

2019	JAN 5	JAN 12	JAN 19
WORSHIP LEADER	PASTOR PIET	PASTOR PIET	PASTOR PIET
OFFIC. ELDER	ALLAN SARAH, PETER (COMMUNION)	ALLAN	JOHN
DEACON	ANNA	SAM	MARTIN
1ST OFFERING 2ND OFFERING	1ST—COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL 2ND—CALVARY CRC	1ST—MINISTRY SHARES 2ND—CALVARY CRC	1ST—SAFE CHURCH-DENOMINATIONAL 2ND—CALVARY CRC
SOUND	JOHN	JACOB	GEORGE
PROJECTION	HUB	RYAN	LES
GREETERS	TANNIE & JOHN Z	JEAN & JACKIE L	MARK & LINDA M
NURSERY	STEPHANIE H CAROL F ABBY D	WASSENAAR KELLY H KATHERINE R	MELISSA F SAMANTHA F DENISE F
SUNDAY SCHOOL	MELISSA F & KATIE F	KRISTINE R & JACOB F	KELLY H & KATIE R
COFFEE CLEANUP	BRENDA & PETER H DANIEL & YOLANDI F	KEES & KRISTEN R, CARL & MARGO B, PETER & MONIQUE D	MIKE & LISA D, ALEX & RACHELLE R, DAVE S

CALVARY CALENDAR		
SUNDAY, JAN 5	10:00 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
MONDAY, JAN 6	6:30 PM	CADETS, GEMS
TUESDAY, JAN 7	10 AM	CHURCH
SUNDAY, JAN 12	10:00 AM	MORNING WORSHIP

Calvary strives to be a Safe Church. We aim to be a community in which members respect the value of each person. In an environment that nurtures worship and spiritual growth, people should not fear any kind of abusive behavior. If anyone has a concern or wishes to report an incident of such behavior, please contact Sarah Cook of the SCC (the Safe Church Committee, see directory).

**All bulletin announcements are due Wednesdays by 6 pm.**

Send to: [bulletin@calvarycrc.ca](mailto:bulletin@calvarycrc.ca)

**CALVARY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH**  
**SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE: 10:00 AM**  
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**CALVARY**  
 Christian Reformed Church - Ottawa  
 Pastor Pieter Heerema - Sunday, January 5, 2020  
[www.calvarycrc.ca](http://www.calvarycrc.ca)

*Gathering*  
Welcome and Announcements  
Gathering Prayer for Worship  
**\*Singing:** Be Still, for the Presence LUYH 532

*\*Call to Worship*  
Long ago, God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets;  
**now God has spoken to us by a Son.**  
God made the world through the Son,  
who has been appointed heir of all things  
and the perfect reflection of God's glory.  
**The Son is the exact representation of God's being,  
sustaining all things by his powerful Word.**  
Praise God for the gift of the Son.  
**We welcome the light of the world!** (based on Hebrews 1:1-3 WS)  
*\*God's Blessing* ("...Amen")

Beloved, May the Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**  
**\*Singing:** Gather Us In LUYH 529

Children's Time (3-8 yr olds leave for Church School)

*Confession and Assurance of Forgiveness*  
Call to Confession  
Prayer of Confession  
Eternal Light,  
**shine in our hearts;**  
Eternal Goodness,  
**deliver us from evil;**  
Eternal Power,  
**be our support;**  
Eternal Wisdom,  
**scatter the shadows of our ignorance;**  
Eternal Compassion,  
**have mercy on us,  
that with heart and mind  
and soul and strength  
we may seek your face  
and be brought by your infinite mercy  
to the Holy Presence,  
through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

**Singing:** Your Mercy Flows LUYH 700  
Assurance of Pardon  
God's Will for Us  
**\*Singing:** We Are an Offering LUYH 874

Congregational Prayer  
Offerings: First: Community Chrisitan School (Metcalf)  
Second: Calvary Church (our ministry)  
**\*Singing:** Ancient Words LUYH 762

*Proclamation of the Word*  
Prayer  
Scripture: Luke 9:51-10:37  
Leader: This is the Word of the Lord  
**People: Thanks be to God!**  
Message: Neighbour

