

# EXETER CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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Tuesday 9:30-2:30

Wednesday 9:30-2:30

Thursday 9:30-2:30

Friday 9:30-12:00

**We are *training***

**to become a clear *reflection***

**of** *GOD’S* **glory!**

# Bulletin for the week of June 30, 2019

***Welcome to church! We are so glad you are here!***

For smaller children we have a toddler nursery and an infant nursery. There is an adult vol- unteer in each nursery to look after your child. Sign in and out is required. This morning there will be Sunday School for children aged 3. If you have children this age, they will be dismissed part way through the service. They can be picked up after the service in the ed- ucation wing.

 **Staff**

Kevin teBrake - Pastor

Lisa Monck - Administrator Yvonne Van Soest—Treasurer

Leo & Yvonne Weverink—Custodians Steve & Sarah van Breda– Custodians

 **Deacons**

Ken Boersma—Vice-all, Rep for BOA

Bill Branderhorst—Rep for Financial Stewardship Team

Sylvia Heyink—Rep for Safe Church Committee Michelle Zwart—Rep for Churches Learning Change *New Members: Aaron deBoer and Betty Toornstra*

 **Elders**

Adrian Bakelaar

Mike Branderhorst—Youth Rick Branderhorst

Ron deRuiter—Rep for Living Small Groups Cliff Knip—Chair of Council

Mike Verhoog—Rep for Outreach

*New Members: Tim DeWeerd, Sylvia Hulshof and Al Vanderlaan*



We have an assistive listening system and large print song sheets and hym- nals available; ask an usher to help you with these items.

Our services are recorded and broadcasted on local TV (check your local listing for details) and on our website.

Join Together as We Worship Our Lord!

10am Worship

***Pastor:*** *Kevin te Brake*

***Musician:*** *Steve VanBreda*

##  We Gather in God’s Presence

Welcome

* Call to Worship
* Song: “Holy Is The Lord” LUYH 597
* Prayer
* Greeting
* Song: “Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)”

##  We Are Renewed in God’s Grace

Call to Confession

Song: “Out of the Depths I Cry to You on High” LUYH 655:1

Prayer of Confession Words of Assurance

Song: “Out of the Depths I Cry to You on High” LUYH 655:3 God’s Will for Our Lives

Song: “Good to Me (I Cry Out)” LUYH 620

##  God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Children’s Message

Scripture & Message: Acts 4:32-5:16 - Our Holy God Desires Our Obedience Prayer

* Song: “I Surrender All” LUYH 739:1-3

##  We Bring our Offerings and Prayers

Offertory Prayer and Causes

Offertory Song: “Who You Say I Am”

Prayer of God’s People

##  We Go Out to Serve In God’s World

* Blessing
* Song: “O Canada” Verses 1 & 2

\* indicates stand if able

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**SERVICES AND FELLOWSHIP**

**Today’s Services/Fellowship**

**Today at 10:00AM** – Pastor Kevin leads worship, as we continue to study through the book of Acts.

**Upcoming Services & Fellowship**

**July 7 – 10:00AM** – Pastor Kevin leads worship. We welcome the youth SERVE team as we are commissioning them for their mission trip - Niagara.

# CHURCH FAMILY

 Continue to pray for **Wendy Stafford** as she recuperates from back surgery.

 Congratulations to **Mike Daly and Noreen Vaillant-Da**ly on their wedding yester- day. We pray the Lord’s blessing on their married life together.

 This weekend we celebrate **Canada Day Weekend**. We celebrate 152 years of giv- ing thanks to God for the many blessings and his faithfulness to our country. We also lament over the many challenges and sorrows that have taken place, and thank God for his continued mercy and grace.

 I want to say a sincere **"thank you"** for your support for me and my family during the recent death of my beloved husband, Vic. Your visits with Vic and I at the hos- pital, your presence at the visitation and funeral, your expressions of sympathy, your stories of Vic, your hugs, your tears were all extremely meaningful to me. I also thank you for the many, many prayers that were and still are being raised for me and our family. Please know that God was so near. God carried Vic the last days of his journey here on earth and then took him to his eternal home. Vic is now pain and disease free and for that I am glad. However, the pain of missing him contin- ues. Please continue to do all these “small” things for that is where God lives. “Not all of us can do great things but we can do small things with great love.” Mother Teresa. In His Service, Nancy VanderMolen.

***NOTE:*** For those who have a prayer request or thanksgiving and would like it in the church bulletin & congregational prayer, please contact your elder and the church office. If you wish to have someone visit with you, please contact the church office, your elder, deacon or pastor to schedule a time that works for you.

