



Wallaceburg Christian Reformed Church
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10:00 am: Pastor Bob Taylor

Welcome and Announcements
Gathering BY God's Grace

- *God Calls Us Into Worship
- *Opening Prayer and Greeting
- *Praising Our God
- Songs: **The Heart of Worship**
LUYH #275 **There's No God as Great**

Growing IN God's Grace

- Confession and Assurance
- Song of Assurance: **Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me**
- Preparatory for the Lord's Supper
- Prayer with the children *(children ages 3– grade 3 leave for Sunday School)*

Song of Preparation: LUYH #628 **Give Us Clean Hands**

Scripture: John 1:1-18

Message: The Prologue - Part 2

- *Song of Response: LUYH #157 **Meekness and Majesty**
- Offering: NeighbourLink

Going WITH God's Grace

- Congregational Prayer
- *Blessing
- *Closing Song: LUYH #597 **Holy is the Lord**

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A warm and special welcome to **Pastor Bob Taylor** who is with us this morning to lead us in worship. Pastor Tim is off today.

A warm welcome to all those who are joining us in worship today.  
We are so glad you are here!

May we have a blessed day as we praise our awesome God!

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PRAYER: If you would like someone to pray with you, Pastor Tim and/or the
Officiating Elder will be at the front of the sanctuary after each service.
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OFFICIATING ELDER:

November 16: Nick Dykema November 23: Glen Lubbers
November 30: Gary DePooter December 7: Jim Kraayenbrink

OFFERINGS:

November 16: NeighbourLink
Deacons: Jeff DePooter and Judy Vandendool
November 23: Voice of the Martyr
Deacons: Fred Kraayenbrink and Wilf Allaer
November 30: WCS Tuition Assistance
Deacons: Kaley Bergsma and Jeff DePooter
December 7: Salvation Army ~ Noisy Collection
Deacons: Judy Vandendool and Fred Kraayenbrink

THIS WEEK’S OFFERING: Today, November 16th, our offering is in support of **NeighbourLink CK**. NeighbourLink draws volunteers from a network of churches in Chatham-Kent. We partner together to provide practical help to those in need by connecting them with individuals who can help and relevant existing services in the community. Chatham-Kent Christians have been working together through NeighbourLink since 2005. To learn more about what NeighbourLink CK is about, check out their website at: neighbourlinkck.com

NEXT WEEK’S OFFERING: Next week, November 23rd the offering will be in support of “**The Voice of the Martyrs**” which continues the legacy of Pastor Wurmbrand, (*author of "Tortured for Christ"*) in raising a voice for persecuted Christians around the world. It is sometimes hard for Christians in Canada to understand that persecuted Christians do not want us to send all of our funds directly overseas! They urge us to publicize their plight, to tell their stories, to urge governments to intervene on their behalf and to share their prayer requests with Christians in Canada. One of our core values as a mission is to serve the persecuted Church according to its wishes and needs, and not according to our own predetermined strategies. Just as Pastor Wurmbrand left Romania at the command of underground Church leaders to be their voice, we are fulfilling the command of today’s persecuted Church as we share their stories in our monthly newsletter, in books, on the Internet and through television and radio. Join us in raising awareness of the persecuted Church today! For more information, visit their website at: <https://www.vomcanada.com/aboutvomc.htm>

PICKLE BALL: WCRC Pickle Ball continues this Wednesday, November 19 at 7 pm. We have extra paddles if you want to come out and try it. Adults only.

The Truth Project: The Truth Project continue this week on Tuesday, November 18 at 7 PM. This will be the last Truth Project before Christmas. It will start up again in the New Year. All are welcome!!

<p>BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS THE LORD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU; THE LORD MAKE HIS FACE SHINE ON YOU AND BE GRACIOUS TO YOU; THE LORD TURN HIS FACE TOWARD YOU AND GIVE YOU PEACE. <i>NUMBERS 6:4-26</i></p> <p>Makenzy Lachance ~ November 16 Kylee Tessier ~ November 20 Lainey Lubbers ~ November 21</p>	<p>Receipts: Budget Nov 2 +9 = \$4435.00 Chatham Hope Haven = \$773.80 Knox Food Pantry = \$100.00 Cdn Foodgrains Bank = \$1552.00</p> <p>OCTOBER Bridge App Summary: Budget = \$5782.00 Mission Montreal = \$450.00 Knox Food Pantry = \$435.00 UCB Radio = \$140.00 Chatham Hope Haven = \$85.00 Total = \$6892.00</p>
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MIT’S BIT’S: I love my work sometimes!
Often we look at work like it’s a grueling thing that we must do in order to make a living. While earning a wage is vital, I’ve learned over the years that the actual work I do is the only means to fulfillment. I had this with my previous work, and even through my education later in life. And today, I can say that I love my job!

