



Clinton Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, June 27, 2021

Church Family:

Prayer Needs: Some members of our church family are not able to worship with us in person and we ask that you keep them in your prayers: *Jeene Amsing, Alice Bakelaar, Martin Geleynse, Sally Hellinga, Wilma Reinink, Jenny Valkenburg, Annie VandenHeuvel and Evelyn VanderWal.*

Other members of our church family are struggling and need God's healing hand and comfort: *Brian Cudmore, Kay Feddes, Janny Postma, Elisabeth Van Tol and Grace VanderWal.*

Pastor Ray Vander Kooij can be reached at 519-993-3303 or by email at pastor.ccrcc@tcc.on.ca.

Birthday Congratulations to:

June 28:	Simon Van Driel Emma Brace
June 29:	Hilda Veenstra celebrating her 94 th Birthday Matthew Bylsma
June 30:	Madison Veenstra
July 1:	Bill Van Wyk



Church Its Ministries & Concerns:

THIS SUNDAY'S OFFERING: Huron Christian School Bursary

NEXT SUNDAY'S OFFERING: Sanctuary London

Ways to Give:

E-Transfer: Remember that you can donate via e-transfer through your bank. Use clintoncrctreasurer@tcc.on.ca as the email and type whether it is for the church budget and/or the weekly offering in the memo. We understand that some banks are charging per e-transfer so if you would like to send your donation once a month you can do so. Please make sure that the memo line specifies budget and/or weekly offering.

You can **MAIL YOUR CHEQUE** to the church. Address is 243 Princess Street East, PO Box 697, Clinton, ON, NOM 1L0.

You can sign up for **PAR** if you haven't done so already. Contact Trudy MacDonald at trudy.macdonald@sympatico.ca. Pre-authorized remittance is for the church budget only.

Live Streaming: To watch the live stream, go to the church website – www.clintonchristianreformedchurch.ca and click the banner that says “Click here to watch live stream”. You may need to refresh the church webpage. If you’re having trouble or want to view the services but don’t have a computer, please contact Angela and she’ll see how she can help -- (ajanekaptein@tcc.on.ca or 519-440-3011).

Thousands of Biblical Resources Available to YOU: Our church has subscribed to an amazing resource for Christian content called **RightNow Media**. It’s been called the “Netflix for Christian content” with thousands of online Bible-based videos on parenting, marriage, discipleship, leadership and so much more. There is a huge library of Biblical children’s videos along with family devotional studies and Bible studies for all ages. Our church believes that RightNow Media is a tool that can help us live out our faith in every area of our lives – at home, at work, and in our community. There is something for everyone and it can all be accessed on your phone, tablet, computer, and smart TV. This is an amazing resource and everyone connected to our church will have the opportunity for free access.

Exciting Ministry Opportunity @ Clinton GEMS: Do you have a true love for God and girls and a willingness to have fun? Incredible exciting GEMS girls group right in our community is seeking a club coordinator or 2-person coordinator team. If you have prayed over this and feel this is something God is leading you to do, please contact Michelle Ringuette at 519-525-5809 or contact the church office at 519-482-5264 for more information.

Administrative Elder Nominations: Next week an email will be sent to you with the Nomination Form asking you to submit nominations to fill two Administrative Elder positions that were not filled during the last nomination process. Simon Van Driel has accepted the Chair position and Ralph DeWeerd has accepted the interim position of Vice-Chair. We encourage you to pray for the names that will be nominated.

Full Council Report: Full Council met on Tuesday, June 22 and discussed the following: Simon Van Driel was nominated and accepted the position of Chair and Ralph DeWeerd has accepted the interim position of Vice-Chair. Amanda Mahon has resigned from her position as Administrative Secretary. Sandy Gilck has agreed to renew her contract until November 2022. Thank you, Amanda, for your years of faithful service and blessings on your next chapter of life. Nominations will again be open for the two positions of Administrative Elder. An announcement will go in the weekly bulletin and an email will be sent to the congregation next week with the Nomination Form.



Reading Suggestion: The year is 1892 and the small island of Hawaii is in turmoil. Rafe Easton and a small but influential band of Hawaiian patriots are quietly pursuing annexation from the United States. As political tension mounts, some of the islands most prominent families are faced with some secrets that could unravel everything. The second book in the Hawaii Series by Chaikin. **HAWAIIAN CROSSWINDS**

Other News:

TODAY DAILY DEVOTIONAL is available online at <https://today.reframemedia.com/devotions>. The July/August booklets are available and can be picked up at the entrance of the church.

OUR DAILY BREAD DEVOTIONAL is available online at <https://odb.org/?fbclid=IwAR1dW0Dx09iMGYCFpRUY6z2YXgW1I0TctehhU34wGr3OTNR9awXTKww oDsk>

The Banner: Get the Banner by Email - Stay connected with our weekly e-newsletter, the Banner Update, delivering you new online content for free, by signing up at thebanner.org/signup.

