

LISTS AND CONTACTS

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September 8

Nursery:
AM: Krista V, Tianna V
PM: Nora V, Katie B
Little Lambs:

Parking Patrol:
AM: David N **PM:** Hugh N

Greeter:
 Garret & Anita Dam

Host Family:
 Garret & Anita Dam

Ladies Aid Coffee Social - September 8 AM
Servers: Hilary S, Christine V, Julia H, Carolyn K
Bakers: Cake provided by Naps

September 15

Nursery:
AM: Leanne G, Morgan G
PM: Haidee V, Carlina D
Little Lambs:

Parking Patrol:
AM: Shaun R **PM:** Douglas S

Greeter:
 Henk & Rita Visscher

Host Family:
 Henk & Rita Visscher

Ladies Aid Coffee Social - TBA
Servers: Belinda D, Cathy K, Lyn M-L, Wendy M
Bakers: Haidee V, Diny W, Rita B, Jan B

For the month of September

Parking Lot Cleanup: Shaun R

Laundry: Christine V

List Keepers

For any questions regarding the various volunteer opportunities, you may contact:

Bakers and Servers.....Hilary Slump
 Birthday/Anniversary.....Haidee Voorhorst
 Little Lambs.....Brenda Raap
 Nursery Schedule.....Cheryl van den Hoven
 Parking Lot Cleanup.....Darryl Vandeburgt
 Parking Lot Patrol.....Zachary VanderPloeg
 Refugee Aid Committee.....Doug Schouten
 Zion Manor/Greeters/Hosts.....(vacant)

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CLOVERDALE CANADIAN REFORMED CHURCH



Sunday September 8, 2019

Morning Service 9:30AM

Afternoon Service 2:00PM

Rev. Dick Moes

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Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Votum (Psalm 124:8)

Congregation: **Our help is in the Name of the LORD, the Maker of heaven and earth. Amen.**

*Salutation.....1 Corinthians 1:3
 *Singing.....**Psalm 107:1,4**
 Reading of the Law
 Singing.....**Psalm 103:4**
 Prayer
 Public Reading of Holy Scripture
John 6:1-14, 35 (891, 1059)
 Ministry of the Word
John 6:53-57 (892, 1060)

IF WE WANT TO HAVE THE LORD JESUS CHRIST LIVE IN US WITH HIS HOLY SPIRIT, WE NEED TO EAT HIS FLESH AND DRINK HIS BLOOD THROUGH FAITH

*Response in Song.....**Hymn 30:5**
Celebration of the Lord's Supper
 *Profession of Faith.....**Hymn 1**
 Singing.....**Hymn 59**

Table 1: Hymn 30:1

Table 2: Hymn 30:2

Table 3: Hymn 30:3

Prayer
 Offering
 *Singing.....**Hymn 8**
 *Benediction.....Numbers 6:24-26
***Three-fold Amen**

*Salutation.....Revelation 1:4,5
 *Singing.....**Psalm 9:1,5**
 Prayer
 Public Reading of Holy Scripture
Luke 22:39-43; 2 Corinthians 12:7-9; Romans 8:26-30
 (882, 1048; 959, 1139; 944, 1123)
 Singing.....**Hymn 47:4**
 Ministry of the Word
Lord's Day 52B
 (Book of Praise, 564)

BECAUSE GOD WILL CERTAINLY HEAR (AND ANSWER) MY PRAYER FOR THE SAKE OF CHRIST, AS HE HAS PROMISED, WE CAN CONCLUDE OUR PRAYER WITH A MAJESTIC DOXOLOGY AND A RESOUNDING AMEN

*Response in Song.....**Hymn 49:3**
 *Apostle's Creed.....**Hymn 1**
 Offering
 Singing.....**Psalm 145:3,4,5**
 Prayer
 *Singing.....**Psalm 118:8**
 *Benediction.....2 Corinthians 13:14
***Three-fold Amen** **Indicates standing*

Welcome

We're very thankful that you have joined us today! Today is the Lord's Day, the day our loving Father and Creator set aside at the beginning of every week to nourish and refresh us. He does this by gathering us together, speaking His love and grace to us in the reading and preaching of His Holy Word, the Bible. Through His Word, He feeds us and unites us to Himself in Jesus Christ, through His Holy Spirit and through the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper.

If you are here for the first time, we would like to get to know you, and give you the opportunity to get to know us. Please feel welcome to stick around and mingle with us after the worship service. One of our host families will gladly invite you over for lunch.

If you're interested in learning more about God, His Son Jesus Christ, the Holy Spirit, or anything else that is part of the Christian faith, please feel free to ask one of our Elders or Deacons for assistance. We are available and would be happy to help.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

- 8 Conner Schoen
- 10 Julia Hoogstra
- 10 Apko & Kathy Nap ♥
- 12 Cheryl van den Hoven
- 12 Case & Rita Biesbroek ♥
- 13 Belinda Dykstra

Life in the Congregation

We may begin this week's column with a huge note of congratulations to Apko and Kathy Nap, who, this coming Tuesday, look to celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary! Brother and sister, may the Lord, who has been the Light on your path all the distance you have travelled, continue to guide and guard you, and keep you in the hollow of His hand. There will be a coffee social after this morning's service, where we will have opportunity to congratulate in person.

