

2020	JAN 26	FEB 2	FEB 9
WORSHIP LEADER	PASTOR PIET	JACOB ZWIERS	PASTOR PIET
OFFIC. ELDER	ALICE	BERT	TRUDY
DEACON	LISA	CHRIS	MARSHA
1ST OFFERING 2ND OFFERING	CAMP ADONAI CALVARY CRC	RACE RELATIONS CALVARY CRC	CADETS CALVARY CRC
SOUND	KEVIN	GLENDEN	JOHN
PROJECTION	MIKE	HUB	RYAN
GREETERS	MARGO & CARL B	STEVEN & JENNY J	GRACE & HUB S
NURSERY	CATHY V SYLVIA B MEGAN D	KRISTINE R MARY J ELIZABETH R	NANCY B LISA D CHLOE M
SUNDAY SCHOOL	ELIZABETH R & DENISE F	MELISSA F & KATIE F	KRISTINE R & JACOB F
COFFEE CLEANUP	SHARON & MARC L RAY & MARY J BETH & JOHN R	ALICIA & JESSE A PETER & CAROLE V JACOB F	JENNY & STEVE J GRETA G JOEY R & SYLVIA B

CALVARY CALENDAR		
SUNDAY, JAN 26	10:00 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
MONDAY, JAN 27	6:30 PM	CADETS & GEMS
TUESDAY, JAN 28	10:00 AM	FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE
WEDNESDAY, JAN 29	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM	MEN'S BOWLING (MCARTHUR LANES) HANDS ON
SUNDAY, FEB 2	10:00 AM	MORNING WORSHIP

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 26, 2020  
[www.calvarycrc.ca](http://www.calvarycrc.ca)

**Order of Worship — 10:00 AM**  
PASTOR PIETER HEEREMA

*\*please stand in body or in spirit*

*Gathering*

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Prayer for Worship

**\*Singing:** Ten Thousand Reasons LUYH 559

*\*Call to Worship*

*\*God's Greeting:*

Arise, shine, for your light has come!

**The glory of the Lord has risen upon us.**

Let us praise the Lord together.

**The sun shall no longer be our light by day,  
nor will the brightness of the moon shine on us,**

for the Lord will be our light,  
and our God will be our glory.

**The Lord will be our everlasting light,  
and our days of sorrow will end.**

Come, let us sing to our light and salvation! (based on Isaiah 60; WS p.496)

Beloved, May the Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

**\*Singing:** How Great Thou Art LUYH 553: 1,3,4

Children's Time

(3-8-yr-olds leave for Church School)

*Confession and Assurance of Forgiveness*

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

God's Will for Us

**\*Singing:** My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less LUYH 772

*Proclamation of the Word*

Prayer

Scripture: Luke 12:35-13:9

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

**People: Thanks be to God!**

Message: "The Times"

*Thanksgiving*

**\*Singing:** When Peace like a River LUYH 451  
(9-15-yr-olds leave for Church School)

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: First: Camp Adonai (Ottawa regional ministry)

Second: Calvary Church (our ministry)

*\*Sending*

**\*Singing:** To God Be the Glory LUYH 956

\*God's Parting Blessing

**Amen.**

\*Time of Silent Thanksgiving

LUYH = Lift Up Your Hearts (red hymnal)

WS = Worship Sourcebook

### Welcome to Calvary Church

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 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.

**Church Family:** Let each of us be mindful of those with special needs in health, family, finances, education and in other parts of daily life. Let us 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).

**Reformed Worship Symposium:** Pastor Piet and Alex Robinson plan to attend the annual worship symposium at Calvin University in Grand Rapids next weekend. Pastor Piet will be away from Calvary from Wednesday January 29, returning on Tuesday February 4.

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

### **Worship Schedule:**

Today: 26: Fifth Sunday in Epiphany, Pastor Piet

February 2: Mr. Jacob Zwiens

February 9: Pastor Piet, Cadet Sunday, Holy Communion

**Classis Prayer Request:** Please pray for God's blessing on the ministries, the leaders and the members of Immanuel CRC in Cornwall and Pastor Steven Eckersley.

