



# August 25, 2019

**10:00 am: Mr Randy Van Stempvoort**

*(\*please stand if able)*

## **Welcome and Announcements**

### **Gathering BY God's Grace**

- \*God Calls Us Into Worship:
- \*Opening Song: LUYH # 2 vs.1,2&4 **"O Worship the King"**
- \*Opening Prayer and Greeting
- \*Praising Our God
  - Songs: LUYH # 548 vs.1,3,4,5 **"My God, How Wonderful You Are"**
  - LUYH # 559 **"Ten Thousand Reasons"**

### **Growing IN God's Grace**

- Confession and Assurance
- Song of Assurance: LUYH #833 **"There is A Redeemer"**
- God's Will for our Lives
- Prayer with the Children

Song of Preparation: SNC #86 **"Thy Word"**  
**Scripture: I Corinthians 13** (please follow along in your bibles)

### **Message: "How Should We Define Love?"**

- \*Song of Response: LUYH # 299 **"Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love"**
- \*Profession of Faith: **Psalm 136 verses 1-9 and 26**

### **Going WITH God's Grace**

- Congregational Prayer
- Offering: Faith Formation Ministries
- \*Blessing
- \*Closing Song: LUYH # 749 **"Spirit of the Living God"**

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 The Officiating Elder will be available after the service  
 in the sanctuary for anyone who would like prayer.  
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A warm and special welcome to **Mr. Randy Van Stempvoort** from Chatham who is leading our service this morning. A special welcome to all those who are visiting with us today. We are so glad you are here. Please join us in the gym after the service for a time of refreshments and fellowship together. May we have a blessed day as we praise our awesome God.

**OFFICIATING ELDER:**

August 25: Charley Feddes  
September 8: John Lubbers

September 1: Gary DePooter  
September 15: Dick Bulsink

**OFFERINGS:**

August 25: Faith Formation Ministries  
Deacons: Lucas DePooter and Mikki Meyer  
September 1: Canadian Bible League  
Deacons: Cori Dykhouse and Bill DePooter  
September 8: Redeemer University  
Deacons: Beth Lubbers and Lucas DePooter  
September 15: Benevolence  
Deacons: Mikki Meyer and Cori Dykhouse

**NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING: BIBLE LEAGUE CANADA: [www.bibleleague.ca](http://www.bibleleague.ca)**

We are called by God to provide Scriptures and training worldwide, so that people prepared by the Holy Spirit will be brought into relationship with Christ and His Church. Our purpose is to do all we can to bring the Living Word of God into the hands of people around the world, because the world needs the Living Word of God more than anything else.

**RECEIPTS:**

Salvation Army ..... \$1412.25  
Budget ..... \$2660.00

**EVENING SERVICES:** Our Evening Services are cancelled in August.



**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS:** Congratulations to **Dan Thomas** who celebrated his birthday yesterday and to **Irene Kraayenbrink** who is celebrating her birthday today. Congratulations also to **Jocelyn Kraayenbrink, Jacob Vancoillie, and Mike Maguire** who will be celebrating their birthdays in the coming week. May God bless your celebrations.



**FAMILY CIRCLE:** Our Christian condolences are extended to **Wayne Vandendool, Megan & Will Johnston, Joel Vandendool, Curtis Vandendool, Peter and Ann Vandendool, and Alfred and Christine Feddes** in the loss of a dearly loved wife, mom, grandma, daughter and sister-in-law '**Deb Vandendool**'. May God's loving and comforting arms uphold and comfort you in the days ahead.

Continue to keep **Marlene Allaer** in your prayers as she recovers at home from her stem cell transplant. Continue to keep **John and Bertha Kraayenbrink** in your prayers as John continues with his chemo treatments. Pray for strength and healing for John. Keep **Dorothy Dejonge** in your prayers as she struggles with her health. Pray for strength and healing for Dorothy. Continue to keep **Mary Lou Snary** in your prayers as she continues with her rehabilitation. Pray for a complete recovery for Mary Lou.

