

Welcome to
Dresden Christian Reformed Church

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

March 11, 2018 10:00 a.m. Rev. Andrew Zomerma

** Please stand, if you are able*



WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Worthy, is the Lord our God, to receive glory and honor and power, for by Him all things were created, and by His will they were created and have their being. Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!

To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and honor and glory and power, for ever and ever! Amen

GATHERING SONG *Agnus Dei

***GOD GREETUS US**

To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever.

All praise to you, Jesus Christ, for your great love for us, for giving yourself to us, and for bringing us back to the Father. Amen

***OPENING SONG OF PRAISE**

581 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him and are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world and fail to be gov-

erned by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all, that we may be loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen

SONG OF CONFESSION

613 *Come to the Saviour Now*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE - Megan Kramer

SONG *O Praise the Name (Anastasis)*

MORNING PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING - Col. 1:15-20

MESSAGE - Who is Jesus?

PRAYER FOR APPLICATION

SONG OF APPLICATION # 15 *The First Place

OFFERING - Calvin College Danny VanderSpek Memorial Scholarship

CLOSING SONG # 593 *Lord Most High

***BENEDICTION**

DOXOLOGY # 219 *Jesus Shall Reign vs. 1,5

There is a short meeting after the morning service for all of those who help lead children's messages.

There is Sunday School for Grades 2-5 following the service.

To our Visitors

We would love to get to know you! Please join us today in the Fellowship Hall after the service so we can meet you. If you are unable to, we pray that you will have a blessed day. If you would like to know more about our church and its programs, or if you are interested in knowing more about our Lord Jesus, please feel free to speak to Pastor Andrew or an elder/deacon serving this morning. You are also welcome to call or email us; the info is at the end of the bulletin. Thank you for joining us today.

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:30 p.m.

** Please stand, if you are able*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

In the past God spoke through the prophets at many times and in various ways,

but in the last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, and through whom he made the universe.

Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise—the fruit of lips that confess his name.

Praise the Lord!

*GATHERING SONG

We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise

*GOD GREETUS US

*SONG OF PRAISE

579 Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

LORD'S DAY 4

Q9. But doesn't God do us an injustice by requiring in his law what we are unable to do?

A9. No, God created human beings with the ability to keep the law. They, however, provoked by the devil, in willful disobedience, robbed themselves and all their descendants of these gifts.

Q10. Does God permit such disobedience and rebellion to go unpunished?

A10. Certainly not. God is terribly angry with the sin we are born with as well as the sins we personally commit. As a just judge, God will punish them both now and in eternity, having declared: "Cursed is everyone who does not observe and obey all the things written in the book of the law."

Q11. But isn't God also merciful?

A11. God is certainly merciful, but also just. God's justice demands that sin, committed against his supreme majesty, be punished with the supreme penalty— eternal punishment of body and soul.

MESSAGE – "ruin and reconstruction"

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*HYMN OF APPLICATION

688 How Vast the Benefits Divine

QUESTION & ANSWER TIME about Lord's Day 4 and Evening Prayers with requests

OFFERING - **Beginnings** -life is a gift from God and beginnings provides services related to pregnancy and adoption

*BENEDICTION

***DOXOLOGY - # 959 Glory Be to the Father**

Church Calendar

THIS WEEK

Mar. 15	THURSDAY	7:00 p.m.	Council Meeting
Mar. 16	FRIDAY	6:00 p.m.	March Break Pizza Party

Upcoming Services

March 18 Noah Everett Hooyer's Baptism

10:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Offering: Diaconate –helps our local deacons support those in need in our community

6:30 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Offering: Wallaceburg Christian School – provides biblically-based Christian education for students of elementary age

March 25 PALM SUNDAY

10:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Offering: **World Renew** - helps those in poverty, hunger, disaster and injustice around the world

6:30 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Offering: **Classical Youth Ministries** - focuses on "assisting local churches of Classis in the development, growth and renewal of their youth ministries"

Family Circle

h a p p y b i r t h d a y

March 13 Megan Kramer

Blessings to you as you celebrate your birthday this week!

Let's support one another. Each week two members/families will be written here for all of us to pray for.

Please take the time to do this. Even though you may not know all that goes on in their lives, please pray for them.



PRAYER

Mike & Nicole Kramer

Scott & Hedy (Aydan, Jouke, Thysje, Evelien, Hendrik, Marita) Kramer

"This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us."

1 John 5:14

Announcements

Jeff Smith needs a ride to London on March 20 and his appointment is around 8:30 a.m. Please talk to Brad G. or Jeff if you can help. Thanks.

The **LIBRARY COMMITTEE** has been working and organizing the library! There are a bunch of new books waiting to be signed out! We are hoping to highlight and recommend certain author, books, or themed books every couple weeks or so. This week, in memory of the late Billy Graham, we have set out a few of his books!

We are still in need of a **Sunday school teacher** for after church for the oldest group. Please call Alisha if you can help out! Thank you.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: There will be a short meeting after this morning's service to talk with all the people who help out and lead children's messages. Thank you.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY:

A new pictorial directory is in the works! It will keep our members more up-to-date on our members and information.

Marianne has agreed to take photos of each member/family unit. If you have a recent electronic photo of yourself/family we will gladly take that instead. Starting Easter Sunday, and the following two Sundays, Marianne will be available to take a picture of you/your family. In order to help us get organized we need to hear from you ASAP. Please send Janice (to the church's email please – dresdencrc@gmail.com) your electronic photo or let her know if you want a photo taken.

UPCOMING EVENTS

⇒ **March break pizza party**

- This week, Friday, March 16 at 6:00p.m.
Party and family games night

⇒ **Ladies Craft night**

- Saturday, April 14. Samples shown on facebook event. Invite your friends. Cost is \$35. This is a **MUST SIGN UP** event. More details to come.

