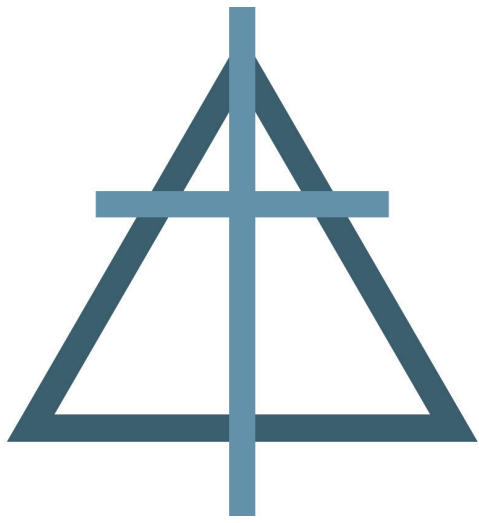




CALVARY

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Pastor Rebecca Bokma



Oct 25 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: Shout to the Lord

LUYH 603

Children's Time

(children ages 3-10 years old depart for Sunday School classes)

Singing: O God, You Are My God

LUYH 743

Time of Confession

Singing: I Lift My Eyes Up

LUYH 652

Assurance of Pardon

*Singing: As the Deer

LUYH 503

Proclamation of the Word

Scripture: Psalm 62

Message: In God Alone

*Singing: My Soul Finds Rest

LUYH 370

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: First: Ministry Shares

Second: Calvary CRC

*Singing: My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

LUYH 772

*Parting Blessing

*Singing: Go Now in Peace

Besig

(Youth ages 11-14 years old meet upstairs for Catechism)

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 for Ministry Shares which supports numerous ministries of the Christian Reformed Church including Safe Church Team, Youth Ministry Team, Campus Ministries, Calvin University and Seminary, Back to God, Home and World Missions, The Banner, Disability Concerns, Faith Formation, Social Justice 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

	Oct 25th	Nov 1st	Nov 8th
Worship Leader	Pastor Rebecca	Pastor Rebecca	Pastor Rebecca
Officiating Elder	Randy	Bob	Manja
Deacon	Denise	Linda	Shawn
Hall Monitor	Jennifer	Graham	Bart
Nursery	Kathryn, Evelyn	Barb, Connor	Alicia/Jesse, Leah F
Sunday School	Lucy, Chloe	n/a	Claudia, Leah H
Greeters	Bert & Shirley	Gerry & Rita	Bob & Alice
Coffee Cleanup	Kees & Kristine	Geert & Danielle	Daniel & Yolandi

Nigel C.

Dear Congregation, as you may have heard, Nigel passed away on Wednesday in hospice care. Since his diagnosis last year, you have supported us in many ways. We are deeply grateful to all of you. We covet your prayers as we adjust to life without him. In accordance with the wishes of Nigel and his family, there will be no funeral service and wake. Love, John & Sarah

Pastor Ryan's Covenant Service

Kanata Community Church invites all to celebrate the beginning of Pastor Ryan Farrell's ministry during their service at 10 AM on Sunday, October 25th. There will be a reception to follow the service to spend time with Ryan, his family and friends, and the church community.

Calvary CRC has been honoured to have Ryan and Mickeelie be a part of our community over the past few years, and we pray for God's richest blessings on them as they begin this new chapter!

Seniors

The seniors will be meeting at the church at 10 am on Tuesday. Come for a social time, coffee, treats, good laughs and possibly play a game or place a few pieces in our difficult puzzle. You don't need to be a senior to attend.

Food Drive

Thanksgiving is over but we still remember that not everyone has been blessed in the same way that we are. *Lets bring in canned and dry goods to share with others.* The Deacons and the young people will be collecting food during the month of October. Lets give thanks for all that we have been blessed with.

Calvary Choir

It's that time of year again - we are starting to prepare choir music for Advent and Christmas! We have a ton of fun, and even learn a bit as we go along. Any age, any skill level is welcome! *Rehearsals are following the church service.* Talk to Alex if you want more information or would like to get on the choir emailing list.