**LOST and FOUND:** A little gold ring was found in the offering bag. If you are missing a small gold ring please speak to Lucia.

**PRAYER JOURNAL:** There are 2 extra copies of the 4-year Prayer Journal available on the table outside the office. The cost is \$15.

**CUSTODIAN POSITION:** The Property Committee is looking to fill the Custodian Position starting sometime in September of this year. Please speak with Bill DePooter or John Feddes to express interest or for more information.

**COMMUNITY MINISTRY KICK-OFF BBQ:** Our Annual Community Ministry Kick-Off BBQ is coming up on **Saturday, September 14 from 11 am to 1 pm**. Stop by for lunch and enjoy a hamburger, hot dog, salads, drinks and come out to socialize and help make the people from our community that visit feel welcome. This is a great opportunity to reach out to our neighbours and invite them to our programs and services. All are welcome!!!

**UPCOMING BIBLE STUDY:** A bible study will be starting this fall going through the book **'Finding the Hero in Your Husband ~ Surrendering the way God intended'** by Dr. Julianna Slattery. Dr. Slattery shows how every wife can find her hero, whether he's just beginning to fade from view or has disappeared altogether. This indispensable guide shows women how to use their strength in ways that encourage their husbands' potential instead of dominating and destroying it. Dr. Slattery helps women approach everyday situations from paying the bills and raising children to getting him to keep the toilet seat down and the intimacy level up. She explores the maligned and misunderstood 's' word: submission. She explains what it is, what it isn't, how women can support their husbands while being true to their dreams, and practical steps women can take if they are living in a dictatorship. To sign up for this study please sign up on the sign-up sheet by the office. We will work out times once we know who is interested in joining. Any questions please speak with Jocelyn Kraayenbrink.

**CHATHAM HOPE HAVEN FUNDRAISER:** We are having our 5th Annual Boxes and Blankets event and we hope you will help us make it a huge success. The Fundraiser is being held on Sept. 20 from 7pm-7am. Boxes and Blankets is an annual event, organized by Chatham Hope Haven in which people sleep for a night, on the street, with only boxes and blankets. The objective is to shed light on the issue of homelessness, as well as raise money for the mission, which opened in November, 2017. Anyone, young and old, are encouraged to sign up and gather pledges. Working together, we can shed light on the plight of the less fortunate. Pledge forms are available in the office or at the Chatham Hope Haven office at 183 Wellington Street West and on the website [chathamhopehaven.com](http://chathamhopehaven.com). Please let Chatham Hope Haven know you will be participating by calling 519 351-4010.

**Family Faith Formation Tip** - God equips us to serve in the world, but God also invites us to rest. It's so important for our physical and spiritual health that God set aside a whole day for it! Talk together about the fourth Commandment and brainstorm how your family might "remember the sabbath day by keeping it holy." (Faith Formation Ministries; [crcna.org/](http://crcna.org/))

FaithFormation)

**YOUNG ADULTS GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT:** Join hundreds of young adults on Saturday, October 5, at Forest City Community Church in London, Ontario, for a high energy, exciting, and stimulating day on Christian leadership. Our slate of speakers from around the world and from different sectors of society will spark your imagination and the schedule will give you ample opportunities to meet other young adults from southwestern Ontario. Costs are \$25 for Student or Early Bird registrations (before Sept. 15) or \$40 for Regular registrations. All-day refreshments and lunch included! This will also be a perfect setting for you to bring along non-Christian friends or peers. Questions? Email Mike Wagenman at mwagenman@uwo.ca or search Facebook for the event connected to Mike’s profile. Registration opens August 7! You won’t want to miss this!

