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Community
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Sunday January 31, 2010

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We extend a warm welcome to all visitors.

We pray that you will find our services meaningful for your life and that the worship time will help draw you closer to the Lord!



Following this morning's service, please join us for coffee and fellowship in the foyer.



There will be a prayer team in the sanctuary following this morning's worship service to pray personally with you regarding any need you might have. (Team C)

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Led by: Pastor Clarence Witten Musician: Praise Team

Opening Song	Days Of Elijah
Welcome	
Call To Worship	
The Lord's Greeting	
Praise Songs	My Life Is In You Lord How Great Thou Art
Confession & Assurance	
Songs of Response	We Fall Down His Name Is Wonderful <i>(3-4 year olds leave for Children & Worship)</i>
Congregational Prayer	Joyce Geleynse <i>(5-11 year olds leave for Sunday School)</i>
Worship Song	Be Unto Your Name

Offering: This Sunday's Offering will be the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario (CHEO): This hospital in Ottawa has provided excellent care and services for our children in the past. Your contributions will help to ensure this continues in the future.

Scripture Luke 13:1-5 (pg. 1091 or 1010); John 9:1-3 (pg.1038 or 1121)

Message "Who Sinned?"

Prayer

Song of Response This Is My Father's World (PH 436)

God's Parting Blessing

Closing Song Love the Lord (by Lincoln Brewster)

**To make an offering to Community CRC you will find offering boxes at the back of the church attached to the back of the last pew. Or you can place your offering in any envelope marked "budget" and place it in the regular offering bag.*

Sunday Evening, Jan. 31, 6:30pm

Here it Is! A great new way to refresh or share your faith! It's called H2O A Journey of Faith and is a video based course that's like none other. Its basic premise is that everyone has a deep thirst within, a longing, that only the living Jesus can satisfy. The course is 10 weeks long and will be held every Sunday evening beginning tonight at 6:30pm. We begin with supper, watch a half hour video, and spend some time discussing it. The evening will wrap up within 2 hours. Come check it out. But also consider inviting friends of family. For further information talk to the Outreach Ministry or check it out at: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u4Ovou6uobk> Consider passing on this youtube site to friends to invite them.

H2O's videos are only a half hour long and are fast moving and interesting: **great for children and youth** as well as adults. This 10 week course promises to be a comfortable small group experience, a nice way to deepen friendships and get better connected to others in our church.

There is a sign up sheet in the foyer to sign up for this course, so we know how many books to order. Sign up today!

Today: Sunday Jan. 31

Service Elder: Wes Douma
Service Deacon: Lis Vandenberg
Ushers: Marg & Ginus Joldersma
Greeters: Rose & Dave DeKleine
Coffee Hosts: Levi & Melanie deJong
Welcomers: Wim & Alie Berghuis.
Audio Operator: John Weatherhead
PowerPoint Operator: Trudy Rook
Musician: Praise Team
Congregational Prayer: Joyce Geleynse
Library Attendants: Ellen & Jenna Douma

Next Week Sunday, Feb. 7

Marten Verburg
Rick Douma
John & Theresa Zandbergen
Cadets
Cadets
Harold & Freda Tibben
John Weatherhead
Andy Tibben
By Grace
Marlene Luchies
Brenda & Kaitlyn Geurkink

Nursery -Parent of the Month: Heather Belhumeur (Feb.)

Today: Infants: Tina Zersch, Brenda VanDodewaard, Nadine VanDodewaard
Toddlers: Reuben Geleynse, Rhian King, Kaitlyn Geurkink
Feb. 7: Infants: Theresa Barton, Sandra Heymans, Rachel Don
Toddlers: Levi DeJong, Bradley Blokland, Karen Blokland
Feb. 14: Infants: Adrienne LePage, Nancy Blokland, Courtney Donkersteeg
Toddlers: Derrick Don, Michael Harbers, Alison Harbers

Coffee Break Nursery:

Feb. 4: Janny Geurkink, Jeanette Devries
Feb. 11: Pythia Luimes, Laura Harbers

Family Ministry

Following are this week's joys and concerns. By contacting the pastor, your elder or deacons and/or Care Circle representative with items of celebrations and need for prayer, we can share God's love for each other.

Address Change: For Wes & Wanda Douma:

5566 Bridlewood Court

Iroquois, ON

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Phone number and email address remain the same: 652-2539; wdouma@jcis.ca

Nancy Blokland: Nancy came home from the hospital Jan. 23rd and is recovering from her surgery very well, in fact, she is doing better than her last surgery. Let's continue to keep her in our prayers.

