are waiting to hear from you!

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

INSTALLATION SERVICE: Redeemer Christian Reformed Church in Sarnia is thankful to God for providing Pastor Joe Hamilton to minister to our congregation and community. We joyfully invite the churches in Classis Chatham to Pastor Joe's installation service on ***Sunday, March 1*** at 9 :30AM. Opportunity will be given during the service for churches to send greetings and as such churches are invited to send these along in person or via email. We look forward to celebrating God's goodness and provision together!

CELEBRATE EASTER IN ZAMBIA WITH EDUDEO. Join an EduDeo HANDS Team to Zambia from Apr. 6 – 18, 2020. While sharing in some light duty school upgrading, we will also have the opportunity to celebrate our Lord's death and resurrection with our Zambian brothers and sisters. Come and be a part of this unique cultural experience that will last a lifetime! For more information, contact John Huizinga 289.527.0003 (jhuizinga@edudeo.com)

CONSIDERING FULL TIME PASTORAL MINISTRY? The Classis Chatham Student Fund team would like to offer you financial support in the form of a forgivable loan. If you are pursuing a seminary education and are looking to work in full-time ordained pastoral ministry within the Christian Reformed Church, please contact Pastor Tim Luimes at pastor@blenheimcrc.ca or 519-365-6534 for an application for financial assistance. Deadline for application for this fall's school year is March 1, 2020. This application is for returning students as well as new students.

"Helping Without Harming" Workshop: Join World Renew and Diaconal Ministries Canada for a "Helping Without Harming" workshop to become equipped to help alleviate poverty and injustice through effective engagement in your global and local communities. Collaborate with others and discover how food banks, deacon funds, short-term service trips and other benevolent activities can be more impactful and meaningful. The workshop will take place on ***Saturday, March 7, 2020***, 9:00 am - 1:30 pm at Bethel Christian Reformed Church at 716 Classic Drive in London. Seating is limited, your FREE registration includes lunch! Sign-up today at worldrenew.ca/hwhworkshop. For more information, contact John Klein-Geltink at john.kleingeltink@gmail.com.

JEFF CATTO "THE ONLY LOVE TOUR" – Jeff will be performing at Covenant Church (410 Lansdowne Ave.) on ***Friday, March 6th*** from 7-9 p.m. Come on out and enjoy a night of songs and stories with GMA Christian recording artist Jeff Catto. The cost is \$12 per ticket (50% proceeds to support our Youth Missions). For more information or to buy tickets, please contact the church office at 519-539-6211.

10:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE -Pastor Dave VanBerkel

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Welcome

*Gathering Song: ***LUYH 833- There is a Redeemer***

*Call to Worship:

*Silent Prayer—***ending with LUYH 884 -Hear Our Prayer O Lord***

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: ***LUYH 831- Alleluia, Sing to Jesus***

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM—Rev. Hoogland

Hymn of Response: ***GH 115:1,4,5- Not Unto Us, O LORD of Heaven***

CHILDREN'S TIME—Rev. Hoogland

Meditation & Prayer

(children leave for Sunday School)

Song of Approach: ***LUYH 749:1-2- Spirit of the Living God***

GOD'S WORD READ & PROCLAIMED

Scripture: ***Luke 5:1-10***

Sermon: ***Inadequate***

*Song of Response: ***LUYH 800:1-3- What the Lord Has Done in Me***

SACRAMENT OF LORD'S SUPPER

*Song of Response: ***LUYH 796:1-3- Oh the Deep Deep Love of Jesus***

WORSHIP WITH GIVING

Offerings Introduced & Received

Offering Prayer

GOD HEARS & BLESSES

Prayers of God's People

*Closing Hymn: ***LUYH 553- How Great Thou Art***

*Benediction

*Doxology: ***LUYH 956- To God be the Glory***