⇒ **Movie night**

- Friday, April 27 at 7:00p.m. Snacks and drinks provided. Bring your friends and your favourite blanket to sit on!

FROM FINANCE:

Budget	1900
Voucher	900
NeighbourLink	100
Diaconate	100
World Renew	100
Women's Bible Study	20
HST refund	5276.29
WCS	123.20
Redeemer	106.02
WaKitavis	341.60
Home & World Missions	210.80
CRC Publications	195
Christian Horizons	114.70
Coupon/Voucher	589

READY SET ALPHABET

Children entering school for the first time are invited to come to our FREE introduction program to JK and SK on Wednesdays from 9-11 am, starting April 18 through June 6 at the Wallaceburg Christian School. It is led by qualified teachers and includes Bible stories, carpet time, snack time, craft time and play time. Please contact the school soon at 519-627-6013 or admin@wallaceburgchristianschool.com to register and for more information.

Broasted Chicken Dinner

The Wallaceburg Christian School is holding a 3-Piece Broasted Chicken Dinner fundraiser on Saturday, April 21. It will be at the Dresden Arena (1212 North Street, Dresden) from 5-7 pm, followed by a live auction. A silent auction will be ongoing during the dinner. Burns Catering is providing the broasted chicken, and we're supplying all the fixings, including homemade desserts! Tickets are \$25, \$10 for ages 6-12 (includes 1 piece chicken or a hotdog). Tickets for children 5 and under are FREE (includes 1 hotdog). Please contact the school office at 519-627-6013 or admin@wallaceburgchristianschool.com to reserve your tickets!

You're invited to **RIGHT TO LIFE KENT'S 44TH ANNUAL BANQUET** on Tuesday, April 10th at 6:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Hall in Blenheim. Come and enjoy a delicious meal catered by Casa Bella, take part in the 50/50 Draw, and listen to the inspiring Lia Mills, a young Canadian pro-life activist and YouTube sensation. Tickets are available for \$35.00 per person (\$25.00 for youth: 25 years and younger) at our office on 39 Grand Ave. W, in Chatham until April 2nd. For more information, call Cynthia at 519-352-3611.

THE RIDGETOWN CAMPUS CHAPLAINCY PROGRAM will be holding their "Chaplain's Gala" on Friday, March 23rd at 6:00 p.m. Wilson Hall-Ridgetown Campus. (Dinner 6:30 p.m.) Students that attend the "God on Tap" Program, will share their faith journey and how the Chaplaincy Program has blessed them and impacted their lives. Al Delaet will share his singing talent with us that evening. Tickets (\$30.00 per person) can be purchased by calling Marg VanderEnde 519-437-7584. Come and enjoy a savory meal of roast beef and chicken, great entertainment and hear how God is working in the lives of approximately 80 young adults at the Ridgetown Campus. Please come out and support this great program.

CLASSIS CHATHAM YOUTH RETREAT - Youth and leaders! Mark September 28-30, 2018 on your calendars as the classis wide youth retreat is back and will take place at Forest Cliff Camp. More details to come! Any questions, contact the planning team at classischathamyouthretreat@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE: Please mark July 26- 29 onto you calendar. Maranatha CRC Woodstock will be hosting a Christian weekend event for all youth grades 9 -12 and their youth leaders. At this retreat we will explore the questions, "Who am I?", "What am I here for?" and "Where do I fit in?". More details will follow soon. Checkout our website: searchwoodstock.webs.com.

In His Service

	March 11	March 18	March 25
Elder	Ernie Kramer	Greg Devries	Fred Smids
Deacon	Brian Devries	Brad Goodreau	Luke VanderVliet
Greeter(s)	Paul & Jennifer Pietens	Kees & Audrey Poppe	Albert & Martha Luth
Children's Message	Megan Kramer	Mike Kramer	Mike Kramer
Musician(s)	a.m. Worship band	Pat Nywening	Anita Poppe
	p.m. Martha Hooyer	Pat Nywening	Wendy Goodreau
Mother of Month	Natasha Kramer		
Nursery Cleaning	Julia & Janice		
Nursery Caregivers	a.m. Joe Grootenboer, Megan Kramer, Scott Kramer	Julia VanderEnde, Chris Kramer, Alisha Killoran	Brad VanderEnde, Tristan Miller, Betty Kramer
	p.m. Hedy Kramer, Tim Kramer	Mike Kramer, Martha Hooyer	Keith Kramer, Sara VanderVliet
Coffee Clean Up	Doug & Wendy Goodreau, Joe & Eraina Grootenboer	Wayne & Martha Hooyer, Greg & Jen Devries	Scott & Hedy Kramer, Brian Devries
PowerPoint	Jen Devries	Natasha Kramer	Marg Bruinsma
Sound am/pm	Kees Poppe	Shawn Hooyer	Brian Hooyer
Projection am/pm	Preston Poppe	Brad VanderEnde	Chris Kramer
Librarian	Hedy Kramer	Hedy Kramer	Hedy Kramer
Sunday School Preschool	Emily Wright, Veronika Killoran	Erin Smids, Eraina Grootenboer	Erin Smids, Eraina Grootenboer
SK/Gr.1	Julia VanderEnde, Kate Smids	Megan Kramer, Ali Miller	Megan Kramer, Ali Miller
Gr. 2/3	Hedy Kramer	Rita Vriesema	Rita Vriesema
Gr. 4/5	Tim Kramer	Jamie Killoran	Jamie Killoran

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Bulletin announcements:

Please submit them by noon on Thursday to the **church email** (dresdencrc@gmail.com) or call Janice Hooyer at home. Thanks.

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