

Order of Worship 10am

Sunday February 7, 2016

\*indicates to please stand if able

Conducted by Pastor Ron Luchies



We Gather for Worship

- Cadet Procession
- Welcome
- \* Gathering Songs **SB# 73** "Your Name"  
**SB# 179** "You're Worthy of My Praise"  
Revelations 5:11-13
- \* Call to Worship
- \* God's Greeting
- \* Opening Song of Praise: **SB# 166** "Forever"

We are Renewed Through Christ

- Call to Confession Revelations 3:19, 20
- Prayer
- Song of Assurance **SB# 178** "Jesus Paid it All"

We Listen to God's Word

- Children's Message for ages 3-Gr. 2, leave afterwards
- Prayer for Spirit's Leading
- Scripture Reading: Matthew 4:18-22 (pg 958, large print pg 1500)
- Message:** "Hooked on Christ"
  1. Begins with a call
  2. Surprisingly simple
  3. Change from the inside out
  4. And promise
- \* Song of Response: **SB# 163:1,2,4** "Will You Come and Follow Me"  
*Senior Sunday School Gr.3-6 and Catechism Gr.7-12 leave during singing*

We Respond with Gratitude

- Cadet Litany
- Song **SB# 163:5** "Will You Come and Follow Me"
- Prayers of the People
- Offertory Prayer
- Offering: Cadets
- \* Closing Song: **SB# 229** "Christ Be All Around Me"
- \* Benediction Revelation 22:20,21
- \* Doxology: **PH# 292** "Living for Jesus"

There are Song Books available in large print for Songs (SB#).  
There are large print hymn books & Bibles available. Ask an usher.

Order of Worship 7pm

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Coming Together

- Welcome
- \* Call to Worship
- \* Silent Prayer concluded by **PH# 625** "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"
- \* God's Greeting
- \* Songs of Praise: **PH# 247** "All Glory Be to God on High"  
**PH# 518** "In God the Father I Believe"

Taking in the Word

- Prayer for Understanding
- Scripture Reading: Matthew 27:45-56 (pg 988, large print pg 1548)  
Lord's Day # 16 (PH pg 877)
- Message:** "To Hell and Back"

Responding with Gratitude

- \* Hymn of Response: **PH# 481** "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies"  
Cadets
- \* Offertory Prayer/Offering: Prayers of the People
- \* Closing Hymn: **PH# 502** "The Church's One Foundation"
- \* Benediction
- \* Doxology: **PH# 620:3** "By the Sea of Crystal"

**Young Adults** are invited to Jeff and Laurie Bylsma's today (Feb 7) after church for coffee, lunch and socializing. Those with kids too, feel free to come also!

**Is your child ready for Junior Kindergarten in the fall?** Ready, Set, Alphabet! is a 6-week program for children turning 4 in 2016. Through engaging devotions, arts and crafts, worship, games and stories, your child will be challenged to begin an exciting and life-long journey of reading and writing. This program will take place at the Huron Christian School on Thursdays beginning April 7. Morning and afternoon sessions are available. For more information or to register, please check the bulletin board or contact the school at 519-482-7851.



**Craft Day!** Huron Christian School Grade 7/8 Trip Fundraiser: Calling all Scrapbookers, knitters, crocheters, quilters, and crafters! Come out for a day of fun on Saturday March 5th! \$50 for the day. Pay only \$45 if you book your table by February 27. Don't miss out! Can't come all day? We have a \$30 half day price. Lunch and Dinner included. Door prizes, make and take project, scrapbooking tools for your use. Vendors include: Stampin Up! and Creative Memories. Email [office@huronchristianschool.ca](mailto:office@huronchristianschool.ca) or call 519-482-7851 to book your table!

**Huron Christian Farmers Policy Tour:** *Do you love your soil?* We will be looking at the topic Nutrient Loss in Waterways. Come and discuss how caring for your soil, and keeping soil and nutrients on the farm also helps care for our lakes and rivers. The CFFO is concerned about the long-term preservation and improvement of the quality of farmland soil. We want your input on soil-related policy issues. Thursday, February 11 from 10am-2:30pm at the OMAF Office located at 100 Don St. Clinton. Please contact one of the district board members by February 8<sup>th</sup>, lunch is included. John Hoogendoorn 482-3083; Jack Kroes 482-7362; Geert Waanders 482-5852.