Staying with our anniversary theme, we may also congratulate Case and Rita Biesbroek, who will remember another year of marriage a little later this week. Shifting gears a bit, we can be thankful with and for, Jeremy Segstro, who this past week, officially graduated from our seminary. May our faithful God grant you every Blessing as you continue in your walk of service.

But there are continuing struggles in our path as well. Please remember sister Jane Petter in your prayers, whose eyesight is an ongoing concern. Particularly frustrating, is her inability to read, especially with regards to the Word. In line with the message we heard last Sunday morning, may we as congregation continue to serve willingly as hand and foot to each other.

Our birthday list tells us that Connor Schoen has his turn today. Congratulations Connor! And then also, as we continue through the week, to Julia Hoogstra, Cheryl van den Hoven and Belinda Dykstra. I also have to insert a little mea culpa here. Last week I indicated that Jeremy Segstro would be celebrating his birthday as of yesterday. That would have meant celebrating twice in

Corinthians 5:20. We will be having three guests, Reverend Aasman will speak to us about, "Being ambassadors for Christ amongst the world." Nicole Harink will share with us, some of the experiences she has had with her work in CCBR. And Mr Henry Stel will speak to us about, "Being ambassadors for Christ among our own fellow brothers and sisters in Christ." The cost for attending the weekend will be \$110 per person. The last day for registration will be September 18th, 2019.

If you have any questions, concerns or to register please email Kira @ neerlandiaypstudyweekend@gmail.com you will receive an email back with more information. Thank you and hope to see many of you there!

ARPA Fall Tour 2019 - Politically engaged Christians: Reclaiming 'Progress'

As we prepare for another federal election we see that our political and cultural leaders increasingly want to identify as "progressive." God's good design for humanity and creation is seen as regressive and a political liability. But who decides what is progress? And what role do Christians have in such a climate? Join us on September 25, 2019 at Langley Free Reformed Church (20757 80 Avenue). Doors open at 7:00 pm for refreshments and registration. Presentation begins at 7:30 pm sharp. For more information, email Elyse Vroom at elyse@arpacanada.ca.

Voice of the Church

Voice of the Church is pleased to present this week's meditation featuring Pastor William den Hollander. This week's title is, "Listening is very important". Listen for it

on your local radio station this week at its regular time. If you do not know where to find the broadcast, visit our website for radio station details. You can also find the podcast version on our website home page (<http://voiceofthechurch.org/>) or by scanning the following QR code:



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If you have any questions, comments, or have inquires about how to listen to this, please contact us via our website page under the "contact" tab.

the same year! I'll try to get my facts a little straighter!

We may welcome again today, Rev. Dick Moes to lead both of our worship services. The Lord's every Blessing on our day of rest.

Home Visitation Theme

"Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful."

Hebrews 10:23

Do you have a prayer request?

Please let an elder or a deacon know if you have a prayer request or would like a visit. Let us know about joys and sorrows, challenges and milestones you would like us to remember in public prayer. Send prayer requests to prayer@cloverdalecanrc.org

Bible Studies

Semiahmoo Community Bible Study

We continue to be blessed by the attendance of several individuals who join us from the community in our Bible Study. New faces give us the encouragement to continue our outreach in South Surrey and continue the public proclamation of the gospel of salvation. We were also blessed by the attendance of several members of our congregation. The meeting really requires at least two people to be present. So please contact Henry van den Hoven if you have the time to attend one of our meetings. You will experience how our God sends people our way. The results of course are in his hands. We meet every Wednesday night from 7:30 to 8:30 in the library's meeting room.

Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study

WMBS will have a soft start this Wednesday, Sept 11 at 9:00. Please bring along your ideas for study materials. We'll review, discuss, and decide. Bible Studies to begin in earnest Sept 18. Hope to see many of you there!

Julia, coordinator

Thursday Night Women's Bible Study

Women of all ages are invited to join us this season of Bible study as we follow an outline of Romans, Light And Way Into The Scriptures by Ingrid Vandergaag. We meet alternate Thursdays, the first on September 12 at 8pm. Jenny Vanderzyl will lead the first meeting and discussion will centre on chapter 1 of the book: Romans 1:1-17. Let's study together.

Catechism Classes

2019/20 Catechism Update

The Cloverdale catechism kick-off event will take place this Tuesday, September 10. We'll meet at the Bose corn maze at 7pm. Wear sturdy shoes and dress for the weather. After navigating the maze, we'll head to the church building and have hot chocolate and doughnuts. Candidate Segstro will be joining us, so it will be a great chance to say hi.

The first catechism classes will be on Tuesday, September 17. The details for the classes are as follows:

Junior (grades 7&8): Br. Shaun Raap will be teaching. Class runs from 7:30 to about 8:20.

