

Palmerston Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, November 15, 2020



Welcome to Palmerston CRC's weekly bulletin. This week, Pastor Andrew is scheduled to continue with the sermon series on the book of Philippians focusing on Philippians 3:1-21. We will also take some time during today's service to prepare our hearts as we hope to celebrate the Lord's Supper next week Sunday. Individually sealed portions of bread and juice will be available for those who will celebrate the sacrament in person. Those attending worship online in their homes are encouraged to partake of the sacrament in their homes as we remember and believe together.

We've Opened Up the Overflow! As more people choose to join us for in-person worship on Sunday mornings, we've taken steps to accommodate the larger numbers by opening the wall between the sanctuary and the fellowship hall (multi-purpose room). The overflow area has been set up with some tables and chairs especially meant for use by families with young children. These tables can be reserved on the worship service registration form (<http://palmerstoncrc.com/worship-service-registration-page>). The registration form has also been updated to allow you to register as a family rather than as individuals. While opening our sanctuary raises our maximum number of attendees to 100 we will continue to live stream and record services for those who need to, or prefer to, remain in their homes during the pandemic. We want to encourage everyone to worship on Sundays regardless of where you are. Registration closes at 3pm on Fridays and is on a first come, first serve basis. You may also call the church office to register (519-343-5359).

Based on the advice of the Public Health Unit for Wellington-Dufferin Guelph, all attendees are required to wear a mask and maintain a 2-meter physical distancing and congregational singing is also suspended. Our services will continue to be live streamed, so those who are not comfortable returning or who are unable to return can continue to worship with us. If there are issues with the live stream a seamless video will be posted to Palmerston CRC website (YouTube video) after the service on Sunday afternoon.

Upcoming Services

November 22 at 10:00am - Pastor Andrew (**Communion and Baptism Celebration service**)
Baptism of Raelle Reitzema (infant daughter of Erik & Henrike Reitzema). We will also be remembering and celebrating the other baptisms that were held earlier this year outside of the sanctuary (Arie Koersen, Bryce Pehlke, and Myla Kieftenburg).
November 29 at 10:00am - Pastor Andrew (First Sunday in Advent)

Please Note: Sunday Services are Changing to 10:30 am in Advent! At the last council meeting it was decided to change our Sunday morning services back to 10:30 am beginning in Advent (November 29th).

10:00am Worship Service

Led by: Pastor Andrew de Gelder

Prelude

God Invites Us into His Presence

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

God's Greeting

Worship Song: *Cornerstone*

God Offers His Grace

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Worship Song: *Before the Throne of God Above* (LUYH #682)

Assurance of Pardon

God Speaks to Us through His Word

Children's Message

Children's Song: *Jesus Loves Me* (LUYH #709: 1,2)

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading: Philippians 3: 1-21

Sermon: Our Heavenly Citizenship

Prayer of Application

God Invites Us to Come to Him and to Go Out

Worship Song: *Yet Not I But Christ in Me*

Preparatory Reading and Sending

Benediction

Worship Song: *Sing to the King* (LUYH #474)

- **Today's Offering:** November 15 - Woodland Christian High School
https://www.christianschoolfoundation.ca/donate-individual/?donate_to=Woodland

Post-Service Song in the Parking Lot: *My Friends, May You Grow in Grace* (LUYH #938)