

June 14, 2015

Bethany Christian Reformed Church
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Staff Positions Available at Bethany!

Youth Director Position

We are seeking a Youth director for our vibrant and growing congregation for 20-25 hours per week. This role will be focused on mentoring our youth through programs and personal interaction, working with congregational leaders and providing discipleship opportunities. Job description available upon request and/or send a resume and cover letter to Ray VanHuizen, email: vanhgrower@gmail.com. Job posting open till June 26.

Children's Ministry Co-ordinator

Do you have a passion to see children come to know Jesus and grow in faith, love and service to our Lord? We are seeking a Children's Ministry Co-ordinator (for ages 0- grade 3) for 15 hours per week. This role will be focused on supporting, overseeing, and developing various children's ministries at Bethany alongside parents and volunteers. Job description available upon request and/or send resume & cover letter to Ray VanHuizen, email: vanhgrower@gmail.com by June 26.

Worship & L.I.F.E. Group Co-ordinator

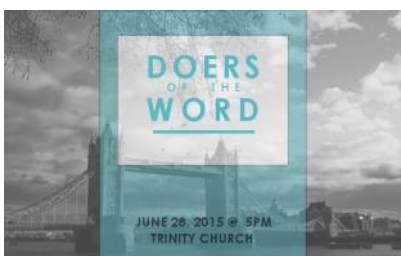
Nicole is taking a year off to teach grade school. Therefore we have a one year opening for 15 hours per week. This position is focused on leading, supporting, developing and overseeing various aspects of worship ministry and being a resource and planning person for small group ministry. Job description available upon request and/ or send resume & cover letter to the church office at info@bethanycrc.ca by June 26.

"ATTENTION POLICE CHECKS" If you were given Police check a few weeks back you should be calling the Police Station if they are ready. Don't leave them too long they will destroy them and it will cost you \$15.00 or so to get them redone. Safe Church Comm.

WE ARE STILL IN NEED OF SOME VOLUTEERS FOR THE Summer Camp BBQ FOR THE FOLLOWING DATES: July 10, August 14. Thank you to all who have already volunteered to help. Please contact Nicole at Nicole@bethanycrc.ca if able to help out on either one of these dates.



On Father's Day, June 21, the Fellowship Committee would love to invite you all the our annual strawberry social. After the service, please head on outside and join us for a yummy bowl of ice cream topped with some local, sweet, fresh and juicy strawberries hand picked from our friends down at DeVries' Fruit Farm. If it's raining on Sunday, don't worry we will still enjoy our desserts indoors in the fellowship hall! Can't wait to see



Classis Wide Worship Event

Contemporary Worship Event and Barbecue, on June 28 at 5pm. This year we have called it "Doers of the Word" and will be looking at being immersed in God's word and how that leads to living it out. Worship starts at 5PM and the barbecue will follow. Worship will be led by a group of musicians from all over Niagara and Pastor Chris deWinter will be preaching. For more information

email ashleybtms1@gmail.com or check out our Facebook event @ <https://www.facebook.com/>

Fusion '15 - Doers of the Word

We at Trinity are hosting Fusion '15, our annual

School News

NACE GRADUATION: The Niagara Association for Christian Education looks forward to two

evenings of celebration with its Grade Eight students and their families. The ceremony for our Covenant Christian School students will be held on Thursday, June 18th. And the ceremony for our John Knox Christian School graduates will be held on Friday, June 19th. Both celebrations will begin at 8:00 p.m. at Moun-
tainview CRC, in Grimsby. Please join us.



The week the members of the discipleship team will be praying for Disability Awareness. If you are in need of support or want to talk to someone, contact Pastor Colin or Joyce at 905-386-6719

Other

Shalom Manor, has an opening for Associate Director of Resident Care.

Qualifications: BSc Nursing Degree or equivalent , 3-5 yrs management experience in a long-term care setting; current registration as a RN with the College of Nurses of Ontario.

See website for complete job posting. Submit your cover letter & resume to Cathy Jorritsma.

Deadline: Aug 3, 2015. 12 Bartlett Ave, Grimsby, ON L3M 4N5, Fax: 905-945-1211, info@shalommanor.ca, www.shalommanor.ca.