**Calling All Graduates!** If you are graduating from high school, are pursuing post-secondary education, and have made a contribution to the pro-life movement, we would love to hear from you! You may be eligible to **WIN the Wingham Right to Life Bursary**. Please contact Brenda Sjaarda at 519-526-7444 or at [bbsjaarda@hotmail.com](mailto:bbsjaarda@hotmail.com) for an application for this award. If you know someone who might qualify for this award, please encourage them to apply. We would love to hear all of the wonderful ways in which our youth are making a difference in support of life. The deadline for completed applications is June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Mexi-Connection Young Adult Team:** Dave and Blanca Gifford, missionaries in Mexico City, are hosting a team of young adults to experience the culture, sights, and community of college-age students in Mexico from July 9-18, 2016. If you are interested in this short-term cultural immersion experience, visit [crwm.org/Mexi-connection](http://crwm.org/Mexi-connection) to learn more or apply.

**Syria Conflict Response**—For more than three years, World Renew has been providing food and other assistance to Syrian families displaced by the horrific violence that has torn apart the Middle East. Please help us continue this ministry. Gifts received by February 29 will qualify for a 1:1 match from the Canadian government. Call 1-800-730-3490, visit [worldrenew.net/donate](http://worldrenew.net/donate) or mail your gift marked, "World Renew Syria Conflict," to World Renew, 3475 Mainway, STN LCD 1, Burlington, ON L7R 3Y8. Those interested in helping refugee families as they begin a new life in Canada should contact Rebecca Walker ([rwalker@worldrenew.net](mailto:rwalker@worldrenew.net)).

In September 2015, leaders of Canadian faith communities issued a statement **"On Promoting Climate Justice and Ending Poverty in Canada"** ([cpj.ca/ccl-statement](http://cpj.ca/ccl-statement)), a call for federal government action to end poverty and fight climate change. Now Citizens for Public Justice is coordinating a national petition from people of faith who are echoing this call for climate justice. Add your voice to the call online at [cpj.ca/climate-call](http://cpj.ca/climate-call).

**RETREAT:** Wishing you could get away with God for a while? Come join us in the Kawarthas for a weekend of guided, silent reflection that will feed your soul on April 1-3, 2016 at Kingfisher Bay Retreat House ([www.kingfisherbay.ca](http://www.kingfisherbay.ca)). Cost: \$325.00 - includes private accommodations, all linens, 5 meals, 3 sessions with a certified Spiritual Director and use of the facilities in a stunningly beautiful setting. Contact: Tracey-Ann Van Brenk at [guidepostsministries@gmail.com](mailto:guidepostsministries@gmail.com) or 705-927-1154 FMI: [www.intermissionsilentretreat.com](http://www.intermissionsilentretreat.com)

**Room2Grow would like to thank the Knitting Club** for their cash donation. All your knitted goods, blankets, slippers are so very much appreciated. We truly cannot carry out this mission without support such as yourselves. Thank you!



**COFFEEBREAK FOR WOMEN – Wednesday evening at 7:30**, concludes our study of 1 Samuel. **Lesson 12: A Servant Leader Rises, a King Falls** deals with the end of Saul's reign, and David finally ascending to his rightful place as God's chosen king of Israel. Questions? Ask Fanny (519-482-7106) or Heather (519-523-9821)

**CADETS/GEMS: Snowtubing** at River Valley Tube Slide on Thursday, February 11. Meet at the church 5:30pm and get picked up 9:45pm. Cost is \$20 which covers tubing and bus. Children 12 & under require helmets on the slide. Please bring your own as there is a limited supply to rent.

**LIBRARY: THE GIRL IN THE GATEHOUSE** by Julie Klassen. Banished from the only home she's ever known, Mariah Aubrey hides herself away in an abandoned gatehouse on a distant relative's estate. There she supports herself and her loyal servant the only way she know how – by writing novels in secret. Intriguing, mysterious, and romantic, the girl in the gatehouse takes readers inside the life of a secret author at a time when it was improper for ladies to do that.

