



October 26, 2025

Sunday @ 10am Live Stream: tinyurl.com/Calvary-CRC

3782 Russell Rd., Ottawa, Ontario K1G 3N2

## **Order of Worship**

LUYH = Lift Up Your Hearts (red hymnal)

PH = Psalter Hymnal (grey hymnal)

MP = Maranatha Praise (red book)

Gathering
Welcome and Announcements
Gathering Prayer for Worship

\*Rise in body or in spirit

\*Singing: Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King

\*Call to Worship and God's Greeting

\*Singing: How Great is Our God LUYH 574

Children's Time

Singing: Jesus Loves Me (v. 1-2)

Choir - Abana

**Time of Confession** 

Singing: O Lord, Hear My Prayer LUYH 462

Assurance of Pardon

\*Singing: Your Mercy Flows LUYH 700

The Lord's Prayer

**Proclamation of the Word** 

**Prayer of Illumination** 

Scripture: Matthew 18:21-35 Message: Forgive Our Sins

Song of Response

\*Singing: Not What My Hands Have Done LUYH 624

**Congregational Prayer** 

Offerings - First: Ministry Shares

**Second: Calvary CRC** 

\*Singing: Amazing Grace LUYH 691

\*Parting Blessing

\*Singing: Threefold Amen PH 641



We are so glad you are here. Whether you're a visitor or a regular attendee, we are blessed to worship together with you today! After the service, please join us for refreshments and a time of fellowship.

## **Offerings**

## **Red Bag: Ministry Shares**

The first offering is for Ministry Shares to assist the work of the ministries of the Christian Reformed Church. Ministries we support within our Eastern Canada Classis include GEMS Leadership, Safe Church Team, Youth Ministry Team, Campus Ministries in Halifax and Ottawa and more. We support Calvin College and Seminary, Back to God, Home and World Missions, The Banner, Disability Concerns, Social Justice, and many more.

**Black Bag: Calvary CRC (Budget)** 

The second offering is taken for the ministries of Calvary and is used for the budget expenses of our church.

Scan the QR code with your smartphone to donate through the Bridge App.



giving@calvarycrc.ca

## **Duty Schedule**

	October 26th	November 2nd
Worship Leader	Pastor Rebecca Bokma	Pastor Rebecca Bokma
Officiating Elder	Manja	Peter
Deacon	Yolandi	Linda
Hall Monitor	Bob	Kees
Nursery	Barb, Connor	Michelle, Alex
Jr. Sunday School	Lucy, Evelyn	No Sunday school
Greeters	Monique	Bob & Alice
Coffee Cleanup	Jim & Laura	Barbara & Aritjit

## **Calvary News**



Coffee/Tea Social at the church Tuesday 10 – 12 PM. Let's just sit around and have a good time together, play a game, or place a few pieces in a puzzle.

All are invited to attend.

### **OPENHOUSE**

Come and celebrate with us in honor of Wim V.'s 85th BIRTHDAY! On Saturday November 8 2025. At 224 Viewmount Dr. Nepean, On. From 1:00 to 5:00 PM. Best wishes only. Thank you and, God willing, hope to see you there.

#### Youth Canned Food Drive - deadline is Nov. 2nd!

Our church youth are leading a canned food drive to support the Ottawa Food Bank. As part of this initiative, they'll be going Trick-or-Canning on Halloween to collect canned goods from the community. To help support their efforts, we will be collecting canned goods at the church every Sunday throughout October, with the final collection on Sunday, November 2nd. A donation table will be set up at the entrance to the sanctuary. Please consider donating non-perishable canned items to help those in need.

## **Giving Report**

Budget - Sept		Special Offerings July Aug Sept	
		Benevolence	519.00
Calvary Ministry	13,576	Candidacy Committee	359.00
Year to Date	157,803	Capital Asset Reserve	1,165.00
Budget 9 Months	180,414	Christian Counselling	858.00
Budget +/-	-22,611	CCS	488.00
		Indigenous Ministries	50.00
Ministry Shares	2,963	Ottawa Innercity Ministries	283.00
Year to Date	21,965	Shepherds of Good Hope	1,417.00
Budget 9 Months	35,925	Teen Challenge Canada	20.00
Budget +/-	-13,960	WR - Refugee Sunday	70.00

## **Calvary News**

Support the Ottawa Campus Chaplaincy, message from the Deacons
Our church has a \$9,650 yearly commitment to the Ottawa Chaplaincy. We're
currently short in this area and need to address this now. Please consider
helping us continue supporting this vital ministry by designating your gift to
"Budget – Ottawa Campus Chaplaincy." Thank you for your generosity and
timely support!

