

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

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John DeBoer ('21) Vice-Chair

Craig DeBoer ('19) Vice-All

Ron Boelens ('19)

Ben Dekker ('20)

Ryan Nutma ('20)

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

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.



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January 6, 2019

10:00am service lead by Mr. Steve Baarda,
3:00pm service lead by Mr. Harvey Osborne.

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

Craig DeBoer 519-464-3448

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Announcements: John DeBoer

Deacons

Zack Jackson 519-381-0249

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Hall Monitor: Alice Nutma

NEXT WEEK: Nick Jonkman

Offerings:

January 6 AM Church, Ed Relief

 PM World Missions

January 13 AM Church, St. Josephs Hospice

 PM Pregnancy Options & Support

Christian Reformed World Missions has been helping Christian Reformed churches fulfill the Great Commission primarily through planting churches and sending missionaries around the world.

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*.

January 2018						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	31 NEW YEARS EVE 6:30pm Service	1 NEW YEARS DAY 10:00am Service	2	3 7:30pm Worship Committee Meeting	4	5
6	7 GEMS leaders meeting	8 9:45am Coffee Break 7:00pm Catechism 8:00pm Youth Group 7:30pm Deacons Meeting	9 7:30pm Bible Study with Steve DeBoer	10 7:30pm Elders Meeting	11 1:00pm Seniors Social	12
13	14 7:00pm GEMS and Cadets	15 9:45am Coffee Break 7:00pm Catechism 8:00pm Youth Group	16 7:30pm Bible Study with Steve DeBoer	17 7:30pm Ministry Dev./Evangelism Meeting	18	19
20	21 7:00pm GEMS and Cadets	22 9:45am Coffee Break 7:00pm Catechism 8:00pm Youth Group	23 7:30pm Bible Study with Steve DeBoer	24 7:30pm Full Council Meeting	25	26
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Volunteers

Mother of the Month:

January 6

Nursery: Tracy VanRooyen, BethAnn Dekker-Jackson,
Samantha Huizinga, Robbie Schiestel

Sunday School: 3&4-Sylvia VanderWal, 5&6-Amelia Nutma, 7&8-Cindy Boelens

Door Keepers: Jack, Josh and Liana Koetsier

Coffee Servers: Darryl & Jenn VanRooyen, Jim & Jane Dam

Ushers: Zack Jackson, Shane Boelens

Accompanist: AM Praise Team
PM Bert VanRooyen

Tech: AM
PM

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 VanRuitenburch

Coffee Servers: Jack & Liz Koestier, Matt & Jen DeBoer

Ushers: Harry Boers, John Woudstra

Accompanist: AM Bert VanRooyen
PM Laura Pool

Tech: AM
PM

May God shower you with Blessings on your Birthday!

January 6th Malachi Kielstra

January 7th Logan Sipkens, Carter Duff

January 8th Tracy VanRooyen

January 9th Matthew DeBoer

January 11th Alexander Hoekstra, Renee Schiestel,
Steve Schiestel

January 12th Michael Schenk



TODAYS WORSHIP

We come together to worship where Mr. Steve Baarda will lead us in worship this morning and Mr. Harvey Osborne for the evening Service.

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

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 lost strength this week.
- Rick DeBoer submitted to emergency surgery on his elbow.
- Willy Pool returned home after surgery to repair a hole in her heart.
- Betty Leystra's son Joe is recovering after surgery for a blocked artery in abdomen.
- The Dokter family as they morning the loss of Linda Dokter.
- Olga's daughter, Sheri - Anne Jouwstra will be having surgery for a brain tumor (vestibular schwannoma) on Monday Jan 7. This will be a 10-hour surgery and we covet prayers for a successful surgery.

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

ATTENTION SENIORS: Mark the date *Friday, January 11th* on your calendar. We will be having an afternoon of games and socializing, also at 2:00pm students from JKCS Choir will be entertaining us. We will be ending the afternoon with a great selection of pizza. We hope to see you all there at 1:00pm so you will not miss out on the entertainment at 2:00pm. We will also be doing a call-out to see how many people will be there for the pizza. We would also like to see more seniors participate so if you are 55 years and older please let John Bebingh know if you would like to be put on our call out list.

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.

LOST AND FOUND: There are several items by the mail slots that have been found around the church. If you recognize one of these items, please grab them by next Wednesday, else they will be donated to Bibles for Missions. Thank you.

COFFEE BREAK: Welcome to the new year, 2019! On Tuesday, January 8, we will study Lesson 4: Exodus 4:1-26 "But what if...."? As we focus on the character of God and the development of Moses' faith, this lesson provides some details about Moses' preparation to serve and obey God. See you there at 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 continue our study of the book of Revelation. This is our 10th lesson and is based on Revelation 5 and entitled "Who is Worthy to Open the Scroll?"

VOLUNTEER: Board of Stewards are looking for volunteers to help with small paint projects around the church. If you are interested, please contact Rob Nutma or Sid Nutma.

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.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

SURSUM CORDA CHRISTIAN MALE CHORUS: Sarnia's Sursum Corda Christian Male Chorus will commence our weekly choir practices this Wednesday, January 9th., at 7:30 P.M. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Christian reformed Church, corner Exmouth Street & Murphy Road in Sarnia. New members welcome!

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 or 519-773-3025

Hey Kids!! Happy New Year!!

A special thank you to all the families who participated in the church service at Meadowview!! It was a blessing to all!

The next song that we will be learning is "Praise Him, Praise Him." The words will be put in your mailslots! Please encourage your kids to learn this new song!!

Remember to bring in donations for the Petrolia Food bank each week!!



10:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Welcome

Gathering Song: *LUYH 103 "Arise, Shine, for Your Light Is Come"*

Call to Worship: *Psalm 24:7-10*

Silent Prayer

Hymn of Response: *LUYH 5 "Let All Things Now Living"*

God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: *LUYH 360 "You Are My King (Amazing Love)"*

GOD INVITES RE-COMMITMENT

Call to Confession: *based on 1 John 1:8-9*

Song of Confession: *LUYH 630 "O Christ, the Lamb of God"*

Assurance of Pardon: *based on Romans 8:34; 2 Corinthians 5:17*

God's Will For Us: *Ephesians 6:10-18*

Song of Dedication: *LUYH 738 "Jesus, All for Jesus"*

CHILDREN'S TIME

Meditation & Prayer

(children leave for Sunday School)

Song of Approach: *LUYH 537 "Open the Eyes of My Heart"*

GOD'S WORD READ & PROCLAIMED

Scripture: *Matthew 16:24-27; Philippians 3:10-11*

Sermon: *"Be a Hero"*

*Song of Response: *LUYH 611 "Mighty to Save"*

WORSHIP WITH GIVING

Offerings Introduced & Received

Offering Prayer

GOD HEARS & BLESSES

Prayers of God's People

*Doxology: *LUYH 964 "Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow"*

*Benediction

*Three-fold Amen

3:00 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Welcome

Gathering Song: *LUYH 503 "As the Deer"*

Call to Worship: (Based on Psalm 9: 1 – 2)

Silent Prayer

Song of Response: *LUYH 553 "How Great Thou Art"*

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: *LUYH 571 "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"*

GOD INVITES PROFESSION

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*Song of Profession: *LUYH 350 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"*

GOD'S WORD READ & PROCLAIMED

Scripture: *Acts 4: 1 - 12*

Sermon: *"YOU SAID WHAT?"*

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

*Song of Response: *LUYH 327 "When We Walk with the Lord"*

Offerings Introduced & Received

Offertory Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

*Closing Song: *LUYH 926 "God of Grace and God of Glory"*

*Benediction