Leland Dawson: We are thankful that Leland was able to come home from the hospital. Let us also keep him in our prayers.

Dwayne and Gladys Thielke: We have received the latest newsletter from our missionaries in the Philipines, the Thielkes. We've also received word that Gladys' mother passed away and that they are at present spending time with family in southern Ontario. Other prayer concerns are also listed on their newsletter which is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway. Thanks for keeping them in your prayers.

Joan Zandbergen: Joan is home from the hospital. She is weak but is receiving home care over the weekend and will be under observation to find out what will be needed in the future. Please pray for her to regain strength and health.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday's Offering: Next Sunday's offering is for the Calvinist Cadet Corps. The offering will be for the Cadet program in our own congregation as well as for the Calvinist Cadet Corps of which our Cadets are members. The Calvinist Cadet Corps is an independent organization and receives no direct support from denominational ministry shares. Your dollars come back to us in the form of goods and services designed to better equip counselors to reach boys in the name of Jesus.

Attention plant lovers! Now is the time to divide or take slips of your house plants for the TCS bazaar which will be on March 6. The more the better.

TCS Cookbooks: After 25 years, the original, well used, tattered, splattered, cover missing 'blue' TCS cookbook is being re-printed. If there are any changes that need to be made (due to original errors) please e-mail Pamela Dean pamelad@mikedeans.com before Feb 6th, 2010. Look for this cookbook at the upcoming TCS bazaar!

FAITHGIRLZ BEAUTY OF BELEIVING TOUR:

You heard about it at convention and now its coming to CANADA!

On April 24th, 2010 FAITHGIRLZ BEAUTY OF BELEIVING TOUR is coming to Barrie ON.

Speaker and author Nancy Rue will be talking to TWEENS (ages 8-12/13) and their moms, mentors, and or counsellors about body image, relationship with girls, boys and God! This is a wonderful event and it is the first time it will be held in Canada. There are two sessions you can attend on is from 9am to noon and 2-5pm.

Location: TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL 750 Essa Rd, Barrie ON 705-726-6621.

Tickets will go on sale soon (moms, mentors and counsellors are FREE).

Jamieson Family: Yvonne and Gordon Jamieson lost almost all of their personal possesions in their home fire. There is a list of kitchen and linen items that were destroyed on the back table just outside the sanctuary doors. If you are able to replace any of these items for the family, just check off the item from the list and deliver it to one of the deacons. It does not have to be new; it could be something you have extra of at home. Thanks in advance for your generosity!

Prayer for Churches of South Dundas: Brinston United
Hulbert Valley United
Pastor Andrew Love

Redeemer University College Concert Choir: will present choral gems from Gregorian chant to J.S. Bach, to rousing spirituals! Calvin CRC, 1475 Merivale Rd., Tuesday Feb. 16 at 7:30 pm. Free will offering.

Small Steps....Big Impact: Three out of four young adults in our church will walk away from the Christian faith after highschool. What can we do differently? Focus on the Family Canada and The Leadership Centre Willow Creek Canada will present a one-day conference in Ottawa, featuring pastor and author Mark Holmen and other special guests. This training conference offers a revolutionary yet simple methodology for becoming a *faith* at home focused church. If you would like to attend this conference at Woodvale Pentecostal Church on March 25, 2010, contact Pastor Clarence. For more information, visit Faithathome.ca.

Timothy Christian School's Bazaar, Sat. March 6th, 10 AM - 2 PM at Matilda Hall in Dixon's Corners. Come join us, even if you've never ventured out before, for this fun-filled event. There are Balloon Games and Fish Pond for the kids. Baking, plants, crafts and auction items for the adults. Pie and coffee served all day and a fabulous lunch at noon for the hungry. Lots of tables to browse through and shop at. We're also looking for help. We could use donations of all kinds, especially bigger items for the silent auction, \$1 items for the fish pond, baking, plants, crafts and food for the kitchen. Let's rally together to help support Christian Education in our area. Contact Theresa Witten wittens@persona.ca / 543-3601 for more information or to make a donation.

Ball Hockey: All fathers, sons, uncles, etc. are invited to play ball hockey today at 2:00 pm, following the monthly potluck, here in the church parking lot.

ROCK the Musical is coming to South Dundas. This is **Roger Jones's** latest and last musical production. Over the years, we have enjoyed many of Rogers' musicals, and as before, we are looking for people to sing in the choir. If you enjoy singing, please consider joining with others from all our various churches. No prior experience is necessary, just the enthusiasm to make a joyful noise and have fun.

