



CALVARY

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Pastor Rebecca Bokma

I am the **WAY**
and the **TRUTH**
and the **LIFE.**

John 14:6



May 10 2026

Sunday @ 10am

Live Stream: tinyurl.com/Calvary-CRC

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Order of Worship

PH = Psalter Hymnal (grey hymnal) MP = Maranatha Praise (red book) LUYH = Lift Up Your Hearts (red hymnal)

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Prayer for Worship

**Rise in body or in spirit*

*Singing: Come Holy Ghost

LUYH 232

*Call to Worship and God's Greeting

*Singing: How Great is Our God

LUYH 574

Children's Time

Singing: I Am the Way the Truth and the Life

Time of Confession

Singing: O Lord, Hear My Prayer

LUYH 903

Assurance of Pardon

*Singing: Be Still, For the Presence

LUYH 532

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: John 14:1-14

Message: The Comforting Truth

*Singing: I Am Not My Own

Benjamins

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: First: Ministry Shares

Second: Calvary CRC

*Singing: There is a Redeemer

LUYH 833

*Parting Blessing

*Singing: Go Now in Peace

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welcome

We are so glad you're 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 taken for Ministry Shares which assists the work of ministries of the Christian Reformed Church such as GEMS Leadership, Safe Church Team, Youth Ministry Team, New Church Development, Missions Scholarship Fund, Home Missions Fund, Calvin University and Seminary, Back to God, Home and World Missions, The Banner, Disability Concerns, and many more.

Black Bag: Calvary CRC

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

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



giving@calvarycrc.ca

Duty Schedule

	May 10th	May 17th	May 24th
Worship Leader	Pastor Rebecca	Pastor Rebecca	Pastor Rebecca
Officiating Elder	John	Randy	Bob
Deacon	Linda	Rachelle	Samantha
Hall Monitor	Jennifer	Peter	John
Nursery	Laura, Alex	Barb, Leah H	Alice, Evelyn
Sunday School	Lucy, Chloe	Claudia, Evelyn	Dani, Connor
Greeters	Kyle & Stephanie	Al & Nellie	Bert & Shirley
Coffee Cleanup	Jim & Laura	Aritjit & Barbara	John & Cathy

Election of Office Bearers

Calling of Elders and Deacons: As a congregation we are in the process of calling members to serve as deacons and elders. We have already moved through the steps of nominations and ratification. Today we declare those who have been called to serve. Those called to serve as deacons and elders have all been called by acclamation through the ratification vote. During today's worship service, we will hear the names of all who will serve the congregation. The installation of elders and deacons will then be held on May 24 2026. We are thankful to those who let their name stand for office, and wish all God's blessings as they continue to serve God through their service at Calvary in many capacities.

Seniors

Seniors will be going to the Mandarin on Tuesday, May 12th for lunch. If you want to carpool let Jackie know. Reservation is for 12 noon. All are welcome to join us.

Hands On

Hands On will officially be over for the season on May 13th. Thanks to our many crafters for a season of laughter, fun, and support! Looking forward to the fall when we will restart.....Jess.

Update on our Cadet Season:

There is a display in the fellowship hall of our Kubkars, Cadets' badgework and crafts, and awards. We had our Father and Son Kubkar races a few weeks ago. Fastest car awards went to Ryan P (1st), Elijah V (2nd), and Connor H (3rd). Best design awards went to Connor H (1st), Cameron K (2nd), and Chase R (3rd). In the Fathers and Counselors Division, fastest car awards went to Fred V (1st), Michael P (2nd), and Kyle H (3rd). We had a blast! Our year-end fun night capped off with a cadet-of-the-year award which went to Connor H. All the cadets did a lot of good badgework and our club finished first out of 9 clubs in overall standings at the Cadet-o-rama on April 25 in Brockville, where they raced their KubKars as well. Connor H came third for speed out of 83 cars. Thank you to counselors Clark S and Richard W for their dedication to our club over the last year. ~Counselor Fred

Calvary Calendar

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

Wednesday, May 13	9:30-12 PM	Hands On
Thursday, May 14	9:30 AM	Men's Bowling
Thursday, May 14	7:30-9:00 PM	Youth Group
Sunday, May 17	10 AM	Worship Service

Finance

Quarterly Finance Report		
Budget - 1st Quarter 2026		Special Offerings - 1st Quarter 2026
Calvary Ministry	49,470	Cadets 878
Year to Date	49,470	Calvin Seminary 381
Budget 3 Months	62,349	Camp Adonai 715
Budget +/-	-12,879	Capital Asset Reserve 185
Ministry Shares		Center for Public Dialogue 692
- Classical 4,200		Karis Disability 584
- OCRCC 2,163		Ottawa Campus Chaplaincy (OCRCC) 643
- Synodical -		Ottawa Mission 2,045
- Universities -		Reframe Ministries 580
Total 6,363		Resonate /Chann/Chhay 273
Year to Date 6,363		Therefore Go Ministries 485
Budget 3 Months 13,112		WR - Canadian Food Grains Bank 3,867
Budget +/- -6,749		Total 11,328

Note: The Ministry Shares collection for the OCRCC were short by \$ 750. Donations are accepted to OCRCC all year to adjust for the Ministry shares shortfall.

