

Welcome!

Christ arose from the dead! God Himself has defeated sin and death and has opened up for us the pathway to life. This morning we are blessed to have the Cadet Club help lead in worship. Their theme this year has been Branded with Christ. Thank you Cadet Club for offering your gifts this morning as we worship our Savior and Lord. Pastor Colin.



Visitors/Guests Notes

COMMUNICATION CARD

We want to get to know you! Feel free to fill out the Visitor/Prayer Card in the bench and drop it in the offering bag.

CHILD CARE

Child-care is available for both infants and toddlers located in the lower level of the church.

BETHANY KIDS

Children ages 3-8 leave during the service to attend Children's Church downstairs.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS & HEARING ASSIST DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE USHERS.

All are welcome to join afterwards for refreshments in the fellowship hall.

Why Are We Here?

VISION STATEMENT

We are a God Honouring Community Witnessing for Christ

We're on the web!
www.bethanycrc.ca



Connecting

General Information

Office Administrator	905-892-8980 info@bethanycrc.ca
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We Partner With

Locally

Hannah House, Elisha House, Pro-Life, Harvest Kitchen, Rose City Kids, Open Arms Mission, Pelham Cares, Family Outreach, Shalom Manor, Bible League, Covenant Christian School, Smithville Christian High School, Friendship Club.

Globally

Check out www.crcna.org

Tom & Deb deRuiter who are serving in Mali, West Africa

Email: adiallo_78@hotmail.com – CRC World Missions

Devon Van Hoffen serving in Africa. Email: devon@handsatwork.org

Check out his blog at www.devonvanhoffen.wordpress.com

Happening Today

Worship Leaders	8:00am – time of praise, prayer, & preparation
Pre-service Prayer	9:15am – Council & worship leaders (in Council room)
Worship Service	9:30am
Christianity Explored	11:30 in Council Room

Upcoming

Next Week's Offering: Operation Manna

Next Week Sunday: Christian Education Sunday – Covenant Christian School

Praise Team will lead our worship service.

May 3rd Adult Bible Study at 7:00pm at Mike and Vicky DenBak - Lesson 10- Standing Firm.

May 6th Authentic Manhood Bible Study at 8:00pm
Elders meeting at 7:30pm

Get Equipped for Faith Life



2014-2015 Theme - Isaiah 6:8
"Bring the Message"

Meets every Monday evening from 7-9pm for girls in grades 4-8. For more information contact Lindsay@bethanycrc.ca



2014-2015 Theme - Deuteronomy 6:5
"Branded With Christ"

Meets every Thursday evening from 7-9pm for boys in grades 4-8. For more information contact Epp DeVries 905-892-2391



Men's Bible Study

6:00am every Monday morning & 8:00pm every Tuesday evening

Women's Coffee Break

9:30am every Tuesday at Grace CRC

Heart to Heart (Women)

9:30am every Friday

Konnect 20 (Young Adults)

7:30pm once a month at Boverhofs

Potluck/Bible Study Group

4:30pm on 1st Sunday of every month



Grades 9-12

Faith Instruction/Catechism

7:00-8:00pm Tuesday evening (grade 9 & 10 are finished for season)

MERGE

7:00pm every other Sunday evening

Welcome!

Cadet Sunday



Bethany Christian Reformed Church

April 26, 2015
9:30am

Today in Worship



The Lord Gathers Us

Call to worship - Psalm 95:1-2 & Ephesians 2:8-10

*Opening Song - "Amazing Grace/My Chains are Gone"

*God's Word of greeting & mutual greeting

*Song - "Behold Our God"

The Lord Shows Us His Grace

Prayer of confession

Word of assurance - Romans 8:1-4, 12-17

*Song - "The Father's Love"

God's Call to Faithful Living - Cadet Litany

Song of Thankfulness "Living for Jesus"

(Children ages 3-8 invited downstairs for Sunday School)

Prayer & Offerings

1. Ministries here at Bethany & the CRCNA
2. Cadets

Prayers of God's People

The Lord Speaks to Us through His Word

Scripture - Deuteronomy 6 (p. 158)

Message - "Branded With Christ"

The Lord Sends Us Out to Serve

*Song - "How Great is the Love of the Father"

*God's Word of blessing

*Closing Song - "Before the Throne/Hallelujah, All I have is Christ"



