

## HOW WE SERVE AT ESSEX CRC

### Nursery

Today

### Usher

AV

Today

### Coffee Clean Up

Today

### Scripture Readers

Children's Moment

Elevator

Today

### Little Lambs

Sunday School

Today

### Offerings

Library

Today

### Pastoral Prayer

Worship Leader

Today



Our Church facility is equipped with an Induction Loop Assistive Listening System. See an Usher or a member of the Sound team for assistance



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### Church Office Hours

Tuesday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Thursday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Friday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

### Church Office Contact Information

519-776-5071

[office@essexcrc.ca](mailto:office@essexcrc.ca)

From the Mat'ters – We need your milk bags for our mats. You can leave them in the grey box downstairs.



# ESSEX CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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**Sunday August 16, 2020**

**Morning Worship 10:00 am**

## SUNDAY AUGUST 16, 2020

### Our Church Family

Keep **Betty B** and her family in your prayers. We pray for the Lord's peace and comfort.

Keep those family members and friends in prayer as they endure with various health issues, **Gail, Wilma, Simon** along with those who are in various nursing and retirement homes (**Pete & Betty, Cory, Diny, Nick Sr, and Anna**).

### BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Congratulations to Anél (Sunday), Michael & Lauren (Thurs) and Erin (Fri). May the Lord bless you!

### What is Happening This Week

#### Prayer for Healthy Church – Tuesday at 10:00 am

Our Prayer Group will begin meeting on Tuesday at 10:00 am.

#### PRAYER BOX

Prayer requests can be placed in the box at the back of the church & they will be prayed for during the Tuesday morning prayer & Bible study time.

#### FROM COUNCIL – CHURCH OPENING

A committee was formed to develop a safe re-opening policy. When Council has adopted this new policy, it will be shared with all our CRC members. Our target date to re-open is Sunday September 13, 2020. If you have any questions or concerns, please call your Community Elder. A list of Communities is in the back of the church directory.

*At-Home Faith Formation Tip* - As the start of the school year draws near, many kids feel fearful and anxious. It's a good time to gently remind them that their identity lies not in their accomplishments, their popularity, or what others think of them. Their identity comes from being beloved children of a loving God. "See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are!"—1 John 3:1 (Tip from Faith Formation Ministries; [crcna.org/FaithFormation](http://crcna.org/FaithFormation))

The July/August 2020 Banner is ready for pick up on the back table.

### Weekly Offerings

Today's offerings are for the **FINANCIAL MINISTRY PLAN AND BACK TO GOD MINISTRIES**

Back to God Ministries International desire to provide ministry tools and practical resources to help churches disciple their congregations and beyond. When churches partner with Back to God Ministries International, we are all able to reach more people with the gospel.

August 23 offering is for Faith Formations. This offering helps Faith Formations Ministries encourage and equip local Christian Reformed ministry leaders in their calling to shape life long faith formation in their context so that all generations have an intentional and resilient faith.

#### JANITORIAL POSITIONS

MCA is accepting applications for two temporary part-time hourly Janitorial Staff positions. The hours would be 4 hrs. per day, 5 days per week (Monday – Friday) for a total of 20 hours each week per employee. The positions involve cleaning high touch and high traffic areas of the school throughout the day in compliance with the Ministry of Health, Ministry of Education and Public Health recommendations. Preference will be given to applicants who demonstrate a desire to serve the Lord and our community by responding quickly to requests for assistance during the school day. Interested applicants should submit a cover letter, resume, references and an application form, which is attached to this email.

Please submit your application package to our Board Chair, Mr. Louis Matte, at [lmatte@maranathachristian.ca](mailto:lmatte@maranathachristian.ca). Applications are due no later than Tuesday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

#### HEADING OFF TO CAMPUS?

As you study, experience a multitude of perspectives and worldviews, and develop new relationships, why not also be part of a diverse community that gathers together to grow in faith and to engage God's world? There are over 35 CRC Campus Ministries on campuses across North America, comprised of students, faculty and staff. To find out if there is one on your campus please check this map: <https://www.resonateglobalmission.org/campus-ministry/map> No campus ministry at your school? You can also locate a nearby CRC at [www.crcna.org/church-finder](http://www.crcna.org/church-finder) For more information about our unique ministries, please contact us at [campusministry@crcna.org](mailto:campusministry@crcna.org)