#### TowardCRCCanada - The All Canada Church Summit

The *All Canada Church Summit* will be held in Kitchener on Nov. 5-9. Parts of the conversation will revolve around how Canadian churches can best serve God in their local environments, honouring local church leadership and being open to learning and growing with holy curiosity. Three speakers will join the Summit on Thursday evening (Dr. Melanie Humphreys), Friday evening (Rev. Paul Verhoef) and Saturday morning (Mr. Shiao Chong). They will speak about our call as Christians to be honouring, accepting and loving.

Should you wish more information, please check the website of Toward CRC

Canada: <a href="https://towardcrccanada.net/connect/all-canada-church-summit/">https://towardcrccanada.net/connect/all-canada-church-summit/</a>
Thank you so much; greatly appreciated! Peter Bulthuis, TCRCC

# World Hunger Sunday on November 2nd 2025

More than 700 million people around the world live in extreme poverty (on less than \$1.90 a day). Next week, we'll be partnering with World Renew to help build pathways out of poverty for the world's vulnerable. Visit worldrenew.net or worldrenew.ca to learn more and come prepared to give next week.

Please visit the QR code to find a World Renew's one week devotional for Planting Hope for World Hunger or visit this website to download your copy! https://worldrenew.ca/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/2025\_WH\_Devotional\_DIGITAL.pdf



## DID YOU KNOW?

World Renew was established in Canada in 1969. To learn more about World Renew's work internationally, visit our Canadian website: World Renew Canada

## **Calvary Calendar**

If you are interested in any of our programs, please contact the church office to be connected with the appropriate program leader.

Monday, Oct 27	6:30-8:00 PM	Cadets
Monday, Oct 27	6:30-8:00 PM	GEMS
Tuesday, Oct 28	10-12 PM	Coffee/Tea Social
Tuesday, Oct 28	7 PM	Consistory
Wednesday, Oct 29	9:30-12:00 PM	Hands On
Thursday, Oct 30	9:30-11:30 AM	Men's Bowling
Thursday, Oct 30	7:30-9:00 PM	Youth Group
Sunday, Nov 2	9 AM	Profession of Faith Class
Sunday, Nov 2	10 AM	Worship Service



We plan to sell baked goods, crafts, new and used goods and have raffles for gift baskets.

The committee is looking for volunteers:

-to help set up on Friday -to bake -to make soup

-to help sell lunch & goodies -to make & donate crafts & gift baskets (can

-to serve at various tables be put together by a group

For the white elephant sale: new or used items in good condition, items that would make good, small or medium gifts, Christmas decorations, household items, etc. We also are looking for good used toys.

As you can see, we need your help. We are open to your ideas! Please contact Jackie L., Jess J., or Trudy H.

#### **Announcements**

Moving Forward in Faith Conference - You don't want to miss this conference happening Friday evening, November 14, and all day Saturday, November 15, in Oakville, ON. Come for part of it or for the entire conference! With over 30 dynamic workshops to pick from, plenary sessions by well-known author, speaker, and justice advocate Danielle Strickland (daniellestrickland.com), and times of worship, this conference will equip you with practical skills and spiritual insights to better serve your local community. There's also a Bus Tour for those who want to see ministry in action! Visit the event website for info and to register: https://www.resonateglobalmission.org/moving-forward-faith. (Group rates, a Young Adult Stream, and hotel discounts are also available!) We can't wait to see you there!

#### **Kids Corner**

Bible activity sheets & colouring materials are by the entrance to the sanctuary.

#### **Kid's Devotions**

"God's Never-Changing Love" - Change can be confusing, but just like Paul trusted God's love through every adventure and challenge, we can too! No matter what happens around us, God's love never changes, and He's always with us.



Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net



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Contact information for Calvary Christian Reformed Church





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\*Bulletin announcements are due Thursday by 5pm. Send to bulletin@calvarycrc.ca

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