



**CALVARY
CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH**

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HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY, October 16, 2022
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**Rise in body or in spirit*

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements
Gathering Prayer for Worship

***Singing: Mighty to Save**

LUYH 611

**Call to Worship*

We lift up our eyes to the hills – where does our help come from?

Our help comes from the LORD, the Maker of heaven and earth. (from Ps. 121)

*God's Greeting: Grace,

Amen

Beloved, the Lord be with you.

And also, with you.

***Singing: Sing to the LORD, Sing His Praise**

LUYH 515:1,2,5

Children's Time

Singing: "This Little Light of Mine"

(Children ages 4-7 leave for Church School)

Confession and Assurance

Call to Confession

Song: Just as I Am

LUYH 627:1,2,3

Prayer of Confession:

Assurance of Pardon:

God's Will for Us:

Singing: When Peace like a River

LUYH 451

Proclamation of the Word

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: John 13: 1-17

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God!

Message: Being Like Jesus

think...act...be like...
Jesus

Thanksgiving

***Singing: Meekness and Majesty**

LUYH 157

(Children ages 8-11 leave for Church School)

Holy Communion

Institution and Invitation

Singing: Lift Up Your Hearts unto the Lord

LUYH 844

The Communion

Thanksgiving

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: First: Disability Concerns (CRC ministry)

Second: Calvary Church (our ministry)

Sending:

***Singing: May The Grace** (Resound)

(Children ages 12-14 leave for Church

School)

*God's Parting Blessing

Amen.

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: This morning 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.

I am a member in good standing of a Christian church.

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

CHURCH FAMILY: Each one of us enjoys receiving the love and support of others. Each one of us wants to feel accepted and valued. Each one of us has worries and concerns for ourselves and/or for others. Let us remember each other in prayer.

Resound Music: A few weeks ago I said I would put a link to Resound in the bulletin.

Here it is: <https://www.resoundworship.org/>. When you reach the home page, look for a box labeled "songs" and click on that. Doing this should bring you to dozens of contemporary worship hymns. Enjoy. **Pastor Piet**

Finance is preparing the 2023 budget and would like to remind **all committees** that budget requests must be submitted ASAP. Please direct questions regarding current spending to **Jackie**.



The Church Website Needs Your Help!

Our website, www.calvarycrc.ca has been undergoing changes and a redesign over the past few months. Now we need your help to keep things up to date! We need a small write-up from each church group leader as well as contact information for those running each group. Please check out the website to see if your group is listed or if your group is no longer active, please let us know. Photos are great too, but just remember, any pictures showing someone's face will require a release form to be signed. We also need some volunteers to help with maintaining the website. 3 or 4 additional people helping with this will mean a commitment of 1 hour a week or less.

Lastly, if you are browsing the website and notice that a link is not working, a mistake (it happens happens!) is found, you have an awesome idea to incorporate, or you need an event/announcement posted, send a message to webmaster@calvarycrc.ca. In your message, please include everything you want posted (text, pictures, contact info etc.) and the duration you want it on the website.

Any questions, ask **Kyle H.** (on behalf of the Communications Committee).

OUR OFFERINGS:

Today - Disability Concerns - Following God's call to mutual love and service, Disability Concerns collaborates with churches and partner organizations to break individual and systemic barriers that keep people with disabilities from full participation—so that churches truly reflect the body of Christ where everybody belongs and everybody serves.

Disability Concerns strives to promote and foster relationships, communities, and societies where everybody belongs and everybody serves by assisting churches, agencies, institutions, and leadership within the Reformed Church in America and the Christian Reformed Church in North America:

- * To think and act in keeping with the biblical call regarding people with disabilities
- * To break barriers of communication, architecture, and attitude
- * To establish ministries with, for, and by people with disabilities and their families.

October 23: Faith Formation Ministries - encourages and equips churches and individuals to practice lifelong faith and missional discipleship. We listen, provide consulting and resources that fit your unique context, and we walk alongside you and your church as you encounter the challenges and opportunities of growing in resilient, intentional, holistic faith.