**Happy Canada Day from World Renew!** Canada Day is an opportunity for World Re- new to thank the government of Canada, supporting churches, and generous Canadian donors - like you! - for joining with us to change the story of poverty into countless sto- ries of hope. Together, Canadians have generously shared God’s heart for families and communities touched by hunger and poverty. This Canada Day Sunday, re-discover how you can continue to help in communities throughout the world by joining with World Renew. You can also go to [www.worldrenew.net](http://www.worldrenew.net/) to find out more.

**Young adults** are invited for a BBQ lunch at Marissa teBrake’s place (285 Darling Blvd, Exeter) today after church. Come out to enjoy a time of food and fellowship.

**NOTE: *Young adults includes those who just graduated grade 12***.

* **SHOP ‘N SAVE:** This coming Wednesday is the last day for the Shop ‘N Save pro- gram for this school year. Only in-stock cards will be sold. Thanks to everyone for their continued support of this program. With your help we have raised over 10,000 dollars for the school and an equal amount for personal tuition credits!

 **London Christian High**

* A **reunion** for the ***London Christian High class of 1979*** is being planned for July 21, 2019 at Springbank Park. If you were part of the graduating class of 1979, please contact Nancy at 519-280-9046 for more information and to RSVP.
* **Registering for Fall 2019 @ *London Christian High***: Registration is open for the 2019-20 school year. For more information, check out our website: londonchris- tianhigh.ca or connect with Gabriella at 519-455-4360 ext. 231 or ghoogstra@lchonline.ca to book a tour.

 **Redeemer University**

* **Come for a visit!** Learn more about ***Redeemer University College.*** Our next visitor opportunity is on July 12th. Register and learn more at [**redeemer.ca/visit**.](https://redeemer.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=fe60fa58c5805869e7465bbe6&amp;id=9b1bb8788f&amp;e=06637b375c)

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

 **Huron Christian School**

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| **Police Checks:** If you receive a letter and form in your mailbox, then it is time to get your police check updated. You will need to fill out the front page of the form before you take it to the OPP station. Please take 2 pieces of identification with you! ***Note: Health Cards and SIN cards are not accepted!***When you receive your police check back from the OPP office, please put it in the office mailbox, which is the first one, closest to Pastor Kevin’s office. |
| **Children's Storybook Bibles:** Notice something different in the pews? Starting with the summer months we will have Children's Storybook Bibles in the sanctuary helping our space reflect our intergenerational worship. Please feel free to let your children move the books around or search for one they haven't explored yet! If you have any questions, please talk to Sarah vanBreda. Enjoy! |
| Mix it up in the Dominican Republic - **Resonate Global Mission** is gathering a team from North America to work side-by-side with believers of the Christian ReformedChurch in the Dominican Republic! Join together to mix cement and build a small com- munity church so believers have a safe and secure place where they can worship God. Learn more about this opportunity by visiti[ng www.resonateglobalmission.org/mixit.](http://www.resonateglobalmission.org/mixit) |



# SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS AND ACTIVITIES

**Soccer camp** is approaching quickly (***July 29 to August 2 for children ages 6-12).*** Register, on our website, by **July 1st** for your discount. All the information is on the soccer camp posters, which can be found in your mail slots. We are also in need of coach assistants to help out for the week of soccer camp, as well as two homes willing to billet the 4 coaches. **Volunteers needed!** There is a volunteer sign up set on the bulletin board by the gym. For more information, please con- tact Harold Vandermeer.

**VBS *July 22*** - ***July 25***

**VBS is fast approaching!!** Don’t forget to register your kids at vbspro.events/p/roar-exetercrc

**We are also looking for more volunteers!!** If you are able to help out as a group leader - even for a day or two or with sound/video or registration

please contact Jody Mulder!

**Beach Volleyball Tournament:** The Vanastra Youth Group is hosting a Beach Volleyball Tournament! July 6th (rain date July 13th) on the beach volleyball court at Vanastra Community CRC. Event starts at 10:00 a.m. and games start at 11:00 a.m. There will be BBQ, Bake Sale, Face Painting, Games and more. Six or more people per team (must include 2 or more girls); $100 per team. Each team is guaranteed to play at least 2 games. Register by June 20th. For more information or to register, contact Jennifer at 519-441-2859 or jenniferlhouse@hotmail.com

**Summer Volleyball Camp**: With spring finally making its appearance, we know that summer is just around the corner and so is the 2019 London Christian High Volleyball Camp on August 12-16! Volleyball Camp is open to students going into grades 6-9 this fall. Registration is open now at: <http://londonchristianhigh.ca/event/lch-volleyball-> camp-2019/ Sign up today!

**OFFERINGS RECEIVED**

GEMS $891.15

New Ground $638.45

Deacons $445.00

Wycliffe $1,178.05

Fresh Start $919.35

Sanctuary $150.00

Budget Collected YTD $117,488.00

# COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS 06/19/2019

 There was a time to welcome our new members and have an opportunity to hear how much growth the outgoing members have seen during their time of service. Thank you for your time and dedication. As new members climatize to their new roles, we look forward to serving with them.

