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Pentecost Sunday, May 28/2023 - Guest Preacher Chaplain Ryan Farrell

*Rise in body or in spirit

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements Gathering Prayer for Worship

*Singing: Come Holy Spirit

*Singing: Gather Us In

LUYH 230 LUYH 529 1,3,4

*Call to Worship

The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us; we dwell in him and he in us. Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples. Sing to him, sing praises to him, and speak of all his marvelous works.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God almighty,

who was and is and is to come! — based on Psalm 105:1-2; Romans 5:5; Revelation 4:8

*God's Greeting:

Our Lord has called us to worship and now greets us. To those who are called, who are beloved in God the Father and kept safe for Jesus Christ: May mercy, peace, and love be yours in abundance. — Jude 1-2, NRSV Amen.

*Singing: Awake my Soul (resound Worship)

Children's Time

Children's Message by Pastor Ryan Singing: The Fruit of the Spirit

(Children ages 4-7 leave for Church School)

Profession of our Churches Faith:

We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life.

The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and our neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the church.

The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the church.

In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.



In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, Come, Lord Jesus!

With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus, our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen. —from A Brief Statement of Faith

Singing: Refiner's Fire

Proclamation of the Word

Praver of Illumination Scripture: Genesis 2:4-8, Ezekiel 37:1-6, John 20:19-23

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God!

Message: Rescue Breathing

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*Singing: Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God **LUYH 746**

(Children ages 8-11 leave for Church School)

Holy Communion

Institution and Invitation Singing: Behold the Lamb

The Communion Congregational Prayer

Offerings: First: Ministry Shares

Second: Calvary Church (our ministry)

Sending:

Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you overflow with love and hope.

Thanks be to God.

Remember that the harvest of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. The Spirit is our source of life.

Let us therefore walk by the Spirit. Amen. —based on Romans 15:13; Galatians 5:22-23, 25

*Singing: Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow

*God's Parting Blessing:

Go forth into the world,

rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit!

Thanks be to God. Alleluia! The blessing of Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be with you this day and for ever.

Amen! Alleluia!

Choir: "Alleluia Round"

This **Pentecost Sunday** we welcome **Ryan Farrell, Chaplain at the University of Ottawa**, to our pulpit.

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We extend a special welcome to all visitors.

As we give praise to our Living Lord, may we be blessed in our time of worship.

We ask the Lord to bless the relationships we are in – marriage, family, and friendships.

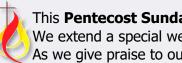
Ask the Lord that he brings healing and strength to all with health concerns.

Let us **remember** each other in prayer.

We continue our fellowship after the service with coffee. Please join us!



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



Election of Office Bearers

We now start the second step in the process of electing office bearers, the ratification. Those nominated have been given a chance to consider their calling to office. As a result, Council announces a list of names to be ratified by the congregation on June 11th during the morning service. Council will use the ratification results to compile a list of official nominees. Your prayers and support continue to be important in each stage of the election process.

Nominated to the office of Elder: Bert V. & Peter H.

Nominated to the office of Deacon: Yolandi F. & Rachelle G.

FROM COUNCIL

YOU ARE INVITED! Pray for the C.R.C. for 40 days, in preparation for Synod 2023, with fellow members of Calvary. We will meet at the Prayer Room every Sunday morning from 9:30 to 9:50 AM and will be doing the same till, up and including, Sunday, **June 11th.** Should there be more people than there is space in the Prayer Room, breakout groups will be assigned to the different Sunday school classes by the Elder in charge.

OUR OFFERINGS:

Ministry Shares.

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.

June 04 - Ottawa Persian Church (Azgomi Family)



Over the past several years since immigrating to Canada with the help of Calvary's Refugee Committee, Ottawa Persian Church Omid Azgomi and his family have worked tirelessly with all the challenges that come with learning to live in a new country. As a result of their dedication and a lot of hard work, Omid began Ottawa Persian Church, the first Persian language church in Ottawa! Starting a church is a great achievement and with

the help of Vision Ministries Canada, Omid has been preaching online during the pandemic and just recently received wonderful news that, beginning in June, the Ottawa Persian Church will begin worshiping in person, using the Chapel Ridge Free Methodist Church in Stittsville. Funds received through this special collection will go to help the Ottawa Persian Church continue to grow and spread God's word. The Ottawa Persian Church has a Facebook page which can be found at https://www.facebook.com/ ottawapersianchurch/

