



# Exeter Christian Reformed Church

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## Sunday, June 19, 2022 – Father's Day, Installation of Office Bearers

10 AM Worship

Tim DeWeerd

Musicians: Amy, Joe, Bert, Wilma, Tara,  
Eric

### God Gathers Us in His Presence

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

Song: Open the Eyes of My Heart Lord LUYH #537

God's Greeting

Song: Just As I Am, I Come Broken

### God Renews Us In His Grace (Be seated)

Lord's Supper Preparatory Reading and Prayer of Confession

God's Assurance

Ordination and Installation of Elders and Deacons

Song: Jesus, All For Jesus LUYH #738

### God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Children's Message

Children's Song: He Knows My Name LUYH #339

Children's Dismissal to Sunday School

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Acts 2: 42-47

Message: The Church in Acts: Formula for Success or Faithfulness?

Song: Build Your Kingdom Here

### God Calls Us to Respond with Prayers and Offerings

Announcements

Prayer of God's People

Offering: This week the Deacons will be using your gifts to support the **Cadets Boys Clubs**.

Etransfers may be sent to [ecrcgiving@gmail.com](mailto:ecrcgiving@gmail.com)

### God Sends Us Out to Serve with His Blessing

God's Sending and Blessing

Song: Go Now in Peace LUYH #950

\*LUYH stands for Lift Up Your Hearts (the red song book in the pews)

**LARGE PRINT** copies of the Lift Up Your Hearts hymn book are available for use during worship. They are located on the bookcase in the foyer next to the administrator's office.

**Coffee** will be available in the gymnasium after the church service, along with tea and juice. We will do our best to allow for distancing with 2 or 3 coffee stations, and coffee will be served in paper cups or you are welcome to bring your own mug.

**At Exeter CRC we are a community that strives to be loving and welcoming.** To provide a safe space for all people to worship we will be reserving the last two rows of pews on the west side of the building for our members and guests who prefer sitting at 2 metres social distance. Out of respect for others needs we ask that you wear a face covering and keep a safe distance when sitting in these two rows. Thank you for helping to create a space where we all can worship together.

## Gathering for Worship

### Teaching Schedule:

**Sunday, June 19**, 10am: We welcome Tim DeWeerd to lead our teaching time. We will also install our new office bearers.

**Sunday, June 26**, 10am: We welcome Pastor Andrew DeGelder of Lucknow CRC to lead worship. We will celebrate the Lord's Supper.

We will worship in person with no capacity limits and the wearing of masks is optional. Please self-screen for COVID symptoms and if you are feeling unwell join our worship gathering on-line. We continue to worship together as a community of God's people. **YouTube:** <https://bit.ly/3yYa4ze>



Exeter CRC is accessible for those with hearing impairment. If you are hard of hearing, please have an usher direct you to the sound booth for an assistive device.

## From the Deacons



The offering this Sunday and the week ahead is for the **Cadets Boys Club**.

### Upcoming Collections:

**June 26, 2022:** Children of the Promise

**July 3, 2022:** The Ministry to Seafarers

You can respond with your offering by e-transfer to [ecrcgiving@gmail.com](mailto:ecrcgiving@gmail.com). Please state in the memo the cause(s) you are supporting.



**MemberCare+** is a free counselling program for Exeter CRC members provided by By Peaceful Waters. Please call **519-886-8577** or email [mail@bypeacefulwaters.ca](mailto:mail@bypeacefulwaters.ca) for more information.

## Our Church Family

**Calendar of Events:** One of the features of our website is a calendar of meetings and events to help keep you up to date. Click on this [link](#) to have a look at everything happening at ECRC.

For those who have a prayer request or are sharing a thanksgiving, please feel free to include it on the church's Facebook page, or please contact your elder or the church office if you wish to include it in the bulletin or The Bridge App.

### Nursery (ages 0-2) and Sunday School (ages 3-grade 6)

Nursery and Sunday School programs will be available during the church service for those parents who wish to participate. Children will be dismissed during the worship gathering. Faith Formation, Sunday School, and Nursery, with the support of Council, have developed a plan to safely care for your children.

NURSERY SCHEDULE					
DATE	ADULT	HELPER	DATE	ADULT	HELPER
June 19	Sarah Mulder, Sarah Van Breda	Kennedy Boersma	July 10	Wibbina Tonk Tara Obre	Melanie Langendyk
June 26	Liv Jackson, Sheila Vanderlaan,	Landon Den Hollander	July 17	Kathryn Langendyk, Anthony Nyman	Sam Vanderlaan
July 3	Marg Knip Anne Zwaan	Judah Van Breda	July 24	Darren Bouman, Joanne Boersma,	Nadine VanBreda

**Sunday School Picnic:** The Sunday School team would like to invite the whole church to join us Sunday June 26<sup>th</sup> for a hotdog lunch right after the morning service. Games will be organized for the kids.

