



# Exeter Christian Reformed Church

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## Sunday, June 26, 2022 – Lord's Supper, SERVE Commissioning, Sunday School Graduation

10 AM Worship

Andrew DeGelder

Musicians: Steve, Rick, Lori

### God Gathers Us in His Presence

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

Song: Come, Now is the Time LUYH #526

God's Greeting

### God Renews Us In His Grace

Prayer of Confession

God's Assurance

Song: Oceans

Serve Commissioning

Song: Build Your Kingdom

### God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Lord's Supper

Songs During Communion: Eat This Bread (bread) LUYH #818  
Take Me In (wine)

Children's Message/Sunday School Graduation

Children's Song: He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: 2 Kings 7: 1-16

Message: A Day of Good News?

Song: Great Are You Lord

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

Announcements

Prayer of God's People: This week the Deacons will be using your gifts to support **Children of the Promise**. Etransfers may be sent to [ecrcgiving@gmail.com](mailto:ecrcgiving@gmail.com)

Offering

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

God's Sending and Blessing

Song: **My Jesus I love Thee LUYH #366**

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

**Sunday, July 3**, 2022, 10am: We welcome Steve Vogel to lead our worship.

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 **Children of the Promise**

#### **Upcoming Collections:**

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

**July 10, 2022:** Family Outreach Ontario

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<sup>+</sup>** is a free counselling program for Exeter CRC members provided by By Peaceful Waters. Please call **519-886-8577** or email **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.

**Amy Lubbers** is home and recovering from recent surgery. We praise God and pray for a complete recovery.

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 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
July 10	Wibbina Tonk Tara Obre	Melanie Langendyk	July 31	Teresa Buckman, Jolene de Boer	Eli Van Breda

**Sunday School** would like to encourage all the children Grade 1-6 to take notes or draw a picture of what you hear and learn during the summer months of messages in Big Church... either children's message or sermon. We have purchased a journal for each child. You will find them in a tote at back of church with your names on them. Please after church return to tote so you have it for the next week. After the summer you will be able to take the journals home and share with your family how God has talked to you during the summer. Parents we would ask you to encourage your children to participate.

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

**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 Vandenberg ([jessicavdb97@gmail.com](mailto:jessicavdb97@gmail.com)) or (519.702.7158)

### Exeter CRC Announcements

**Out of Office:** Heather is on vacation for the coming week. The office will not be staffed on Tuesday, June 28 or Thursday, June 30. If you have any concerns during the week please contact your ward elder. All materials for the July 3 bulletin should be submitted to the office no later than 9am on Thursday morning for inclusion in next Sunday's bulletin.

**LADIES COFFEE GROUP - Summer Sizzler!** Mark your calendars to drop by between 10-12 on Wednesday July 6th & August 17th for Coffee group! Please bring your lawn chair as we hope to sit outside & have some yard games going for the kids! Looking forward to seeing you this summer for some fun & fellowship! Everyone welcome!

**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

**Last Chance to Register for Inspire 2022:** Registration for Inspire 2022 will close on June 30. Don't miss your chance to join hundreds of your fellow church members from across the continent at the Tinley Park Convention Center near Chicago on August 4-6 for a time of renewal, fellowship, and inspiration. Learn more and sign up at <https://www.crcna.org/inspire>

**Free CRC Leadership Training Course:** Register now to take the Thriving Essentials virtual training in July at no cost (limit 25 persons). The two, 2 hour-long Zoom sessions on July 13 and 20 can help get all church leaders on the same page concerning the key concepts of Mission, Discipleship, Discernment, and Leadership. Take the class for yourself, then decide if attendance would benefit your core church leadership. Website: [crcna.org/Thrive](http://crcna.org/Thrive)

**Classis Huron** invites students from this Classis who are considering ministry within the CRC to apply for a forgivable loan. These students must be planning to attend seminary in the school year 2022-2023. For applications and further information, please contact Rev. Brian Bork by email: [bbork41@gmail.com](mailto:bbork41@gmail.com). Applications and further information is available at <https://classishuron.ca/classical-ministry-leadership-team/>. As churches in Classis Huron let us pray for God to raise up workers in His kingdom from our congregations. The CMLT is also looking for new members, especially lay and female leaders. If you have a heart to support folks training for ministry from our Classis, please email Rev. Bork.

**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>