June 11 - Candidacy Committee

Your gift to the Candidacy Committee will help ensure that ministry candidates have the resources they need to successfully enter the ministry. The work of the Candidacy Director and the Candidacy Committee is to oversee the processes of ordination in the C.R.C.N.A. and ensure that paths to ministry are accessible, accountable and equitable. Visit their website (or send an email to candidacy@crcna.org to find out more information. Website: https://www.crcna.org/candidacy

June 18 - Indigenous Ministries



The Indigenous Ministry is made up of a national committee (Canadian Indigenous Ministry Committee), three Urban Indigenous Ministries, and a Justice and Reconciliation Mobilizer, each using their strengths to support healing and reconciliation between Indigenous peoples and non-Indigenous people in Canada. It is rooted in a recognition 🥻 of our Creator's love for all creation and in the understanding that we all have gifts to offer one another.

The Canadian Indigenous Ministry Committee (CIMC) works with C.R.C. members and congregations to respond to God's call to live in reconciled relationships as covenant (treaty) people before our Creator.

It provides leadership and support for learning about Indigenous justice and reconciliation and in putting good words and theology of healing, reconciliation and justice into action. Website: https://www.crcna.org/indigenous

June 25 - Ministry Shares.

Please pray for God's blessings on: Pentecost Sunday!! Give thanks for the gift of the Holy Spirit.

ReFrame Ministries

Family Fire - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at <u>familyfire.com</u>. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

Kids Corner: Understanding Pentecost

Check out the new kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. The Spirit came in a powerful way and filled the people. That's because we serve a powerful God! The wind and fire are symbols for God's presence. Check out all the great content at kidscorner net like the Bible story podcast "The Story of Pentecost."





Camp Adonai: Summer is just around the corner. Camp Adonai is running from August 13 to 18 for junior week (ages 9-12) and August 19 to 26 for senior week (ages 13-15). Our fees are: Junior week \$270.00; senior week \$335.00. Please note after May 31^{st} , there is a late registration fee of \$40.00 per camper. Application forms for campers and counsellors are available on our website at campadonai.ca. If you are applying for a counsellor position, please reserve Saturday, June 3rd for counsellor training day.

Looking to play Trivia?

The Russell United Church is hosting a **Trivia Night** fundraiser event to help with the costs of replacing their furnace. There are 4 tables still available to sell out the event. **Cost:** \$10 per person, with 6 people per table/team.

When: June 3, 2023, Where: Upstairs at the Russell Arena (1084 Concession St)

To register your team, or for more details, contact **Brenda Hoople** at 613-445-3074.

Pentecost Sunday

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CALVARY CALENDAR							
MONDAY, MAY 29 - SUNDAY, JUNE 04/2023							
SUNDAY, JUNE 04	PRAYER TIME FOR SYNOD 2023 WORSHIP SERVICE	9:30 AM - 9:50 AM 10:00 AM					

2023 - 10:00 AM	PENTECOST SUNDAY, MAY 28	SUNDAY, JUNE 04	SUNDAY, JUNE 11
TODAY	PENTECOST SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP
WORSHIP LEADER	CHAPLAIN RYAN FARRELL OTTAWA CAMPUS CHAPLAINCY(O.C.C.)	PASTOR HAROLD KOUWENBERG	PASTOR HAROLD KOUWENBERG
OFFIC./ ELDER	MAXIME ELCO, MAXIME, GRAHAM	GRAHAM	JESSICA
DEACON	KYLE	HARRY	SYLVIA
OFFERING	MINISTRY SHARES	OTTAWA PERSIAN CHURCH (AZGOMI FAMILY)	CANDIDACY COMMITTEE
2ND OFFERING	CALVARY C.R.C.	CALVARY C.R.C.	CALVARY C.R.C.
NURSERY	TRUDY/LEAH F.	MICHELLE/ALEX	STEPH/ABBY
COFFEE CLEANUP	MARSHA H. & MAX G.	SHELDON & EDDA L.	BILL & BRENDA B.
GREETERS	BERT AND SHIRLEY V.	LINDA M.	JOHN AND SARAH C.

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

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