On behalf of the Chaplaincy Committee of Shalom Manor and Gardens, we are pleased to welcome Pastor Peter Janssens as the new Interim Chaplain to serve the residents and families of Shalom Manor and Gardens. We thank God that He has provided a willing, compassionate Pastor who is able to provide care for God's people at Shalom. Pastor Peter was most recently serving in Faith CRC Burlington and begins his duties on June the 15th. We entrust Pastor Peter and his family into God's care and as well extend best wishes to Pastor Fred Vanderberg as he begins his new duties at Mountainview CRC in Grimsby.

COMMUNITY HYMN SING: Mountainview CRC in Grimsby cordially invites you to join us Sunday June 28th at 7 pm for an evening of praise as we sing many of your favourite Hymns, accompanied by Ernie Termorshuizen on organ and Will Lammers on piano. Invite your friends and neighbours. Afterwards join us for a time of fellowship and refreshments.

The HR Team at Mountainview CRC in Grimsby, is seeking to fill the full-time position of Custodian. The successful applicant will provide custodial services for Mountainview church including the cleaning of the facilities, the performance of minor repairs and maintenance, the supervision of the work of the Assistant Custodian(s) and Contracted Services, and other such duties as indicated in a detailed Job Summary posted at www.mountainviewcrc.org/custodialesearch. Duties include daytime, evening and weekend hours. This is an attractive full-time position that offers full benefits and some flexible hours. Applications for the position should include a letter of interest and a résumé. Kindly direct applications in confidence to: Custodial Search, c/o Sue Kikkert, Human Resources Team, 290 Main Street East, Grimsby, ON, L3M 1P8 or email hr@mountainviewcrc.org

Conferences

2015 National Conference - SIDE BY SIDE - "How God Helps Us to Help Each Other"

This October, there will be an opportunity for us to spend time learning **how we ask for help** and **how we give help**. From October 16-18 there will be a conference in Virginia Beach with the theme, "Side by Side". Main speakers and workshop leaders will talk about how God uses us....

very ordinary and needy people to help those who are in need. We'll also learn how we ourselves can voice our neediness to others when we need help. Several people from Bethany are planning on attending. There are pre-conference sessions available on Thursday, October 15, for an extra cost of \$75. Please see the conference schedule for more information. Cost of registration for the main conference through July 30 is \$150.....with a "group rate" code. Accommodations can be arranged online via the website as there are several hotels that have special fares for this conference. For more information, please check out the conference website: <http://www.ccef.org/events/national-conference/2015> If you have any questions please talk to or email Wilma Vahrmeyer or Pastor Colin. If you are ready to register please let Wilma know and you will be given the code for our group to use when registering.

CRC Announcements

CHRIST CAME TO SAVE SINNERS: - Is it ever possible to sin more than Christ can redeem? In 1 Timothy 1 the Apostle Paul makes a powerful statement so all faithful believers can clearly identify the truth about Christ's salvation. Tune in and join us each week: subscribe for free weekly email notifications at ListenToGroundwork.com or visit GroundworkOnline.com to find a local radio station or listen now.

CLOSER THAN A BROTHER: - An extended absence from school puts Lucille on the outside of the circle of girls in her class. She gets picked on and finds that Jesus is a true friend when others abandon you. Follow the adventures of Liz and his pals every week: subscribe for free at getkidscorner.com. Be sure to download this special song, "Leap of Faith," at kidscorner.net/offer.

FAMILY FIRE - is an online com-

munity exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

Pray with Synod - As the convening church for the June 12-18, 2015 Synod being held at Dordt College, the First Christian Reformed Church of Sioux Center, Iowa invites you to join us in praying for Synod, its agenda, and all those participating in it. Visit the Synod prayer page at www.crcna.org/synod for prayer helps and to sign up for a time to pray at home.

Let's Partner Toward Paris - The Office of Social Justice is launching a campaign to raise awareness and equip the CRC to respond to the United Nations Climate Change Conference in Paris (COP 21) at the end of 2015. To contribute and read more about how the CRC will be recruiting 30 congregations to get actively in-

involved in the process, visit dojustice.crcna.org.

Integrating Psychotherapy and Spiritual Care: Theory and Practice - Do you want to grow in your ability to provide effective spiritual care? The Niagara Health System Spiritual Care Education program is hosting a credit course in spiritual care and psychotherapy. The course is open to community faith leaders, laypersons who provide spiritual care, and healthcare professionals. Classes will be held 5 Mondays in October and November. For information, contact Alida at avandijk@wlu.ca. To register, contact Dan at dphillips@wlu.ca.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES ARE LOCATED ON BULLETIN BOARD BY THE BACK STAIRS

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www.bethanycrc.ca