**Heading off to campus?** - As you study, experience a multitude of perspectives and worldviews, and develop new relationships, why not also be part of a diverse community that gathers to grow in faith and to engage God’s world? There are over 35 CRC campus ministries on campuses across North America, comprised of students, faculty, and staff. To find out if there is one on your campus, please check this map: [resonateglobalmission.org/campusmap](http://resonateglobalmission.org/campusmap). No campus ministry at your school? You can also locate a nearby CRC using the Church Finder tool ([crcna.org/church-finder](http://crcna.org/church-finder)). For more information about our unique ministries, please contact us at [campusministry@crcna.org](mailto:campusministry@crcna.org)

**Telling God's Story** - A Day of Learning and Inspiration for Worshipers, Leaders, Musicians & Preachers. Planned for you by people like you who are involved in worship ministry in the local church. Join us Saturday, September 21 from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm at First Hamilton CRC and Central Presbyterian Church in Hamilton, ON. This day includes times of worship, fellowship, and learning that will connect to those involved with worship planning and leading. Purchase tickets and register for your workshops at [tinyurl.com/TellingGodsStory](http://tinyurl.com/TellingGodsStory)

**FAMILY FIRE - FAMILY FIRE** is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at [familyfire.com](http://familyfire.com). Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

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**SCRIPTURE READERS:**

Aug 25: Mr. Randy Van Stempvoort  
Sept 01: Pastor Josh                                      Luke 14:25-35  
Sept 08: Dick Bulsink                                     Luke 15:1-7  
Sept 15: Pastor Glenn Adams

**ROAMER:**

Aug 25: Bill DePooter                                     Sept 1: Don Snary                                     Sept 8: Wayne Dykema  
Sept 15: Jim Kraayenbrink                             Sept 22: Matt Feddes                                 Sept 29: Nick Dykema

**USHERS: (Reminder, please help those in need of assistance to their seat)**

Aug 25: Casey DePooter, Fred Kraayenbrink  
Sept 1: Bill DePooter, Dave Foster  
Sept 8: Dick Bulsink, Lucas DePooter  
Sept 15: Matt Feddes, Rob Kraayenbrink

**GREETERS:**

Aug 25: Gary and Shirley DePooter  
Sept 1: Bryan and Linda Watson  
Sept 8: John and Erica Lubbers  
Sept 15: Rick and Rita Ripley

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL for Pre K/JK/SK**

Aug 25: Karen Roche            Sept 1: Beth Kominek

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

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|               | <b><u>Sept 8/15</u></b> | <b><u>Sept 22/29</u></b> |
| Pre K—Grade 2 | Jocelyn Kraayenbrink    | Taryn Watson             |
| Grade 3—6     | Jaclyn Owusu            | April Tuininga           |

**NURSERY:**

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| <b><u>Aug 25</u></b><br><b><u>Infants</u></b><br>Lucia Kraayenbrink<br>Alie Peters<br><b><u>Toddlers</u></b><br>Wayne Dykema<br>Celia Baisden | <b><u>Sept 1</u></b><br><b><u>Infants</u></b><br>Janelle Lubbers<br>Jamie Moulton<br><b><u>Toddlers</u></b><br>Cyril Peters<br>Pete Hensel | <b><u>Sept 8</u></b><br><b><u>Infants</u></b><br>Megan Johnston<br>Katie Kraayenbrink<br><b><u>Toddlers</u></b><br>John Feddes<br>Sean Kraayenbrink |
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**Mother of the Month for August:** Jaclyn Owusu

**THE KITCHEN:**

August 25: John and Tracey Feddes  
                  Jim and Lucia Kraayenbrink  
Sept 01: Ryan and Kirstie Feddes  
                  Al and Judy Foster  
Sept 08: Henry and Tonda Griffioen  
                  Dennis and Lynn Kraayenbrink  
Sept 15: Bernard and Karlene Kraayenbrink  
                  Brian and Karen Kraayenbrink

**SOUND and VIDEO ATTENDANTS:**

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| Aug 25: Sound: Kyle Kraayenbrink | Video: Daniel Kraayenbrink  |
| Sept 01: Sound: Tim Kraayenbrink | Video: Jeff Kraayenbrink    |
| Sept 8: Sound: Jim Kraayenbrink  | Video: Russell Kraayenbrink |

