

Welcome!

About 450 years ago, when kings rode steeds and armies had shining armour and there was no indoor plumbing to speak of, a German ruler requested some help in teaching the Christian faith to his people. I doubt we will hear such a request from our government any time soon. This morning we are going to use that very teaching tool. It's called the [Heidelberg Catechism](#). It was composed in the city of Heidelberg, Germany and a "catechism" is a summary of beliefs put in a Question & Answer format. It helps us deepen our grasp of and our response to the Good News in the Bible about God's gift of salvation in Jesus our Lord. Thank you Lord for Elector Fredrick III's request!



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

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 Pastor Colin Vander Ploeg 905-931-5841[call/text] colin@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

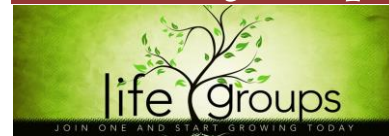
Happening Today

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

Upcoming

Next Week's Offering: Summer Day Camp

Get Equipped for Faith Life



Upcoming 2015-2016 Theme
Psalm 119:105 "Choose Truth"
 Meets every Monday evening from 7-9pm for girls in grades 4-8 from Sept.-Apr. For more

information contact the office
info@bethanycrc.ca

Men's Bible Study

6:00am every Monday morning

Women's Coffee Break

9:30am Tues at Grace CRC
 (finished for season-will resume in Sept.)

Heart to Heart (Women)

9:30am every Friday (resumes in Sept.)

Konnect 20 (Young Adults)

7:30pm once a month at Boverhofs
 (finished for season-will resume in Sept.)

Potluck/Bible Study Group

4:30pm on 1st Sunday of every month



Grades 9-12

Faith Instruction/Catechism

(finished for season-will resume in Sept.)

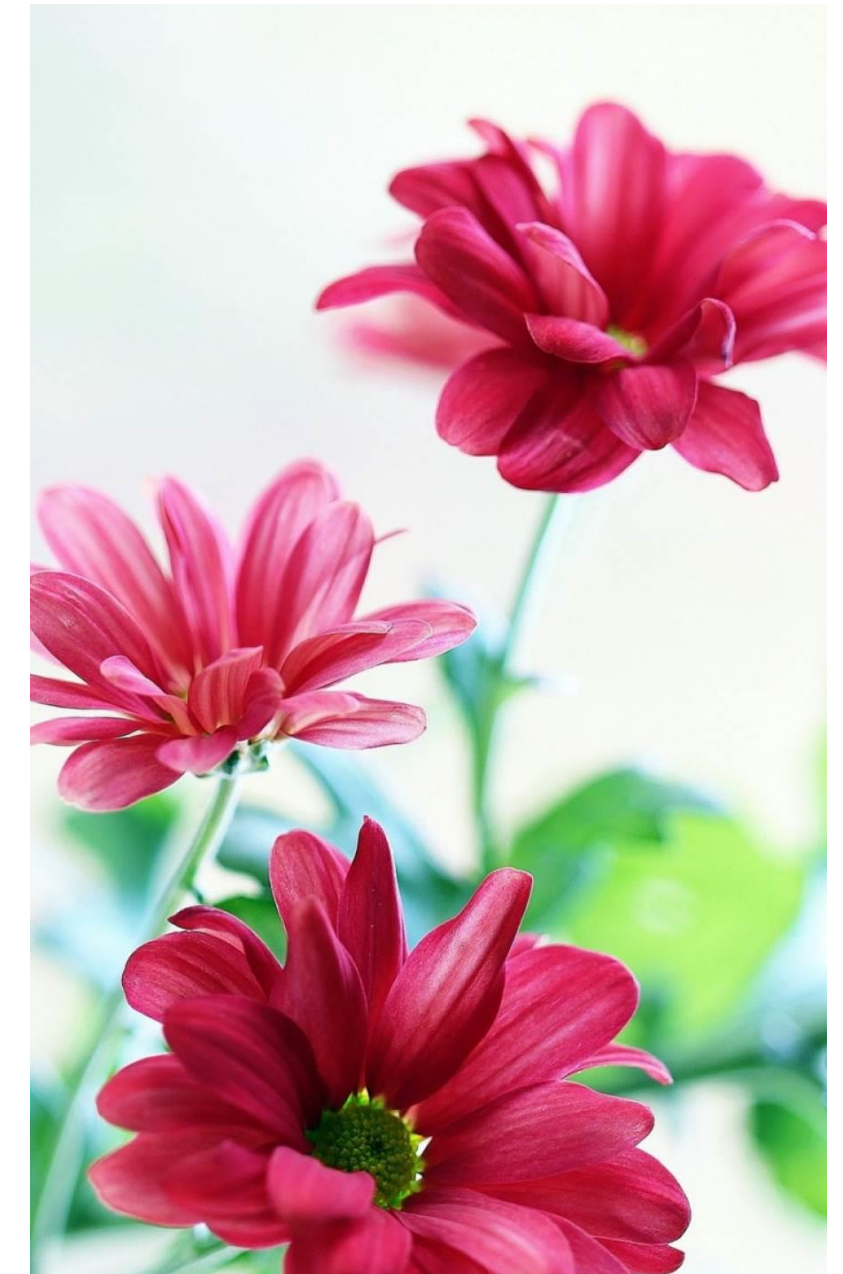
MERGE

7:00pm every other Sunday evening
 (finished for season-will resume in Sept.)