October 30: Ministry Shares - are collected monthly to assist the work of the many ministries of the Christian Reformed Church. Ministries we support within our Eastern Canada Classis include GEMS Leadership, Safe Church Team, Youth Ministry Team, New Church Development, Campus Ministries in Halifax and Ottawa, Missions Scholarship Fund, Home Missions Fund plus the Seafarers Ministry in Montreal. Ministries we support in both Canada and the US include Calvin College and Seminary, Back to God, Home and World Missions, The Banner, Disability Concerns, Faith Formation, Social Justice, Pastor-Church Relations and many more. We thank you for contributing according to the gifts you have been given.

November 06: World Renew - World Hunger. At World Renew, we join with the world's families to change the story of hunger, poverty, and illness. For nearly 60 years, hundreds of thousands of people have shared in this calling: staff, local partners, global communities, and people like you. Every day, people like you give in response to a disaster, offer monthly support to Free a Family® from poverty, or travel with our volunteer teams to help renew hope firsthand. Together, we change stories, and those stories change the world.

Compelled by God's deep passion for justice and mercy, World Renew joins communities around the world to renew hope, reconcile lives and restore creation.

November 13: Ministry to Seafarers - Dedicated to enhancing the lives of seafarers, regardless of race, religion, gender or rank, through ship visiting, advocacy and hospitality; and showing Jesus' love by caring for their physical, emotional, spiritual and justice needs. Learn more about this ministry through their website: <https://ministrytoseafarers.org/>

Please pray for God's blessings: **Ministry to Seafarers, Montreal, Chaplain Michelle DePooter**

Peter Fish - World Hunger Sunday is November 6th. This year, conflict, drought, and the effects of COVID-19 have intensified the global hunger crisis.

On November 6th, we will be observing World Hunger Sunday and taking a collection on behalf of World Renew's work with our hungry brothers and sisters worldwide. Consider joining our community by picking up a Peter Fish bank for the young ones in your life and a devotional booklet on what it means to hunger for good. Devotional booklets are in your mail slots and the Peter Fish banks will be available next Sunday.

Calling all Young Adults - post high school - single/couple/married

You are invited to **Cathy and John V.'s place, this evening**, for a dessert social at 7:00 pm. We will spend the evening socializing, planning our year, playing games....and dessert, of course! Feel free to invite a friend or two! If you would like to come but think you're too old, come anyway - any age is welcome:)

Hope to see you. Cathy and John

WELCOME ALL CRAFTERS - HANDS ON every Wednesday at 9:30-12:00.

Please join us at the church for a morning of crafting and friendship...who knows, you may even learn something new! Any questions, please don't hesitate to contact **Jessica J.**

YOUTH GROUP will meet this Thursday at 7:30PM at the church! Newcomers are always welcome!



GEMS are excited to announce that we will be starting on **Tomorrow, October 17th at 6:30pm** and will be meeting in the Fellowship hall! We would love for all girls ages 8-12 to join us for a new year of Girls Everywhere Meeting our Saviour! Please contact me if interested. **Samantha F.**

BOWLERS WANTED

I am looking for men, no age limit, interested in starting a bowling season. Because our previous bowling locations have shut-down, (Walkley and McArthur) we have found that Embrun Bowling Lanes may be available once a week with certain limitations. Possible day could be Wednesday or Thursday from 9:30 a.m. for 2 hours, 3 games for \$8.00. They, (Embrun Parks & Recreation) require at least 10 bowlers to make it feasible as they are normally not open weekdays.

No experience is necessary, just be able to have coffee, a donut and few laughs after the game. I have canvassed at least 6 people interested. You may also contact a neighbour or friend. You may contact me by email, eypma@rogers.com or cell 613-324-5345. Please let me know asap. Join the fun. **Elco**

Our Bazaar is planned for Saturday, November 19.

We hope to serve snacks and lunch, sell baked goods, sell crafts, sell new and used goods, a raffle, and photo booth. For the **children** there will be games to play, crafts to do and movies to watch. Maybe St. Nic will visit again.

The committee is looking for 3 kinds of volunteers.