Calvary Calendar

*Children, youth, and adult programs run from September - May.
Please contact the church office for more information.*

Monday, Oct 26	6:30-8:00 PM	Cadets
Tuesday, Oct 27	10 AM	Seniors
Wednesday, Oct 28	9:30-12:00 PM	Hands On
Thursday, Oct 29	9:30-11:30 AM	Men's Bowling
Thursday, Oct 29	7-9 PM	Youth Group

World Hunger Sunday is Next Week

In a world where there is more than enough food to feed everyone, millions of people do not have enough to eat. Together, let's work to end world hunger for good. Join World Renew in sharing Christ's hope with families facing hunger by giving through next Sunday's offering. With your gifts, we can help provide the training and tools families need to journey away from hunger. Learn more and give at worldrenew.org/worldhunger.

Prayer Room - The prayer room is open after each Sunday service. A church member will be available for prayer and support at this time.

Prayer Calendar - Please pray for Community, Dixon's Corners, Pastor Aaron Thompson. Blessings on their ministry.

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

Christmas Bazaar

The Christmas Bazaar will be on Saturday, Nov 28th. We plan to sell lunch, baked goods, crafts, new and used goods, and have raffles for gift baskets. *The committee is looking for **volunteers*** to help set up, serve & sell; to help bake and make items; and to donate gift baskets (which can be put together as a group). *We are also looking for **donations*** of 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, Marsha H, or Trudy H. Thank you!

Christmas Parcels for Seafarers

October 1 - December 15, 2026 we will be collecting gifts, virtual parcels, bulk items and gently used winter clothing for seafarers. You can participate by sending parcels or contributing items that will be added to parcels, or virtually by making a financial donation. Please see the Ministry To Seafarers website: www.ministrytoseafarers.org/parcels

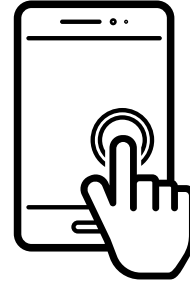
Thrive Faith Formation Tip - The Building Blocks of Faith are four statements that, when they become increasingly true for a person, indicate that his or her faith is growing: I belong to Jesus and to his body, the church. I know and understand the story of God's faithfulness, of which I am a part. I have hope, through Christ, in all of God's promises. I am called to work in God's kingdom, and I am equipped to do that work. What opportunities do the people in your household have to grow in each of these ways? For more on the Building Blocks check out the toolkit at crcna.org/FaithFormation/toolkits. Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive

Resonate Global Mission: Moving Forward in Faith Conference

Registration closes on November 9. You don't want to miss this conference which begins Friday evening, November 13, and continues all day Saturday, November 14, in Oakville, ON. Come for all or part of it! With over 20 dynamic workshops, plenary sessions and times of worship and networking, you will be equipped with practical skills and spiritual insights to better serve your local community. Take advantage of group rates and the Young Adult Stream by visiting the event website now: www.resonateglobalmission.org/moving-forward-2026

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

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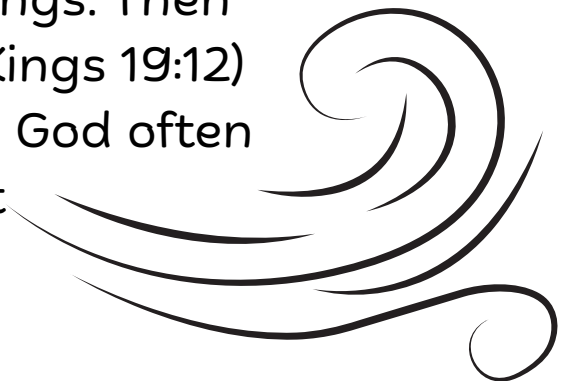


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"Just Be With God"

In 1 Kings 19, the prophet Elijah felt scared and alone. He looked for God in a big wind, an earthquake, and a fire, but God wasn't in those loud things. Then Elijah felt a gentle breeze (1 Kings 19:12) and knew God was speaking. God often speaks in the quiet



Notes

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

Send to bulletin@calvarycrc.ca

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