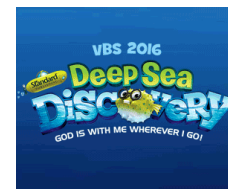


**Easter Sunday Choir** Do you enjoy singing, cookies, and short-term commitments? Join me in learning *Across the Lands* by Getty and Townsend, arranged for soprano, alto, tenor and bass voices. We will practice in the sanctuary after Sunday morning services in preparation for singing during the Easter Sunday service on March 27. Practices will begin on February 14 with tenors and bass (lower) singers only. If you are interested look up "Clinton CRC Seasonal Choir" on Facebook or talk to Tammy Kaptein.

**Collections for January:** Back to God Hour \$535; Birthday Fund \$251.55; Coupon Fund \$6,970; DR Service \$1,610; Deacons \$1,206.25; Deacons-Refugee Fund \$13,481.65; Friends of the Community \$500; Huron Christian School \$100; Tuition Assistance \$1,016.30; World Renew-Fish \$50.55; Youth Unlimited \$720; General Operating Fund \$24,775. Needed per month \$39,989. Short this month \$15,234.

**Pastor's Class:** Anyone interested in becoming a confessing member of our church, or simply learning more about what we believe is invited to contact Pastor Ron. A pastor's class is being planned.

**Mark your calendars!!!** July 25-29 we will dive deep into Vacation Bible School. In our Deep Sea Discovery theme, we will learn that God is with us wherever we go! God knows me, God hears me, and God sends me. Come be a part of this awesome week of Discovery. Contact Holly Kroes if you would like to help out.





## Clinton Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, February 7, 2016

Cadet Sunday



*WELCOME to our worship service in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. If you come as a visitor today, we hope you will leave as a friend. Whether you are a newcomer to the community or to our church, we are honoured to have you here. May we all be strengthened and encouraged by the proclamation of the gospel. After the morning service please join us for a time of fellowship & refreshments in the Fellowship Hall.*

*Next Sunday morning we have the joy of celebrating the Lord's Supper together. Because it will also be the first Sunday in Lent, we want to prepare ourselves this week by reflecting on Hebrews 12:2,3 "Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of God. Let us consider Him who endured such opposition from sinful people, so that we will not grow weary and lose heart."*

*On Sunday February 21<sup>th</sup>, Michelle Kaptein will be professing her faith during our morning worship service. We look forward to welcoming Michelle into official church membership.*

**Prayer Needs:** *Our Heavenly Father is gracious and He has an ever listening ear. We can call to Him at all times and find refuge in Him because of Jesus. This is a comfort and a vital outlet for our personal concerns and the concerns of others. Let us be faithful in praying for one another, asking the Lord to strengthen, heal and encourage.* Remember those with health challenges: **Bert Renkema, and our shut-ins: Alice Bakelaar, Teresa Vanderhaar, Fay Stryker, Jane VanSpengen, Sandra Raidt and Tina Stryker.**

**Birthday Congratulations** to **Rachel Kootstra**, February 10, who will be celebrating her 73<sup>rd</sup> birthday. May God bless you on your special day.

**The Dominican Republic Work Team** leaves Tuesday, February 9 and returns Thursday, February 18. Team members are: Alana Mulder-Neutel, Laura Dykstra, Harry Otten, Kelsey Dykstra, Irene Dykstra, Yolanda VanDriel, Colin VanDriel, Leo Greidanus, Sheri Greidanus, Al Wynja, Karl Boven and Emily VanderSpek. Please remember the team members, the project and the people of the Dominican Republic in your prayers as work begins on the new Ministry Centre in Guaymate.

Pastor Ron hopes to soon begin **visiting through the church directory**. Our administrative secretary, Amanda Mahon, will be contacting you to schedule a day and time that can work best. Thank you.

## CALENDAR of EVENTS

Visit website for info: [www.clintonchristianreformedchurch.ca](http://www.clintonchristianreformedchurch.ca)