*Thanksgiving*  
**\*Singing:** When Asked, Who Is My Neighbour LUYH 294  
(9-15 yr olds leave for Church School)

Holy Communion  
Words of Institution, Confession, Invitation  
**Singing:** Behold the Lamb LUYH 840  
Words of Preparation, The Communion, Thanksgiving

*\*Sending*  
**\*Singing:** Go, My Children, with My Blessing LUYH 946  
**\*God's Parting Blessing**  
**Amen.**  
**\*Time of Silent Thanksgiving**

LUYH = Lift Up Your Hearts (red hymnal)  
PH = Psalter Hymnal (grey hymnal)  
MP = Maranatha Praise (red book)  
WS = Worship Sourcebook  
RW = Reformed Worship Magazine

### Welcome to Calvary Church

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We hope your time with us will be a blessing to you. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask those seated next to you for help. If you would like a visit with the pastor, please contact him (see the bulletin for contact information).

**Nursery** is provided during worship: the nursery is located directly behind the sanctuary.

**Church School:** Children and youth worship is with the congregation until it is their time to go to church school. Departure times are announced during worship and are also printed in the order of worship in the bulletin.

**HOLY COMMUNION:** This morning at Calvary Church we plan to celebrate the Lord's Supper. The Bible teaches that partaking of Communion is a blessing, provided we carefully prepare our hearts. In order to do that you are asked to affirm before God the following statements:

- I am a repentant sinner, trusting in Jesus Christ alone for my salvation.
- I have a sincere commitment to live for Jesus. Jesus is Lord of my life.
- I am a member of a Christian church.

**If these statements are true for you, please celebrate Communion with us.**

#### **Church Family:**

As we begin a new year of ministry at Calvary, let each of us be mindful of those with special needs in health, family, finances, education and in other parts of daily life. Let be in prayer for those who experience sadness, depression and loneliness. May we also continue to pray for those in need of care and for those who provide care. May God grant each of us what we need.

Epiphany Series: During the season of Epiphany we will be making use of a sermon series entitled "Christ Talks". This series was put together by Rev. Clayton Libolt and can be found in "Reformed Worship" (#133).

MAIL SLOTS: Please check and empty your mail slot regularly. Anyone wanting a mailbox is asked to contact Kathryn Vedder.

#### Worship Schedule:

Today: Epiphany Sunday, Holy Communion, Pastor Piet

January 12: Second Sunday of Epiphany, Pastor Piet

January 13: Third Sunday of Epiphany, Pastor Piet

January 19: Fourth Sunday of Epiphany, Pastor Piet

**Classis Prayer Request:** Please pray for God's blessing on the ministries, the leaders and the members of our church and our Pastor Pieter Heerema.

#### Our Offerings

**Today — Community Christian School**

**January 12 — Ministry Shares**

**January 19—Safe Church Committee (Denominational)**

**Ottawa 67's Game:** The Cadets of the Golden Triangle, of which our club is a member, are inviting everyone to the Ottawa 67's hockey game on Saturday, January 25 at 2:00 pm at TD Place. Please let Fred Vedder ([fkvedder@rogers.com](mailto:fkvedder@rogers.com)) know by January 11 how many tickets you would like. Cost per ticket is \$15.

**Your Gifts:** Copies of the 2020 Offering Schedule are available in the rack behind the 3 greeters in the fellowship hall. May God bless our giving.

**At-home Faith Formation Tip:** There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens: a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot, a time to kill and a time to heal, a time to tear down and a time to build, a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance" (Eccles 3:1-4). As we enter a new year full of unknowns, remind each other to take comfort in the knowledge that all your times are in God's hand

**Arab Spring - Christian Winter?** Many Christians in the West know very little about the existence of Arab and other ancient Christian churches in the Middle East and North Africa, many of which can trace their roots back to biblical times. International Director for Langham Scholars Dr. Riad Kassis will explain Arab Christianity's long history and present crisis, what the Bible has to say about it and if Canadian Christians can play a role in this volatile region. For more information, visit: [redeemer.ca/arab-spring-christian-winter](http://redeemer.ca/arab-spring-christian-winter)