- 1) *Volunteers to serve on the committee.*
- 2) *Volunteers to help set up on the Friday before and/or helping on Saturday from 9am-2pm*
- 3) *Volunteers to make crafts to sell. Some supplies are available in the basement, just ask the committee members to see what's available.*

We are open to your ideas.....Please contact **Jackie L., Jess J.** or **Trudy H....** Thank You.



The **Building & Grounds Committee** are looking for a new Janitor for the church.

Since our present Janitor, **Carol F.** moved, **Anna C.** has graciously taken up the position, until the end of the contract year. Please contact **Joey R.** or anyone of the Building & Grounds Committee for more information.

Redeemer Christian High School invites all grade seven and eight students to join us for Grade 7&8 Day on November 2nd, 2022! Take part in this great event that lets you get a feel for what being a Redeemer student feels like. Participate in engaging classes, meet present RCHS students and enjoy a free pizza lunch. To register please contact us at info@rchs.on.ca or call 613 723 9262.

REDEEMER UNIVERSITY CAMPUS VISIT Nov. 11-12!

Are you in grade 11 or 12 and interested in learning more about Redeemer University? Experience Redeemer by touring the campus, staying in a dorm, seeing our new Charis Live and Learn building, meeting with professors and much more!. Redeemer's academic program prepares you for whatever career or further study you're considering. A car/van will leave Ottawa for Redeemer around 9 am Friday Nov. 11 and return to Ottawa around 3 pm Saturday. To reserve a spot for the visit, register with Redeemer at www.redeemer.ca/visit and to reserve a ride in the car/van contact **Sarah Bittel** at sbittel@redeemer.ca or 1-905-648-2139 ext. 4463.

The Spirit Helps You - **Check out the kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net.** Has someone ever asked you to pray for something? What was it? How did you feel when they asked you? How did you feel after you said "Amen"? Listen now at kidscorner.net and check out all the new content.



World Renew: A Message of Gratitude from World Renew - Thank you for your Thanksgiving gifts! World Renew is so grateful for your church and the gifts to the Free A Family® program. Through your generosity you have shared Christ's hope with families struggling with poverty and hunger. Your gifts help families to thrive spiritually, physically, and economically. To learn more about how compassion like yours helps World Renew in our mission to pursue justice and mercy, please visit: worldrenew.ca.

Singing Praise To God

*Are you aware of the words that you use
In the songs of praise that you sing?
Do they convey your soul's inner joy,
A thanksgiving offering you bring?*

*Do they reveal the depths of your faith,
Do you sing the words from your heart?
Or do you just follow along with the crowd,
Ritualistically doing your part?*

*"I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go, Dear Lord;"
Can you commit to that thought?
Or "All To Jesus I Surrender"
And think of the battles He fought?*

*Be faithful in worship, be wary of words,
Don't promise what you can't fulfill.
Sing of your love and praise to the Lord,
But sometimes it's best to keep still.*

Poet: Greta Zwaan, © 2010



CALVARY CALENDAR		
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP		10:00 AM—HOLY COMMUNION
YOUNG ADULTS	TODAY AT JOHN & CATHY VEDDER'S	7:00 PM
GEMS	MONDAY, OCTOBER 17	6:30 PM
HANDS ON	WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19	9:30 AM - 12:00 NOON
YOUTH GROUP	THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20	7:30 PM

2022/10:00 AM	OCTOBER 16	OCTOBER 23	OCTOBER 30
WORSHIP LEADER	PASTOR PIET HEEREMA	PASTOR PIET HEEREMA	PASTOR PIET HEEREMA
OFFIC./ ELDER	ELCO	BETH	MAXIME BETH, HYUNG, BART
DEACON	GLENDEN	CORA	SHARON
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NURSERY	MEGAN/TIM/ALEX	KATHRYN/LEAH F.	TRUDY/ABBY
COFFEE CLEANUP	DON & ANITA H.	CHRIS & KRISTY MCW.	ALLAN & MANJA G.

Announcements are due Wednesdays by 6PM. Send to: bulletin@calvarycrc.ca

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