Choir practices will be held every Thursday evening at **7:15pm** starting at **St. James Anglican Church Hall**.

There will be two performances of the **ROCK musical – March 27th in Morrisburg** and **March 28th in Dixon's Corners**.

Song Books available @ \$15.00 and Rock CD's @ \$20.00 but both for \$30.00.

Please register ahead by calling **Nick or Jane Lee at 613-543-3339**.

Go Missions Conference: As member of Christ's church, you have been called to share the Good News of Jesus Christ to the ends of the earth. But with missions growing more complex, and mission opportunities expanding, it's a challenge. Join us at Calvin CRC on Feb. 13th for our GO Missions Conference. Flyers with more information are on the table in the foyer. Deadline to register is Feb. 5th.

Scrapbooking Day Fundraiser: Our GEMS Counselors will be hosting a Scrapbook day with the proceeds going to our GEMS for Africa school. We will scrapbook from 9am-9pm at the Matilda Hall on Sat. Feb. 27th. There will be workshops throughout the day. The cost for the day is \$40.00 and that includes lunch and supper. Please see Brenda Geurkink for a registration form or for more information.

Nicaragua Rio Coco Tour 2010 is a Fundraiser for a Missionary project in Nicaragua's North Atlantic Region between CRWRC the Canadian Foodgrains Bank and AMC. Mark VanderWees is planning this River Tour from Feb. 15-20, 2010. Each participant is asked to raise \$ 1500.00 your help with this is very much appreciated. To donate online go to <http://donate2.crcna.org/riococo> or donate in an envelope marked Rio Coco in the church collection. Thank you, Willem Berghuis (tour participant)

Back To God Hour - Why isn't my Christian life more dynamic? Do you experience a gnawing, frustrating feeling that your Christian life should be more fruitful, more dynamic? If so, what can you do about that? Find out on the February 7th Back to God Hour. Go to www.BacktoGod.net for local stations and times.

Council Meeting, Jan. 21, 2010:

1. Albert Zandbergen read from 1 John 3: 18-24 and led us in prayer.
2. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.
3. Correspondence was dealt with.
4. Paul Dentz and Richard Zandbergen, on behalf of the Long Range Planning Committee, presented initial plans on the future of our church building etc. This proposal was accepted and will be further discussed.
5. Budget was updated. Although not all figures are in yet, there is a healthy surplus from 2009.
6. Council retreat is scheduled for Feb. 27.
7. Elder, Deacon, Pastor reports were received.
8. Ministry reports received from Outreach, Discipleship, Finance & Maintenance, Worship and Visioning.
9. Youth Pastor update: 8-10 resumes have been received. Plan to continue to phone interview 6 applicants.
10. Classis credentials were filled out.
11. Mutual Consensus was held.
12. Next meeting date to be announced later.
13. Harry Vant Fort closed in prayer.

Youth News:

The Big Chill Event!

This is our annual winter outing event for youth that will take place on **Saturday, February 20th** at the Beking Farm south of Kemptville. You are asked to arrive before 10:00 and the day will go to 3:00. Lunch will be provided with the cost of the day only **\$5.00/person**. Bring your skates, snowshoes, toboggans, hockey sticks and be prepared to have a great outdoor winter fun day!! Please let us know if your group is attending. Send your reply with numbers to either John Beking at jcbeking@ripnet.com or to Jennifer Post at adam1@ripnet.com. Please respond before February 17th.

Letter to Missionaries & Support Workers Feb. 7- Feb. 21

CRWRC: Mark & Nancy VanderWees - Nicaragua..... Jack & Wilma Joustra
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Rick & Linda Martin - 76 Lake St., Sioux Lookout, ON..... Allan & Mariette King
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CRWM: Sheila Dykstra: Christian Reformed World Missions,
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Offerings from Sunday Jan. 24, 2010

Budget	\$ 6,451.66
CRWRC-Haiti	\$ 11,010.47
Sunday School, 7 yr. olds	
Water for Life:	\$ 20.00
Students:	\$ 4.37

Weekly Schedule

Monday	GEMS & Cadets Ladies Bible Study
Thursday	Coffee Break Youth Group 7-9pm
Friday	Bulletin Deadline, 9am

Coming Events

Feb. 5-7	Ladies Retreat, Circle Square Ranch
Feb. 27	Scrapbooking Day Fundraiser
March 6	TCS Bazaar
March 28	Rock Musical
Aug. 6-8	Church Campout, Farran Park

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Website: www.communitycrc.ca. Bulletin Announcements must be received by Nancy Blokland in her church mail slot or via Email by **Friday at 9am.**