

### 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 a blessing to assemble twice on the 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 (1 Tim 2:11-15; Eph 5:22-23), the proper attitude toward material possessions (1 Tim 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 for 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 & Pulpit Supply

John DeBoer ('21) Vice-Chair

Craig DeBoer ('19) Vice-All

Ron Boelens ('19)

Ben Dekker ('20)

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

**Sunday Services:** May – September 10am & 6:30 pm; October – April 10am & 3:00 pm

**Sunday Service C.D.:** CD's are available for shut-ins. Please call John Beintema at 519-339-0759 to make arrangements. Past CD's are also available in the library.

# Wyoming Christian Reformed Church



January 13, 2019

*Sunday Services: 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.*

Pastor: Rev. Bill Hoogland

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**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 morning service, everyone is invited for coffee and juice in the fellowship hall downstairs.



**Sunday School:** Children aged 3-8 are invited to go downstairs for Sunday School after the children’s message and a short prayer of blessing. Parents, please feel free to follow the teachers out and ask them any questions you may have. As we obediently “*train children in the way they should go,*” may it be our prayer that “*they will not turn from it when they are older*” (Proverbs 22:6).

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 a deacon. We are here to “...serve each other in love.” - Galatians 5:13

**Elders**

Ben Dekker 519-899-4769

John Krale 519-402-8669

**Deacons**

Nick Jonkman 519-899-2566

Chris Pool 519-845-1614

**Hall Monitor:** Nick Jonkman

**Announcements:** Ben Dekker

**NEXT WEEK:** Zack Jackson

**Offerings:**

January 13 AM Church, St. Josephs Hospice  
PM Pregnancy Options & Support

January 20 AM Church, Deacons  
PM Ontario Christian Gleaners

The **St Josephs Hospice** is a non-profit organization serving Sarnia Lambton area as a Resource Centre for terminally ill people as they face their illnesses and support programs for people who are caring for or grieving the loss of a loved one. The **Pregnancy Options & Support Center** provide services to women, teens, their partners and parents to make decisions in regards to her unplanned pregnancy. The **Ontario Christian Gleaners** is an Interdenominational Christian organization that seeks to visibly demonstrate God’s love and grace by working with volunteers to collect, process, and make available surplus agricultural produce for the relief of the hungry in overseas nations.

January 2019						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
13	14 <b>7:00pm</b> GEMS and Cadets	15 <b>9:45am</b> Coffee Break  <b>7:00pm</b> Catechism <b>8:00pm</b> Youth Group	16 <b>7:00pm</b> Friendship  <b>7:30pm</b> Bible Study with Steve DeBoer	17 <b>7:30pm</b> Ministry Dev./Evangelism Meeting	18	19
20	21 <b>7:00pm</b> GEMS and Cadets	22 <b>9:45am</b> Coffee Break  <b>7:00pm</b> Catechism <b>8:00pm</b> Youth Group	23 <b>7:00pm</b> Friendship  <b>7:30pm</b> Bible Study with Steve DeBoer	24 <b>7:30pm</b> Full Council Meeting	25	26
27	28 <b>7:00pm</b> GEMS and Cadets	29 <b>9:45am</b> Coffee Break  <b>7:00pm</b> Catechism <b>8:00pm</b> Youth Group	30 <b>7:00pm</b> Friendship  <b>7:30pm</b> Bible Study with Steve DeBoer	31		
February 2019						
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## Volunteers

### **Mother of the Month: Katie Kielstra**

#### **January 13**

Nursery: Laura Pool, Samantha Boer, Jada DeBoer, Karissa Huizinga  
Sunday School: 3&4-Katie Nutma, 5&6-Faith Hoekstra, 7&8-Margi Sipkens  
Door Keepers: Olga Anjema, Audrey VanRuitenburg  
Coffee Servers: Jack & Liz Koestier, Matt & Jen DeBoer  
Ushers: Harry Boers, John Woudstra  
Accompanist: AM Bert VanRooyen  
                  PM Laura Pool  
Tech: AM Jack Koetsier, Chris Jackson  
          PM Brenda Beintema

#### **January 20**

Nursery: Liz Koetsier, Dorothy DeBoer, Mariah Hoekstra, Hayden Nutma  
Sunday School: 3&4-Barb Vanderwal, 5&6-Courtney Nutma, 7&8-Kim Jackson  
Door Keepers: John & Sandra Woudstra, Sandy Dekker  
Coffee Servers: Grace Huizinga, Janny DeVries, Jake & Lydia (VanKlaveren)Feenstra  
Ushers: Web Boersma, Wes DeBoer  
Accompanist: AM Praise Team  
                  PM Diana Schenk  
Tech: AM Mike DeBoer, Harry Van Ruitenburg  
          PM Cindy Boelens