Intermediate (grades 9&10): Br. Siebe DeJong will be teaching. The class is at the same time as the juniors.

Senior (grades 11&12): Pastor Ben Schoof is willing to add our senior students to his class at the Maranatha church building. Class starts at 8pm and goes until 9. Parents are encouraged to carpool.

Pre-confession: A number of students have expressed interest in attending pre-confession classes. These classes will be taught by Candidate Segstro and will begin on October 8. Location and time will be announced. Students who wish to join the class should contact their ward elder (unless they have done so already).

Message Board

Funeral Announcement

In His wisdom, on Monday, September 2, the Lord took to Himself br. Hoega Driegen of Abbotsford at the age of 97. The following arrangements have been made for his funeral on Monday, September 9. The interment will take place in the morning. The memorial service will be at 1pm in the Abbotsford Canadian Reformed Church. The livestream for the service can be accessed via www.abbotsfordchurch.com. Following the service there will be opportunity to express condolences to the family.

Thanks be to God!

We invite you to a coffee social on September 8 after the AM worship service. We have ample reasons for celebrations. On September 07 we hope to celebrate Apko's 83rd birthday, while on September 10 we

commemorate the fact that we are married for 60 years.
Kathy and Apko Nap.

From the Committee of Administration

BUDGET 2019	\$240,000
BUDGET TO JULY/19	\$140,000
RECEIVED TO JULY/19	\$103,146

GEMS

GEMS is looking for a leader to assist with leading girls of elementary school age.

The girls love GEMS which makes GEMS such a rewarding task. We really share the load, so it is not all that demanding. You would be supplied with study material, and we all take turns providing a craft for the whole group.

Please prayerfully consider if this job is for you and contact the undersigned if interested

Julia
778.223.3360 juliahoogstra@gmail.com

From the Evangelism Committee

We are signed up for one more market day this year: **September 21**. This is a great event with a really fun atmosphere and lots of interesting people to engage with! We have reading material including Bibles, brochures for our church and VBS flyers to hand out. Plus we get to hang out with other members of our church! What could be better!

Please sign up on the volunteer sheets in the library. We need people to help with set up and take down, and there are 2 hour shifts starting at 10:00 (it goes until 3:00). Let's be a presence in our community!

BC Life Renewal

Have you signed up for Life Renewal yet? It could be one of the most impactful seasons of your life. Life Renewal is basic training for discipleship, to help you catch a vision for your life and make a difference.

Register at liferenewal.ca/enroll/

The first session of Life Renewal (Sept 18 or 19) is an Introduction Session that is open to anyone, registered or not. If you or someone you know would benefit from hearing more about Life Renewal, we encourage you to bring a friend. Unsure of the commitment? Try it for three weeks and then decide!

Three sessions are running on the Fraser Valley this year. All sessions run 7:30-10 pm.

Wednesdays

September 18, 2019 - May 6, 2020

-Christ Covenant Church, Langley
-Yarrow Canadian Reformed Church

Thursdays

September 19, 2019 - May 7, 2020

-Cloverdale Canadian Reformed Church (TBC)

Questions? Email bcadmin@liferenewal.ca

Seniors – Save the Date!!!

We, the seniors fellowship group of Surrey Covenant Reformed Church, invite you to join us for our first meeting of the new season on Wednesday, September 18 as we host guest speaker Johanna Campbell. Mrs. Campbell will speak on the following theme: "Do not Forsake me When I am Old and Gray." Johanna has written a book on Ps 71 as that

psalm relates to aging. She will speak to issues such as: care giving and care receiving, loneliness in old age, and growing old as a Christian while continuing to testify of God's goodness and greatness. She speaks from experience, having walked with her husband through his 8 year journey with CBD (corticobasal degeneration) until he entered into glory. The morning will begin at 10:00 am with refreshments and will be finished by 11:30-noon. Our address is 17400 60 Ave in Cloverdale. Please join us!

Attention Singers!

Wednesday Evening Choir in Cloverdale is starting on September 25th, 7:30 pm.

Last year we were in Willoughby; this year we will be in the Cloverdale church building. Everyone is welcome, young and old, from east or west. Our season runs from late September until March when we will have a mixed performance of sacred and secular music. Practices are Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9 and occasionally we have a post-practice social. Please join us – don't be shy; we'd love to have you. Janice Nincao, our pianist, is taking a break for a while because her baby is due. But by the new year we hope to have her back with us to tickle the ivories. In the meantime, we will continue learning our music in her absence. See you there! Dicky Jansen-conductor, Janice Nincao-accompanist, Yvonne Jacobi-coordinator (yvonne@mypetschoice.ca)

An Invitation to the Neerlandia Study Weekend

The Neerlandia North and South Young People's would like to invite all (16+)** to come down for the October Study Weekend held on October 11-14, 2019 D.V. The chosen theme is, "Being Ambassadors for Christ" 2