### **Our Offerings**

**Today — Camp Adonai** is a non-profit volunteer driven organization which operates a Christian summer camp for young people ranging in age from 9 to 15 years old. The camp runs for two, one week periods on the Scouts Canada Camp Opemikon camp site located on Christie Lake, near Maberly, Ontario. The camp's purpose is to provide an environment that encourages spiritual growth and fellowship amongst young people; a balance of light Christian study, lively discussion and of course the fun and games expected at any well run summer camp. Established in 1962 by members of the Christian Reformed Churches of Eastern Ontario, camp continues to provide young people a rich source of spiritual growth and enjoyment for more than fifty years.

**Feb. 2 — Race Relations** The Office of Race Relations resources Christian Reformed members and congregations as they dismantle the causes and effects of racism within the body of believers and throughout the world. We help you to live as God's diverse and unified family.

### **Feb. 9 — Cadets**

**Position Available:** Are you looking for a fulfilling part-time job? Then no need to look any further. If you have some clerical and computer experience, we have the job for you as the **Administrative Assistant for Calvary Christian Reformed Church**. Deadline for applying is **January 30<sup>th</sup>**, 2020. For a complete job description, hours and remuneration, please contact Marsha Hodges [marsha.hodges@hotmail.com](mailto:marsha.hodges@hotmail.com).



**Friendship Circle:** We are meeting on Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Church. Everyone is welcome!

## **Faith Formation Intergenerational Potluck: Sunday, Feb. 9 after church in the Fellowship Hall**

All ages are welcome. The theme will be "We've Got the Joy."

If you are able, please bring something to share and put it in the kitchen before church. The Hospitality Committee will take care of putting it out after the service.

As we have done in the past, you will be assigned a table with others who you might know well or not at all. There will be conversation starters, a hands-on activity, yummy food and joyful singing. We hope you will come.

For more information, ask a member of the Faith Formation Team: Beth, Mark, Piet, Harry and Stephanie.



**Congregation Cookbook:** To raise funds for this year's mission trip, we are putting together and selling a cookbook filled with recipes submitted by you! Please send in as many different recipes as you want, up until Feb. 1 to: [elizabeth.rylaarsdam@gmail.com](mailto:elizabeth.rylaarsdam@gmail.com)

**The Garage Sale.....**we are looking for **two people** to join the Garage Sale committee. Qualifications include: willing to attend 3 meetings or less, 10 days of being busy at the church (some of us just move in for the week), a love for sorting through stuff, and a willingness to enjoy good company and laughter.

**The Garage Sale.....**we asking for **tons of treasures and stuff** to join the Garage Sale. Qualifications include: used, slightly used, and no longer needed by owner. Drop them off at the church, they will be lovingly sorted and sold, to our many neighbours, while we enjoy their good company and laughter.

**New telephone number:** Ad Welmers is back in Ottawa until March 3rd and can be reached at this new Ottawa telephone number 343-691-8214. His email address remains the same. His phone number in the directory is no longer in use.

## Highlights of the January Council Meeting

~ Pastor Piet led Censura Morem, reminding office-bearers of their calling and gifts as they serve the congregation. Council members reflected and shared thoughts about positive and challenging aspects of Calvary's ministry.

Classis will be hosted by our church on March 6&7. George Couperus will be our elder delegate (Allan Groen alternate) accompanied by Pastor Piet, and Martin Hartholt will be our deacon delegate (Anna Cassidy alternate).

~ Reports from the Ministry Team, Admin Team, and Finance Committee were received and reviewed.

~ It was reported that all 2019 expenses were covered through some special donations. Since some congregants are still not sure of how Ministry Shares are collected through our offerings and distributed, re-clarification will be provided soon.

~ Council is grateful for the faithful service of Sharon Huizinga-Latour as our bookkeeper, and are pleased that Antje Rijke is willing to take this position on again as Sharon steps back.

~ The Spring Congregational Meeting will be held, D.V., after the morning worship service on Sunday, April 26. Council will provide a light luncheon. All committees and small groups are encouraged to provide a brief report on their ministry at this meeting. John and Cathy Vedder will share their experiences from their trip to Cambodia.