Upcoming 2015-2016
Theme Matthew 4:19
"Hooked on Christ"
 Meets every Thursday evening from 7-9pm for boys in grades 4-8 from Sept.-Apr. For more information contact info@bethanycrc.ca

Welcome to Bethany!



Bethany Christian Reformed Church

July 5, 2015
 9:30am

Today in Worship



The Lord Gathers Us

Call to Worship: 2Thess 2:13-14 (prayer)

*Opening Song

“Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God”

*God’s Word of greeting

*Greet one another with the peace of Christ

*Song “When Peace Like a River”

The Lord Shows Us His Grace

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance: John 3:16-21 (p. 927)

Song: “Because He Lives (Amen)”

God’s Call to Faithful Living: PH p. 1015 responsively

Song of Thankfulness “My Life is an Offering”

(Children ages 3-5 invited downstairs for Sunday School)

Prayer & Offerings

1. Ministries here at Bethany & the CRCNA

2. Deacons

Prayers of God’s People

The Lord Speaks to Us through His Word

Scripture & Confessions: Q&A 2 (PH p. 861) &

1 John 1:5 – 2:6 (p. 1072)

Message title: “Salvation’s Trilogy”

Prayer of blessing

The Lord Sends Us Out to Celebrate & Serve

*Songs of Response “Revelation Song”

*God’s Word of blessing

*Closing Song “The Solid Rock (My Hope is Built)”



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Sermon Notes

“Salvation’s Trilogy”

Serving Assignments

Please arrive by 9:15am for Nursery & Toddlers

Today

3 year olds	Anita Wierenga, Jessica Ormel
4 year olds	Laura Janssen, Cassidy Kiers
Courtney	Vicky DenBak
5 year olds	Stephanie Beldman, Jesse VanHoorn
Nursery-Babies	Ans Roorda, Denise Glasbergen, Chloe Lapenna, Jessica Ormel
Toddlers	Richard VanLochem, Madison Lapenna, Erika Garner
Ushers	Brian Prins, Scott VanDriel
Coffee Servers	Mike & Holly Robson, Scott & Sonya VanDriel
Greeters	Maria DeJonge, John Langendoen, Epp DeVries, Vicky DenBak, Nellie Scholman
Email deRuiters	Ed & Ans Roorda
Email Devon VH	Frank & Diane Dam

Next Sunday

3 year olds	Brenda Boverhof, Cadence Kiers
4 year olds	Jen Kiers, Jody VanHoorn
Courtney	Rita Forestell
5 year olds	Sierra Kiers, Tawnya VanHoorn
Nursery-Babies	Teryl Dam, Elaine VanHoorn, Tracy VanSoelen, Riley Kremer
Toddlers	Pete Wierenga, Nathan DenBak, Wendy Vahrmeyer
Ushers	Byron Garner, Dan Scholman
Coffee Servers	Mike & Vicky DenBak, Lloyd & Anita Wierenga
Greeters	Anita Wierenga, Bas & Trudy Slappendel, Kurtis Bouwers, Andria Slappendel, Andy VanDriel
Email deRuiters	Dan & Rachel Scholman
Email Devon VH	Hans & Hilda Dam

If you are interested in serving please contact the office

Bethany Family Updates & Prayers

Birthdays this week

Austin Ormel, Kyle Langendoen, Bill VanLochem, Andrea DeVries, Leo DeVries, Helen Fennema, Yvonne Bulk, Samuel Klapwyk, Dylan Janssen, Anne-Marie Wubs

Anniversaries this week

Pete & Lorraine Wierenga (30th), Frank & Diane Dam (42nd), Pete & Denise Glasbergen (22nd), Jim & Bernice Slappendel (28th)

Prayers requested

- ❖ The week the **Discipleship Team** will be **praying for forgiveness**. Please join in praying for one another. *If you are in need of support or want to talk to someone, contact Pastor Colin 905-931-5841 or Caregiver Joyce De Roo at 905-386-6719.*
- ❖ Please pray for the Lord’s provision for our **staffing needs** here in Bethany.
- ❖ Pray for a blessing on the **Council orientation training** that takes place tomorrow night.
- ❖ Continue to pray for the preparations for **Summer Day Camp** at Bethany. May the Spirit equip all the leaders and helpers for all that to which they put their hands and hearts. The first week of camp starts tomorrow (**Sports Camp**).
- ❖ **Kevin Vanderlee** (Denise Glasbergen’s brother. Please pray that his blood counts would rise and that he would begin to feel better soon.
- ❖ Pray for **Dalton Jacques** (Shelby Kremer’s young brother) who has had a return of cancer and is facing more treatments. Pray for courage, healing, and peace for Dalton and the whole family.