<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> April 26	Ecclesiastes 10-12; Revelation 13
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> April 28	Numbers 3-4; Revelation 15
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> April 30	Numbers 7-8; Revelation 17
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> May 1	Numbers 9-11; Revelation 18
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> May 2	Numbers 12-14; Revelation 19

Sermon Notes

"Cadet Theme – Branded with Christ"

Serving Assignments

Please arrive by 9:15am for Nursery & Toddlers

Today

Little Lambs	Aimie VanLochem, Holly Robson, Mackenzie Kremer
3 year olds	Vicky DenBak, Cadence Kiers
4 year olds	Kelly Bosgraaf-Dam, Riley Kremer
5 year olds	Karen Bylsma, Cassidy Kiers
6,7,8 year olds	Kevin DeBoer, Sierra Kiers
Nursery-Babies	Betty Gritter, Karissa Vantwel, Grace Vander Veen
Toddlers	Julienne Marr, Ann Kiers, Ayden Garner, Lauren VanHuizen
Ushers	Chris Smit, Mary Bokma
Greeters	Cor & Ina VanSoelen, Joanne Dam, Kurtis Bouwers, Andria Slappendel

Coffee Servers Hilbert & Mary Bokma, Dan & Sandra Stam

Email deRuiters Matt & Julienne Marr

Email Devon VH Rob & Glenda Bouwers

Next Sunday

Little Lambs	Debbie Prins, Sonya VanDriel
3 year olds	Miranda Langendoen, Nathan DenBak
4 year olds	Jody VanderStelt, Jody VanHoorn
5 year olds	Stephanie Beldman, Morgan Glasbergen
6,7,8 year olds	Jen Kiers, Andria Slappendel
Nursery-Babies	Anita Vander Ploeg, Margaret DeVries, Chloe Lapenna
Toddlers	Rita Forestell, Mary Bokma, Madison Lapenna
Ushers	Brian Prins, Scott VanDriel
Greeters	John Langendoen, Epp DeVries, Gerry & Tena Evers
Coffee Servers	Ed & Jacqueline Slappendel, Ralph & Brittany Terpstra
Email deRuiters	Bert & Cynthia Nauta
Email Devon VH	Rudy & Debbie Boverhof

If you are interested in serving please contact the office

Bethany Family Updates & Prayers

Birthdays this week

Joanne Dam, Natalie Langendoen, Anita Vander Ploeg, Brandon VanSoelen, Ayden Garner, Margaret DeVries, Julia Glasbergen

Anniversaries this week

None this week

Prayers requested

- ❖ Congratulations to **Ben & Joanne Benson** with the birth of their second child, **Zachary Nicolas** who was born on April 18th.
- ❖ Helena Tymochko (mother of Wendy Vahrmeyer) suffered a heart attack this week. Please pray that she will recover and be able to return home soon.
- ❖ Continue to pray for **Malachi Damm**. He still has a blood clot in his heart that doctors are treating and regularly monitoring. Pray for the clot to dissolve through medication with no need of surgery. Pray for ongoing strength and peace for Pete & Netty to feel God's care in all things.
- ❖ This morning voting takes place for office bearers. We wish to thank the following elders and deacons for your faithful service for the past 3 years: **Alfred Kiers, Kevin Twomey, Mark Vahrmeyer, Tim VanHoffen, and Pete Wierenga**.
- ❖ Pray for patience and healing for **Ina Van Soelen** as she waits for biopsy test results. Give thanks for the strength of the Lord that upholds her and Cor in this time.
- ❖ Pray for patience and healing for **Hermien Korten** who waits for biopsy results. May the Lord surround her with His peace.
- ❖ We pray for comfort for the Forestell family in the recent death of Mike's brother Frank. May God's grace and peace surround them all in this time of loss.
- ❖ Pray for those who are dealing with cancer. **Wilma VanHuizen** (Ray VanHuizen's mother) **Kevin Vanderlee** (Denise Glasbergen's brother).. Also keep in prayer **Harrison Exelby** (grade 9 student at Smithville Christian Highschool). Pray for **Brad Klinker (Frank & Diane Dam's nephew)** whose health is declining with terminal cancer. Pray for God's peace and gracious presence to uphold him and the whole family. Pray for **Rebecca Neudorf's grandmother** as she deals with extensive cancer.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God."
Philippians 4:6 ESV