Calvary CRC is committed to being a Safe Church, a community where every person is valued, respected, and cared for. In a place that nurtures worship and spiritual growth, no one should ever feel afraid or experience any form of abusive behaviour. If you have a concern or would like to report an incident, please contact a member of our Safe Church Committee at safechurch@calvarycrc.ca

Ottawa Carleton Male Choir - Spring Concert "SING!"

Friday, May 22, 2026 at 7:30pm

Please join the Ottawa Carleton Male Choir for our Spring concert. The concert will take place at City View United Church 6 Epworth Ave, Nepean.

Tickets are \$20. Tickets are available from choir members and at the door. For information, call 613-293-9046 or visit <https://ottawacarletonmalechoir.com>

Ottawa Campus Chaplaincy - Upcoming Meeting

The board of the OCC invites you to participate in an upcoming meeting that will take place on Monday May 25, 2026 at 7:00pm EST at Barrhaven Fellowship CRC. *An online option is available. If possible, we ask that you RSVP in advance of the meeting. [Click here](#) to RSVP.*

The Meeting will include:

- A ministry update from the Campus Chaplain
- A consultation session guided by specific questions
- An opportunity for attendees to ask questions
- A financial overview
- A report from the Board Chair

To support a more productive discussion, we ask that you submit any anticipated questions, along with responses to the consultation questions included in the agenda, by **Monday May 18, 2026**. Submissions can be sent in advance by email (ocrcampuschaplaincy@gmail.com); we will also receive questions during the meeting (in person or via chat).

Meeting materials will be available at the following link. Please check back periodically, as documents will be updated as they are finalized: [OCC Meeting with Partners and Friends of the Chaplaincy - Meeting Materials - 2026-05-20](#)

If you are attending online, you can join via Zoom video conferencing using the link and/or meeting ID below.

Topic: Ottawa Campus Chaplaincy Partner and Friends of the Chaplaincy Meeting and AGM

Time: May 25, 2026 07:00 PM America/Toronto

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84628525213>

Meeting ID: 846 2852 5213

We thank you for your continued engagement with the ministry and look forward to this time together.

The Ottawa Mission says THANK YOU

On behalf of The Ottawa Mission, we were so grateful to receive the generous donation from your church and to feel the investment you are making in our community. Your growing support for The Mission through donations and participations in our Coldest Night of the Year event continues to be impactful for our most vulnerable neighbours. Thank you for believing in second chances.

Golden Triangle Cadet Camporee Skeet Shoot Fundraiser

You're invited to our first ever Golden Triangle Cadet Camporee Skeet Shoot Fundraiser on June 6, 2026 at the Stittsville Range, 7265 Fernbank Rd. Come for the day or for half the day and enjoy fun and fellowship, bring a chair, and play some games with friends. Cost is \$75 and includes 25 pulls (shots), BBQ lunch, parking lot games, and prizes for each category. Everyone is welcome.

For more information, contact John Menkhorst at jmenkhorst@rjbourgon.com or 613-551-1002.

Re-Source Thrift Store (Ottawa) - JOB OPENINGS

The Re-Source Thrift store is currently hiring for the following roles: Full-Time Store Manager, Assistant Manager (Canada Summer Jobs), Sales Associates (Canada Summer Jobs), Receiving Assistant (Canada Summer Jobs)

These roles are a great opportunity for individuals looking to gain experience, be part of a team, and contribute to work that supports our local community and Christian education initiatives. If anyone is interested in applying or would like more information, they can reach out to: heather.berghuis@re-source.ca
If you would like full job descriptions please contact Milon at office@calvarycrc.ca for a copy.

Kids Corner

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



Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net

KIDS DEVOTIONS

“The Letter of Acts” - The book of Acts tells an exciting story that shows God’s good news is for you—Jesus loves you, forgives you, and gives you his Spirit no matter who you are or where you’re from. It reminds us that God wants everyone to know his love and share it with the world!

Notes

Contact information for Calvary Christian Reformed Church



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****Bulletin announcements are due Thursday by 12 noon.***

Send to bulletin@calvarycrc.ca

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