



CALVARY

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH - OTTAWA

Pastor Pieter Heerema

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New Year's Sunday - January 02, 2022
Order of Worship — Pastor Pieter Heerema

**Please stand if you are able*

Welcome and Announcements
Gathering Prayer
Singing: In the Name of the Father

**Call to Worship*

Let us go, in heart and mind, to see what has come to pass.
Let us go with the shepherds:
Let us go to find the Savior!
Let us go with the wise ones:
Let us go to find God's promise, born for us!
Let us go with the poor and humble:
Let us go to find our King, born in a lowly manger.
Let us go with all the world, with all the peoples of the nations.
Come, let us worship; come, let us adore him:
Christ the Lord!

**God's Greeting*

Amen

The Lord be with you
And also with you.

***Singing: Lord Most High**

LUYH 593

Children's Time

Singing: John 3:16

Confession and Assurance:

Prayer of Confession:

O God, we need Christ to renew our commitment.
We confess that our lack of faith has made us fearful.
May your angels sing again to us of peace for body and soul.
We acknowledge that we have foolishly let our desires
lead us astray.
May your star once more set our course firmly in your direction.
We have turned our faith into a lifeless ritual.
May your manger call us again to expressions of love and devotion.
We have carefully kept our gifts
and have not freely given our goods and our hearts to you.
May the Magi show us the spirit of giving.
Lord, may your Spirit linger in our hearts
and bring renewal in our lives. Amen.

Singing: Meekness and Majesty

Assurance of Pardon: Titus 3: 4-7

God's Will for Us:

***Singing: Jesus, All For Jesus**

LUYH 157

LUYH 738



Offering of Thanksgiving:

Offerings: First: Christian Counselling Ottawa
Second: Calvary C.R. Church

Singing: Speak, O Lord

LUYH 755

God's Word

Scripture: 2 Kings 19: 14-19; 2 Chronicles 20: 1-13

Message: Fear and Anxiety

Our Response to God

***Singing: I Will Be There** (Sela)

Holy Communion

Introduction

***Singing: Behold the Lamb**

The Sacrament

LUYH 840

We Depart to Serve Our Lord

***Singing: Go, My Children, with My Blessing**

*God Parting Blessing

(congregation: **Amen**)

*Moment of silent thanksgiving

LUYH 946



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

HOLY COMMUNION: On this first Sunday of 2022 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 the Lord of my life.
- I am a member in good standing of a Christian church.

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

Happy New Year: We hope and pray that we all have a wonderful New Year, blessed with good health and happiness. We pray that God will bring an end to this pandemic.

May our ministry together be a blessing to each of us and to all our neighbours.

Piet and Trudy Heerema



I would like to extend a heartfelt thank-you to the dozens of volunteers who make our ministry work. I am thinking of elders, deacons, camera/projection people, sound people, music leaders, teachers, decorators, bulletin people, cleaners, group leaders, and committee members. I fear I may have forgotten some volunteers. God has truly blessed us all. May our ministry grow and thrive in the year of our Lord 2022.

Piet Heerema

Please pray for God's blessing on the ministries of our own church,

Calvary C.R.C., Pastor Pieter Heerema, Associate Pastor Bryan Hummel.

Offerings:

Today: - Christian Counselling Ottawa - Harvest House

To serve God through Christian ministry by providing professional therapy and education to assist people in effectively managing life's challenges.

January 09: ThereforeGo Ministries (Youth Unlimited)

ThereforeGo Ministries is a non-profit, non-denominational Christian ministry organization that focuses on assisting local congregations in their youth ministry through **short-term mission trips** and **training**. We strongly believe that the local church is the tool God created to use to reveal himself to the world. We know that taking the call of ministering to today's youth is not for the faint of heart. Therefore, we are blessed by encouraging, supporting, equipping, and partnering with congregations across North America to reach this generation for Jesus Christ!

January 16: Safe Church - Denominational: Safe Church Ministry equips congregations in abuse awareness, prevention, and response. We help build communities where the value of each person is honored; where people are free to worship and grow free from abuse; and where abuse has occurred, the response is compassion and justice that foster healing.

ReFrame Ministries: One Day at a Time - Check out the new kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. A new year has begun. We should begin this year grateful to God for his blessings and look ahead trusting in God's faithfulness. But some days, it's hard not to worry or be afraid of what comes next. In this next year, how do we stop being anxious and put God first like he wants us to? Listen now at kidscorner.net and check out all the new content.

Calvin University: January Series 2022 - Coming this January for the 35th year, Calvin University presents the January Series 2022 – the award winning free liberal arts education delivered in 15 weekly, lunchtime lectures. This year the series begins on January 10 and continues weekdays through January 28 from 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Viewing options include attending the live presentations on Calvin's campus, attending simulcast presentations at over 50 remote sites across the continent, or watching digitally on demand each day until midnight on your own device. For all the details visit www.calvin.edu/january

A New Year's Prayer

May God make your year a happy one!

Not by shielding you from all sorrows and pain,

But by strengthening you to bear it, as it comes;

Not by making your path easy,

But by making you sturdy to travel any path;

Not by taking hardships from you,

But by taking fear from your heart;

Not by granting you unbroken sunshine,

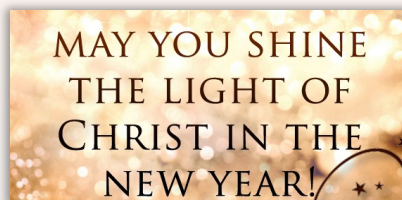
But by keeping your face bright, even in the shadows;

Not by making your life always pleasant,

But by showing you when people and their causes need you most,

and by making you anxious to be there to help.

God's love, peace, hope and joy to you for the year ahead.



2022	TODAY	JANUARY 09	JANUARY 16
10:00 AM	WORSHIP SERVICE	WORSHIP SERVICE	WORSHIP SERVICE
WORSHIP LEADER	PASTOR PIET HEEREMA	PASTOR PIET HEEREMA	PASTOR PIET HEEREMA
OFFIC./ ELDER HOLY COMMUNION	BART BART, JESSICA, GRAHAM	BETH	JESSICA
DEACON	HARRY	SYLVIA	GLENDEN
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Announcements are due Wednesdays by 6 pm. Send to: bulletin@calvarycrc.ca

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