**Sunday School** is hoping to offer programming during July and August for the 3,4 & 5 year olds during worship and will be looking for volunteers to teach this group. The group will meet for a story, some songs, craft time and play time. All resources will be provided. There is a sign-up sheet at the Sunday School desk for anyone willing to spend a Sunday morning with some of our youngest members. Thank you in advance for helping with this important ministry to our children.

## Youth

**SERVE:** In a few weeks a group of youth from our congregation, alongside youth from all over Canada, will head to Barrie, ON to participate in SERVE. SERVE is a mission project coordinated through ThereforeGo Ministries, at various cities throughout North America, providing youth with the opportunity to worship, fellowship and serve together. Please pray for Kennedy Boersma, Melanie Langendyk, Eli VanBreda, Jordan Hawman, Henry Meinema and leaders Matt Bakelaar and Jessica Vandenbrink as they prepare to head to Barrie on July 2nd. We pray they will be the hands and feet of Jesus that week and have an amazing SERVE experience! The SERVE commissioning service will take place on June 26th.

**SERVE Prayer Partners 2022:** Would you consider being a prayer partner for one of these youth or leaders. Our goal is to bath the entire experience in prayer and are looking for 7 individuals or families willing to commit to praying for one of the participants prior to and during the week of SERVE. This will include sending along notes of encouragement for each day and small treats to remind the participants they are loved and being prayed for. For more information on what that entails please contact Jessica Vandenbrink ([jessicavdb97@gmail.com](mailto:jessicavdb97@gmail.com)) or (519.702.7158)

## Exeter CRC Announcements

**New Office Bearers:** This morning we are blessed to be able to install the new office bearers into the roles of elder and deacon. Please keep the following people in your prayers as they begin their time on council.

**Deacon:**

Connor Van Soest  
Harry Knip  
Nathan Boersma

**Elder**

Al Heyink  
Clarence Toornstra  
Jason Mulder

**Job Opening:** Exeter CRC has an exciting summer job opportunity for an Event Coordinator. The person must be eligible for the Canada Summer Jobs program (age 15-30), be well organized, flexible and have strong communication skills. Experience in the hospitality industry or in event planning an asset. Must have access to a personal computer and willing to work in various settings including a home office, the Church office and community spaces. This job term extends from June 27 to September 3, for 30 hours per week. The full job description is available on our Exeter CRC Facebook page and linked [here](#).

**HOUSING URGENTLY NEEDED:** Housing is needed for Ukrainian war victims. Check the bulletin board for more information on how to be involved in preparing for their arrival and what you can do when they get here.

## From the CRCNA and the Broader Community

**Community Counselling Exeter:** Did you know that there is a new subsidized counselling service in town for ages 12 and up? Community Counselling Exeter provides in-person counselling services on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 11 am – 7 pm at our counselling office in Trivitt Memorial Anglican Church, 264 Main St S, Exeter. Virtual sessions by phone or video are also available. Call or text 1-888-350-2011 for more information or to schedule a session. Check out the website at <https://www.communitycounsellinglondon.com/about-2>

**Volunteers needed for Community Counselling Exeter:** We are looking for volunteers who are able to be present at Trivitt Memorial Anglican Church during the hours when the therapists are working on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 11 am – 7 pm. If you are over the age of 18 and available to take some volunteer shifts, please contact Rick McCarty at [rickmccarty@gmail.com](mailto:rickmccarty@gmail.com) or 519-615-2623.

**Faith Formation Ministries: Faith Practice Reflection Tip** - Reflection and Discussion Starter—the Practice of Wonder: Read Luke 5:21-26 and ponder or discuss the following questions. Jesus knew the Pharisees' thoughts before they said a word. How does it make you feel to know that Jesus knows you that way too? If you were in the crowd that day, what would your first reaction to the healing be? Praise? Skepticism? Awe? Fear? Describe a time when you were "filled with awe." What prompted that emotion? (For more on faith practices from Faith Formation Ministries, visit [bit.ly/FaithPracticesProject](http://bit.ly/FaithPracticesProject))

**Disability Concerns: Ableism Training Hosted by CRC-RCA Disability Concerns** - Join us online August 11 & 12 (from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm EDT) for our annual training event. We will unpack ableism and consider ways we can help reduce the impact of ableism in churches. This event is open to everyone interested in learning more about this very important topic. We will continue to release more information about this event on our dedicated website: Let's End #AbleismAtChurch Register at <https://bit.ly/ableismatchurch>