You see, apart from prepping and preaching sermons, I have the unique position to enter into the lives of the congregation and community. I can meet people in their greatest day, and on their worst day. I get to come alongside you all for a time, a short time, and to listen, or give advice, or help out in some other way. For me, this is a blessing!
Sure there are times when the stress of managing things can be a little overwhelming. I may not be the most ‘pastoral’ all the time. But we must remember that God is working on me too. I do consider it a real privilege, however, to walk with you all in your quest to live for Christ and to know more about Him. As I learn, I want you to learn too. Why? Because knowing the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, as Solomon said in Proverbs 1:7. May we all walk and work together for His glory!
where you are or what you’re doing, take a couple of minutes. Stop. Be quiet. Lest we forget.

COMMUNITY MEAL: Join us on Tuesday, November 18 at 5 PM for our Free Community Meal. We will be serving chili, garlic bread, salad, refreshments, and dessert. Come out and make the many that join us from the community feel welcome. All are welcome!!

COLORING CONTEST: Hey kids. Please remember to return your coloured pictures for our Christmas bulletins as soon as possible. You can place them in Miss Karen's mail slot. Looking forward to seeing them.

PRAISE & WORSHIP NIGHT: You are invited to a Praise & Worship Night at First Baptist Church on Saturday, November 22 at 6 PM.

PHOTOS: It is that time of year again. We are looking for any photos you might have from this past year of events that happened in our church. We would like to put them together for new Years Day. If you have any please send them to Karen or Lucia. Thank-you

Thrive Faith Formation Tip - Chaplaincy Sunday - Chaplains bring the presence of Christ into places where people are hurting, searching, or far from home—like hospitals, prisons, schools, and military bases. This week pray for chaplains who walk alongside others in difficult moments. Talk with your family or friends about how you can be a caring presence in your own daily spaces—just as a chaplain reflects God’s love wherever they are. Brought to you by Thrive: crna.org/Thrive

Kids Corner Devotions: Courage to Face the Giants - Check out this week’s kids’ devotion, “Courage to Face the Giants” at www.kidscorner.net. Ever felt scared to try something new or face something big? You’re not alone—and just like David faced Goliath, you can be brave because God is with you! Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like the KC video series, “Kids in Action”, telling stories of kids who serve God right now!



Prayer Corner
Please continue to pray for:

- John Lubbers recovering from knee replacement surgery
- Tina Feddes recovering from accident
- Jeff Tessier needing a kidney donor
- Strength and healing for others with health concerns

Council News from November 12, 2025

- 1. Council will be sending in various responses to questions about the unique position of being part of the CRC in Canada. These responses will be compiled and shared further at an Ecclesiastical Gathering of Canadian CRC being called by Classis Quinte.
- 2. Council approved a 2% wage increase for Pastor Tim, in accordance with the salary agreement approved last year. The same 2% increase will also be extended to all other church employees, effective January 2026.
- 3. Our Church Visitors Pastor Nate Van Denend and George Flikweert will be invited to the January or February Council Meeting.
- 4. All Committees and Ministries are asked to make their requests known to the Finance Committee for the 2026 Budget by Sunday, December 13th. The Finance Committee members are: Gary DePooter, Olga DePooter, Rob Kraayenbrink, and Denise Tessier.
- 5. The next Council Meeting is Wednesday, December 10, 2025.

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

DATE	16– NOV	23– NOV	30– NOV	7-DEC
Sunday School Ages 3—5	Carolyn B	Carolyn B	Cassandra H	Cassandra H
Sunday School Grades 1-3	Dick B	Dick B	Alie P	Alie P
Sunday School Grades 4-8	Lucas D	Lucas D	Lucas D	Lucas D
Nursery	Shirley D Cassandra H	Valerie K Erica L	Jamie L Karlene K	Talia V Linda L
Roamer	Fred K	Jim K	Matt F	Rob K
Greeter	Dick & Carolyn	John & Erica	Bill & Olga	Ed & Trish
Coffee Set-up/ Clean-up	Henry & Tonday	Jeff & Lisa	Wayne & Joyce	Fred & Valerie
Scripture Readers	Pastor Bob Taylor	1 Cor 1:4-9 Henry G	Ruth 1 Joyce D	Ruth 2 Connor L
VIDEO	Kyle	Lauren	Larissa	Connor
CAMERA	Dan	Ashton	Colin	Kyle
SOUND	Jim / Eli	Edmund	Casey	Jim / Eli