### **May God shower you with Blessings on your Birthday!**

January 17<sup>th</sup> Margurite Brouwer  
January 18<sup>th</sup> Marlene Hoekstra, Andrew Schenk  
January 19<sup>th</sup> John Bebingh



*Isaiah 64:3, You did awesome things that we did not expect, you came down, and the mountains trembled before you.*

### **TODAYS WORSHIP**

We come together on this wintery Sunday to worship with Rev. Hoogland who will lead both services today.

### **CHURCH FAMILY**

Thank you for your words of encouragement, prayers and cards during my surgery. We are thankful that God has kept me in His care. Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Willy Pool

Harvey and Joanne Osborne address: 521 Wellington Street, Petrolia, ON N0N 1R0  
Phone number: 226-738-0627. Please add them to your directory.

### **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

- Theresa Boelens continues to recover after a second stem cell treatment for multiple myeloma.
- Ben Dekker's dad Clarence Dekker has gained strength this week.
- Betty Leystra's son Joe is recovering after surgery for a blocked artery in abdomen.
- Olga's daughter, Sheri - Anne Jouvstra's surgery was successful. They were able to remove 100% of the tumor and she returned home this past Thursday. Please pray for continued recovery.
- John Krake is currently undergoing testing and consultation with doctors to determine treatment options for the cancer found in one of his lymph nodes in the groin area. Results of the testing and consultations should be complete within the next few weeks and a course of action for treatments will be finalized then.

Remember in prayer Noah Boer's father Greg, Bill Boersma, Arie & Margurite Brouwer, Rick DeBoer, Jean Hoving, Fred Poort, Gertie Sipkens, and others unable to worship with us.

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**BOOK CLUB:** Are you interested in reading good Christian literature? Join us for an informal book club! We'd like to use books from various genres to study and learn biblical principles and precepts together. We hope to keep this simple and informal and would love ideas about how to proceed with this. If you are interested or have ideas or questions, please contact Beth Dekker-Jackson: 519-328-3037; or Sandy Dekker: 519-330-9134

**MENTORING:** There is a sign-up sheet in the basement for anyone willing to become involved in a mentoring/discipling program. Please prayerfully consider how you can be involved. Jesus gave us a wonderful example; He disciplined his followers, then sent them out to disciple others. He intentionally poured Himself into the lives of others. What blessing and growth there will be for us as we follow His example.

**COFFEE BREAK:** Our study this week takes us to Lesson 5: Exodus 4:27-5:21-entitled "No Easy Task". Moses is learning to trust the Lord, and he will have more to learn about that when he meets Pharaoh, as we see in the scriptures for this lesson on Tuesday 9:45 a.m.

**COFFEE BREAK NURSERY HELP:** Coffee break needs nursery volunteers to watch all the little ones while their mom's attend coffee break. There will be a sign-up sheet in the nursery or contact Amelia Nutma if you are able to help. It is only for 1 hour on Tuesday mornings, so please help out so these moms can join.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY:** will meet D.V. at 7:30 pm in the consistory room to discuss lesson 11 based on Revelation 6: 1-8. This lesson is entitled "The Four Horsemen".

**VOLUNTEER:** Safe Church is looking for more volunteers to hall monitor. If you are willing and able please contact Brenda Beintema by January 27<sup>th</sup>. Looking for more door keepers as well for Sunday mornings. If you are willing please contact Brenda Beintema by Sunday January 20<sup>th</sup>.

**CONGREGATIONAL INPUT REQUESTED:** The Worship Committee is eager to hear from you, our church family, regarding suggestions for worship -- both music and liturgy-related. As a committee we are excited about the year ahead! Our committee members are: Diana Schenk (Librarian and Music Team), Matthew VanRooyen (Youth Rep. and Liturgy Team.), Rev. Bill Hoogland (Council Representative), Grace DeBoer (Chair and Music Team), Maggi Boersma (Vice-Chair and Liturgy Team), Jen DeBoer (Secretary/Treasurer and Music Team), Willy Pool (Liturgy Team) and Chris Jackson (Tech Team.) We encourage you to communicate your ideas and input through any one of the above-mentioned committee members.

**CHURCH VISITORS:** We will have the privilege of welcoming our church visitors to the council meeting on January 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm. Please contact a council member if you wish to attend.

## SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**DESSERT INFORMATION EVENING:** at London Christian High - If you are considering London Christian High for your child's secondary education, we invite you to join us *Wednesday, January 16* at 7pm at London Christian High. Tour the school, meet the teachers and learn more about our program of learning. Parents and students in grades 5-12 are welcome! To register for the evening, or for more information, email Gabriella at [ghoogstra@lchonline.ca](mailto:ghoogstra@lchonline.ca).

**JKCS OPEN HOUSE:** John Knox Christian School is hosting their annual Open House on *January 23, 2019* from 9:30-11:30 and 1:00-3:00. We invite all families interested in a Christian education at JKCS to come to the school and meet with the teachers, see classes in action, tour the facilities, look through curriculum and meet future classmates! Each potential student will enjoy some time in the classroom. Information packages will be available. For more information, please contact the office: 519-845-3112. Thank you!

## REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

**REV. DIRK MIEDEMA RETIRES:** Aylmer Christian Reformed Church ON Canada congratulates Rev. Dirk Miedema, together with his wife Grace, as they celebrate his retirement from congregational ministry.

We thank God for more than seven years of faithful ministry with us, and for a total of 37 years serving congregations in Dresden, Acton, Clinton, Ingersoll, Woodstock Maranatha, and Aylmer in addition to classis and denominational service.

You are welcome to join us for Rev. Miedema's farewell worship service on *Sunday January 27, 2019 DV @ 10:00 AM @ Aylmer CRC -110 Caverly Rd.*

All friends are also invited to join us for an evening of celebration on *Friday February 1, 2019 DV @ 7:00 PM @ Immanuel Christian School (75 Caverly Rd. Aylmer ON)* For more information, or to RSVP contact church office Administrator @ [aylmercrc@amtelecom.net](mailto:aylmercrc@amtelecom.net) or 519-773-3025

**LAST FRIDAY COFFEE SOCIAL:** An invitation to the "Last Friday Coffee Social, Friday, *January 25th*. at 10:00 A.M. in the Fellowship Hall in the Living Hope Christian Reformed Church, 1281 Exmouth Street, Sarnia. There will be a showing of a film of the famous "Warther Museum" in Dover, Ohio, which deemed "Priceless" by the Smithsonian Institute, a AAA Gem Attraction. Come and join us and invite a friend.

**10:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE**

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

Welcome

\*Gathering Song: *For the Beauty of the Earth, LUYH 19 vs.1,2,4,5*

\*Call to Worship: *Isaiah 64:1-5*

\*Silent Prayer

\*Hymn of Response: *God Is So Good, LUYH 777 vs.1,2,4*

\*God's Greeting

\*Song of Praise: *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee, LUYH 581*

**GOD INVITES RE-COMMITMENT**

Song of Confession: *Gracious God My Heart Renew, BH 95*

Assurance of Pardon

God's Will for Us: *1st Peter 1:13-2:3*

Song of Dedication: *Faith of Our Fathers, BH 443*

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

Prayer

Song of Approach: *In Sweet Communion, Lord, with You, LUYH 346*

**GOD'S WORD READ & PROCLAIMED**

Scripture: *Philippians 3:1-14*

Sermon: *Confidence*

\*Song of Response: *Praise the Lord! Sing Hallelujah, LUYH 518*

**WE RESPOND IN FAITH**

Offerings Introduced & Received

Offering Prayer

Congregational Prayer

**GOD BLESSES**

\*Doxology: *Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer, LUYH 43*

\*Benediction

\*Three-fold Amen

**3:00 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICE**

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

Gathering Song: *God, We Sing Your Glorious Praises, LUYH 519 vs.1,2,4*

Call to Worship

Silent Prayer

Song of Response: *How Firm a Foundation, BH 411 vs.1,2,3,5*

\*God's Greeting

\*Song of Praise: *He Leadeth Me, LUYH 440*

**GOD INVITES PROFESSION**

\*Canons of Dort Main Point 5, Article 10

\*Song of Response: *Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine, LUYH 363*

**GOD SPEAKS TO US**

Sermon: *Gospel Truth*

*Lord's Day 6*

\*Song of Response: *Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross, BH 354*

**WE RESPOND IN FAITH**


Offerings Introduced & Received

Offertory Prayer

\*Doxology: *Abide with Me, LUYH 466*

\*Benediction

\*Three-fold Amen



Hey Kids,

Please remember to practice our song of the month: "Praise Him, Praise Him!"

Also, please remember to bring in an item for the Petrolia Food bank each week!