 It was decided that all executive positions and Council liaisons will be established at the next meeting. Council members are encouraged to think about their gifts and where they might be best suited to fill positions.

 Safe Church Committee continues to meet to establish policies and procedures.

They plan to have a document available soon.

 The deacons continue to support community requests for help. The deacon roles are as follows; Sylvia Heyink – Chair, Ken Boersma – Vice, Michelle Zwart – Secre- tary, and Betty Toornstra – Treasurer.

 The elders reported and continue to study the book “Canoeing the Mountain’. Shane DeWeerd has requested to withdraw his membership to worship in Lon- don and this was approved.

 Liv Jackson was approved to become a full member of Exeter CRC. Craig Branderhorst and Liv Jackson have requested to have their son Nash baptized and this request has been approved.

 Pastor Kevin reported on activities happening in May and June.

 The Churches Learning Change team continue to meet regularly. They went on a Churches Learning Change Retreat, where they were encouraged to take time of solitude and reflection to start dreaming again and setting goals, i.e. as a church, can we be better at wearing our faith on our sleeves.

 The Outreach Committee reported that Mayor George Finch envisions utilizing our gym for community activities, i.e. pickleball. VBS and Soccer camps will be happening soon. We are looking for a replacement for Harold’s position. If you would be interested in this, please contact the office. Rachel Vanderlaan has agreed to organize the collection of school supplies for backpack for kids’ pro- gram again this year. All backpacks will be handed out through the Food Bank.

 The Education Programs Committee held a potluck that was received well. The GEMS ReFresh leadership training login information will be available on the Exe- ter CRC Facebook page if you are interested in taking this course. GEMS is cele- brating this step of faith to intentionally invest in leadership training!

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|  **OFFERINGS** |
| Today: | Aboriginal Ministries | July 7: | Christian School Tuition |
| July 14: | Serve (Globally) | July 21: | World Renew |

 **CALENDAR OF THE WEEK**

7:00pm Faith Formation Class 7:45am Executive Meeting

7:30pm Elders Meeting

**Tuesday**

**Wednesday**

# SERVING EACH OTHER

##  NURSERY

**JULY POM** Infants: Scott & Lisa Heyink Toddlers: Jason & Jody Mulder

*Today*

Infants: Lisa Heyink, Janelle Bouman, Elise Poortinga Toddlers: Lisa Boersma, Aaron Dykstra, Ryan Poortinga

July 7

Infants: Sandy Heyink, Miranda Breukelman, Kennedy Boersma

Toddlers: Sandra Ducharme, Sylvia Husholf, Caleb Knip

July 14

Infants: Kristin Johnson, Arlene Meinen, Breanna Heyink Toddlers: Marg Knip, Sharon Kodde, Samuel Vanderlaan

July 21

Infants: Becca Meinen, Angela Nyman, Rose Ducharme Toddlers: Joe Lubbers, Kim Poortinga, Ethan Boersma

**NOTE:** There is a sign up sheet outside the Age 3 classroom. The three year-olds will have ***Summer Sunday School*** each week if there is a volunteer. We will leave some mate- rials in the classroom that you are welcome to go through and use.

##  CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

*Today* Joan Brady July 7 Pastor Kevin teBrake

July 14 Leo Weverink July21 Sylvia Hulshof

##  GREETERS USHERS

*Today* Albert & Fran Hummel Harry Knip and Dan Vanderlaan

July 7 Mike & Sarah Verhoog John Meinen and Wilma Visscher July 14 Adrian & Maria Bakelaar Clarence Toornstra and Harry Knip July 21 Harm & Jennifer Garritsen

##  VALET PLUS DOOR GREETERS

*Today* Wibbina Toonk Tom Verhoog and Albert Hummel July 7 Evert VanSligtenhorst Joyce Pelley and Jennifer Garritsen

July 14 Rick Jonker Lori Triebner and Jannie VanWieren

July 21 Al Vanderlaan Bert Visscher and Wilma Visscher

 **DISHWASHERS** families of...

*Today* Peter & Audrey Boersma and Gerben & Ria Steenbeek

July 7 Trevor & Lisa Boersma and Gerard & Tanya Steenbeek

July 14 Darren & Janelle Bouman and Henry & Bethany Schmidt

July 21 Dave & Joan Brady and Steve & Kim Poortinga

##  SOUND PERSON OVERHEAD VIDEO

*Today* Nadine Van Breda Reuben Van Breda Gerard Steenbeek July 7 Nathan Boersma Nathan deBoer Rick Hulshof

July 14 Harm Garritsen Ethan te Brake Henry Post

July 21 Ethan te Brake Greg Langendyk Gerard Steenbeek