~ There will be a congregational potluck hosted by our Faith Formation Committee on February 9 following the worship service.

~ Council appreciates the support of the congregation, as it seeks to serve the Lord through serving His people.

**Ottawa Children's Christian Hockey League:** Do you have children who would love to play hockey? Do you think they would benefit from a relaxed recreation league, run on Christian values? Please fill out this survey, and let me know. The Ottawa Children's Christian Hockey League is looking into starting Sept/Oct 2020. If you think this is a great idea and would like to be more involved please contact me at [ottawachildre Schl@gmail.com](mailto:ottawachildre Schl@gmail.com). Survey: [Ottawa Children's Christian Hockey League](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/M9HKL MC) <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/M9HKL MC> ~ Emma Buist

**At-home Faith Formation Tip:** "Pausing with children to read and to wonder about meanings in words and in illustrations of Bible stories is a spiritual practice," writes Elizabeth Caldwell in *I Wonder: Engaging a Child's Curiosity about the Bible*. For a list of some wonderful Christian picture books the Faith Formation Ministries team loves and recommends, visit [tinyurl.com/FFMpicturebooks](http://tinyurl.com/FFMpicturebooks).

## Upcoming Young Adult Winter Retreat:

Are you aged 18 - 30 ish?

Would you like to meet other young adults from around our classis?

Then come out for Classis Eastern Canada's annual Winter Retreat on

**Friday, February 7 - Sunday, February 9th.**

**Cost is \$40. Place is near Seeley's Bay.**

Email Pastor Ron at [ron.youthpaster@gmail.com](mailto:ron.youthpaster@gmail.com) or Pastor Joe

at [joe\\_groeny99@hotmail.com](mailto:joe_groeny99@hotmail.com) before Feb 3rd if you have more questions and/or want to attend. This is our third year hosting, and it has proved to be a relaxing and fun event.

## Winter Family Retreat - February 14-17

Get away to beautiful Camp IAWAH for a weekend of outdoor winter fun, food, friendship, indoor games, inspiring worship and shared family memories. Not a fan of winter?...check out IAWAH's Canada Day Family Retreat. For more info, or to register: [info@iawah.com](mailto:info@iawah.com), 613.273.5621 or visit [www.iawah.com](http://www.iawah.com).

**Choosing a High School?** Learn how Redeemer Christian High School can provide your teen with a solid foundation. Come to our Open House on Thursday, February 6th at 7 p.m. For more information visit [rchs.on.ca](http://rchs.on.ca) or call Cathy at (613) 723-9262.

**Redeemer Dinner Auction** --You're invited to Redeemer Christian High School's Dinner Auction on Saturday, February 22nd at 5:30 p.m. (dinner starts at 6 p.m.). The theme this year is "Flashback to the 50s." Come enjoy old fashioned 50s food and have some auction fun to support Christian education. To purchase a dinner ticket for \$25 and view auction items, visit the school website at [rchs.on.ca](http://rchs.on.ca). If you want to contribute to this important fundraiser, donation items such as gift cards, services, entertainment and artistic items are most welcome and can be dropped off at the school office. For more information, contact Sherri Harper at [businessmanger@rchs.on.ca](mailto:businessmanger@rchs.on.ca).

**Ottawa Christian School Open House:** At OCS, faith and learning come alive in a diverse Christ-centered community. We offer optional five-day kindergarten, two-day JK and three-day SK programs, Intensive French, an enriched arts programs, after school program, busing, competitive tuition rates and family pricing. Discover the difference of a Christ-centered education at our Winter Open Houses January, 28, 29, February 4 and 5. Call Virginia at 825-3000 or visit [OCSchool.org](http://OCSchool.org).

**Russell United Church Fundraiser:** Trivia night, Saturday, February 22, 7 p.m. Upstairs at the Russell Arena, Cost: \$10.00 per person. We are looking for trivia teams of 6 players to enter. More information: [russellunited@gmail.com](mailto:russellunited@gmail.com).