Knox Presbyterian Church Goderich, ON: We are inviting applications for an enthusiastic and accomplished, Music Director/Organist/Pianist who is a team player, dynamic leader and celebrates music as an integral part of ministry. We have a three manual Casavant Organ with 56 stops, and a Yamaha C3 grand piano in the sanctuary, plus an extensive choral music library. Ideally the candidate should have a Bachelor of Music or equivalent, and be skilled in pipe organ and piano techniques, choral conducting, and also familiar with a variety of musical styles, both contemporary and traditional. We seek a creative individual who is at ease in working with people of all ages. The successful candidate will have excellent organizational and communication skills, along with a sense of humour. The successful applicant should be familiar with (and / or conversant in) the music and liturgy of the Christian Church. We are seeking an individual who can work closely with the ministers and worship committee and who will enjoy being a part of our close-knit community. **CORE AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY:** Leadership in worship planning, directing the Chancel Choir of about 20 – 25 members that practice weekly and sing each Sunday with the exception of the summer months. Available for Special Worship Services (Christmas, Easter, Weddings, Funerals, etc.). The opportunity to conduct the Junior Choir and /or a 3 octave Handbell / Chime choir is also available. Permission for teaching privileges using church facilities may be arranged. This is a 15 - 20 hr/week position with the salary commensurate on experience and qualifications. The start date is negotiable. For a copy

of the full position description, more information, or to apply for this position, please send an e-mail (attaching your C.V. in MS Word or PDF) if you are applying for the position. Interested applicants are invited to send a resume to: Search Committee for Director of Music.

ReFrame Ministries: CREATED TO CREATE - Check out this week's kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. God created you to be creative like him, so no matter how uncreative you might sometimes feel, you can still go out and make things yourself. God loves to see you doing that! Listen now at kidscorner.net and subscribe to KC's weekly emails for all the new content.

World Renew: Dignity and Hope in the Face of Human Trafficking - Today, Canada Day Sunday, many of us may have already made plans to create wonderful memories with our children and grandchildren over the summer. But sadly, for many children around the world, their childhoods are taken away from them by human traffickers and the memories they carry are days spent enduring forced labour and abuse. Let's join World Renew to discover how we can help protect vulnerable women and children from falling prey to human traffickers. To donate, call 1-888-WRLD-RNW or go online to: worldrenew.ca/htpresources.

Faith Formation Ministries: At-home Faith Formation Tip - The Practice of Wonder: Take a strong magnifying glass with you on a walk and look at how the tiniest details of nature point to the Creator of the universe. You'll be amazed by what you see! (For more on faith practices from Faith Formation Ministries, visit crcna.org/FaithFormation/Practices.)

Ramoth House is *urgently* seeking a mature woman who has a heart to guide our moms in establishing and maintaining healthy routines, educate in daily life skills, supervise and coach in parenting skills, maintain the home so as to create a place that is healthy and safe, and build relationships that share Christ's love. This position is 40 hours per week and is steady 7:30-3:30 day shift from Monday to Friday. Contact Christina at 519-323-3751 or christina@ramoth.ca or visit our website <https://www.ramoth.ca/career-and-volunteer-opportunities/pages/employment-opportunities> for more information.

We are praying for women like you! Ramoth House is eagerly seeking women to join our support team in mentoring and supervising new moms as they grow. A variety of afternoon, overnight, and weekend shifts are available and training is offered. Additionally, two short student contracts are available. If helping young women reach their parenting potential sounds exciting to you (and it is!), contact Christina at 519-323-3751 or christina@ramoth.ca or visit our website <https://www.ramoth.ca/career-and-volunteer-opportunities/pages/employment-opportunities> for more information.

Hello from all of us at Redeemer University: We are very grateful for the fact that we were able to complete the 2020 - 2021 academic year. Our ability to continue to offer a Christ-centered education at the post-secondary level even during the pandemic is made possible through our strong support community. The Christian Reformed Churches are a cornerstone of that support. Please find attached a letter of thanks from Interim President David Zietsma. I have also included here two links which may be appropriate to share at a meeting or in a service, virtually or in person. Each is less than two minutes. The first is a short promotional video titled, "Ready for Anything", which provides an overview of a Redeemer University education experience.

Ready for Anything: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v9sc8ZoWyS4>

The second is a short presentation, "Update to the Supporting Community," by Hank de Jong, Associate Vice-President External Relations, which highlights some items from this past year, touching on enrolment, pandemic response, presidential transition and program changes.

Update: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EtknVUAQ-LA>

If there are any questions, please do get in touch with me at the email or phone number below.

Thank you and blessings as you also continue to be a Christ-centred community during this time.

Helen Vreugdenhil, Senior Development Office.



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Dear Friends in Christ:

Thank you for your contributions in support of Redeemer University. Through your gifts and donations, we educate today's students to become tomorrow's leaders fueled by a faithful and God-honouring Christian higher education. We are blessed by the generosity of a community of believers committed to seeing God's Kingdom grow as we teach young people today.

Despite all that has changed for Redeemer in the past year, students have continued to show resiliency and reliance on God. It was encouraging to see them persevere and complete this challenging academic year. We especially think of the graduating students who have completed their studies at Redeemer in a much different way than they had once planned.

"Thanks to your support, my quality of education didn't go down as Redeemer was able to make the transition to online learning seamlessly." Emily, student

Now that exams are complete and students have left for the summer, Redeemer looks forward to a season of renewal around campus. The new residence and learning facility grows closer to completion with each passing day and Redeemer's buildings will see some refreshments including upgrades to the main auditorium.

Enclosed you will find a summary of your church giving to Redeemer for the first part of this year (January 1 – May 31, 2021) and prior years 2019 and 2020. We are grateful for the support that your church continues to provide to Redeemer. If you have any questions about your financial giving, please do not hesitate to contact me or Jeanette Wilson, Director, Donor Relations. Jeanette may be reached as follows: jjwilson556@redeemer.ca | 905-648-2139 x4475.

Again, thank you for your commitment as we prepare the next generation of Christian leaders for Kingdom impact.

Sincerely and with thanks,

David Zietsma, PhD
Interim President