Mon. Feb 8 @ 8:00pm – Deacons Meeting

Tues. Feb 9 @ 1:30pm – Yoga, @ 7:15pm – YP's, @ 7:30pm – Pins & Needles

Wed. Feb. 10 @ 9am – Knitting Club, @ 7:30 – Coffeebreak, @ 7:30pm – Men of Note

Thurs. Feb 11 @ 5:30pm – Cadets & GEMS meet at church for snowtubing

Sun. Feb 14 @ 10:00am – Worship Service, @ 7pm – Evening Worship

## HOSPITALITY SCHEDULE

	February 7 Cadet Sunday	February 14 Lord's Supper - am
<b>Pastor am/pm</b>	Pastor Ron Luchies	Pastor Ron Luchies
<b>Leading Elder</b>	Jake VanMaar	Ralph DeWeerd
<b>Ushers: Main Wing</b>	Herman & Johanna Ramaker Fred Mulder	John & Nellie Hoogendoorn John Oskam
<b>Song Leader</b>	Praise Team	Helen Dykstra
<b>Pianist am/pm</b>	Karin Veenstra/Tammy Kaptein	Tammy Kaptein/Dick Roorda
<b>Screen am/pm</b>	Angela Kaptein	Lisa Pot/Jennifer Whaling
<b>Sound System</b>	Derek Rozendal	Brad Kroes
<b>Offerings</b>	Cadets	Deacons
<b>Coffee Hosts</b>	Jeff & Linda VanWyk	Henry & Ann Slotegraaf
<b>Mom of Month</b>	Jackie VanderHaar	Jackie VanderHaar
<b>Nursery</b>	Michelle Dekens/Ann DeWeerd	Sarah Rylaarsdam
	Michelle Kootstra	Laurie Bylsma/Janet Kootstra
	David Rether	Scott VanDorp
<b>Helpers</b>	Matthew VanDorp	Kelsey Dykstra
<b>JR Sunday School Teachers</b>	Sonya Dykstra/Annie VanMaar	Sonya Dykstra/Annie VanMaar
<b>3YR OLDS</b>	Katie Jurgens	Deb Rozendal
<b>&amp; Helpers</b>	Olivia Goodburn	Emma Veenstra
	Sarah Waanders	Sarah VanWyk

**GROUNDWORK:** GOD IS FAITHFUL - It can be difficult to imagine how life can continue in any positive manner when we lose something or someone important to us. Join Groundwork as we study Deuteronomy 32 and 34 and discover God's faithfulness through the story of the Israelites and the death of their great leader, Moses. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

**KIDS KORNER:** IN THE BEGINNING PART 2 - For Chamy, Spike and the gang, the science fair day will be a day full of wonder! With a surprise guest, enlightening displays, and a big surprise pop for everyone, the day is not what they expected. But the biggest surprise comes at the end of the episode for Chamy! Follow the adventures of Liz and his pals every week: subscribe for free at getkidscorner.com. Find more great resources for kids and parents at kidscorner.net. This month's offer includes 4 Kids Corner Valentine cards.



### **Mission Statement:**

**As a people set free by Jesus Christ and called to celebrate His grace, Clinton Christian Reformed Church will:**

- provide a safe, inclusive, warm, supportive and welcoming environment
- be a community whose members strive to grow in love and knowledge of Jesus Christ
- work toward a healthy church environment where all members are excited to remain and new members are eagerly sought out
- be committed to open and honest communications as essential for healthy church interaction
- be a people who joyfully meet their financial obligations
- maintain its facilities so that all ministries can work effectively bring glory to God's name.

### **Visitor Information:**

**Nursery Facilities and Washrooms** are located in the Fellowship Hall. Look for the signs.  
**Wheelchair access** on the north and east sides of the church.

**Songbooks, large print hymnals & Bibles, headsets** are available from ushers.  
Please return them to the designated areas after the service.

**Sunday School** for ages 3 to Grade 2 leaves the sanctuary after the Children's Message.  
**Senior Sunday School** for children Grade 3 to Grade 6 leaves during the Hymn of Response.

**Catechism Classes** for children Grade 7 to Grade 12 leaves during the Hymn of Response.

### **Contact Information:**

**Snail Mail:** 243 Princess St. E, Box 697, Clinton, ON N0M 1L0

**Phone:** 519-482-5264 **Email:** [clintoncrc@tcc.on.ca](mailto:clintoncrc@tcc.on.ca)

**Website:** [www.clintonchristianreformedchurch.ca](http://www.clintonchristianreformedchurch.ca)

**Bulletin deadline:** Thursdays at noon



**“Come follow me,” Jesus said, “and I will make you fishers of men.”**

Matthew 4:18–22: As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. “Come, follow me,” Jesus said, “and I will send you out to fish for people.” At once they left their nets and followed him. Going on from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John. They were in a boat with their father Zebedee, preparing their nets. Jesus called them, and immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.