

## HOW WE SERVE AT ESSEX CRC

### Nursery

Today Tammy, Christian  
Nov 18 Anna, Tim  
Nov 25 Sarah, Rylee

### Greeters

Homer & Betty  
John & Margaret  
Hans & Geraldine

### Ushers

Today Greg S  
Nov 18 Joanne  
Nov 25 Michael

### AV

Rylee & Ryan  
Tammy K, Vanessa  
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### Coffee Clean Up

Today Carl & Florence, Ryan & Sandra  
Nov 18 Greg & Andrea, Larry & Jacky  
Nov 25 Darcy & Liane, Jack & Carolyn

### Scripture Readers

Today Michael  
Nov 18 Gerry  
Nov 25 Darcy

### Children's Moment

Greg S  
Pete  
Betty

### Elevator

Joel  
Fred  
Greg Y

### Offerings

Today Back to God Ministries  
Nov 18 Benevolence  
Nov 25 World Renew/Peter Fish

### Library

Doris  
Sarah  
Doris

### Pastoral Prayer

Today John vH  
Nov 18 Carl  
Nov 25 Gerry

### Worship Leader

Pastor Derek Bouma  
Mr. Jerry Roukema  
Pastor Peter Hoytema



# ESSEX CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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### Church Office Hours

Tuesday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm  
Thursday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm  
Friday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Church Office – Contact Information 519-776-5071, [office@essexcrc.ca](mailto:office@essexcrc.ca)

**Sunday November 11, 2018**

**Morning Worship 10:00 am**

## SUNDAY NOVEMBER 11, 2018

Welcome to our worship service this morning, especially if you are a guest with us today. Do plan to stay and enjoy a cup of coffee or tea with us in the fellowship hall.

### Our Church Family

Keep those family members and friends in prayer as they suffer with various health issues along with those who cannot attend our services because they are in various nursing and retirement homes (**Pete & Betty, Cory, Diny and Anna**).

### BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Congratulations to Betty (Mon) and Ben Sr (Thurs). May the Lord bless you!

### What is Happening This Week

10:00 am – Morning Worship with Pastor Derek Bouma

The Mat'ters – Monday at 9:30 am

GEMS & Cadets – Monday at 6:30 pm

Coffee Break – Tuesday at 10:00 am (Lea's home)

Reach Up – Tuesday at 10:00 am

Prayer for Healthy Church – Tuesday at 10:00 am

Catechism – Tuesday at 7:00 pm

Reach Out – Wednesday at 7:00 pm

Woodslee Home – Thursday at 10:00 am

Praise Team – Thursday at 7:15 pm

Next Sunday November 18, 2018

10:00 am – Morning Worship with Mr. Jerry Roukema

### UP COMING SERVICE

We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper on Sunday November 25, 2018 during our morning service.

### NOTE FROM THE TREASURER

Our Treasurer Harvey is preparing the 2019 Church Budget. All groups or committees are asked to give your budget submissions to the treasurer by Sunday November 18, 2018.

### Weekly Offerings

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

BGHMI desires 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.

November 18 offering is for Benevolence. This offering helps those with needs in our church and in the community.

### WORLD RENEW

World Renew invites you to join us as we work alongside communities around the world to establish Uzima. Uzima, Swahili for life, captures the essence of life as God intended it to be. Through daily devotions and activities, you can gather with your family to learn how God is moving families beyond poverty and hunger and equipping them with skills to create a sense of wholeness for themselves, their family, and community. Join us on Sunday November 25 for this year's World Hunger Sunday!

### GEMS REQUEST!

One of our biggest blessings so far is that we have grown in size exponentially! Our grades 1/2 class alone is now four times the size it was last year. So we are asking for some help. If you would like to be a blessing to these girls, please talk to Tammy or Alissa about how you can help us lead the group each week. Please pray about this and consider joining the GEMS program in one of our church's biggest outreaches to our community.

### SAVE THE DATE

Inspire 2019 will once again bring together people from across the denomination for a time of inspiration, connection, and encouragement. Join us August 1-3, 2019 in Windsor, Ontario! Designed for ministry volunteers and leaders from across our denomination, Inspire 2019 is a chance to discover new resources, connect with people in similar types of ministry, share your stories, and learn from others. Get the details at [www.crcna.org/inspire](http://www.crcna.org/inspire)

### LIBERTAS MALE CHOIR IN A JOURNEY TO CHRISTMAS

Join us at one of two concerts: Thursday, November 29, 2018 at 7:30 pm in Knox Presbyterian Church (59 Riddell St, Woodstock, ON, N4S 6M2) and Saturday, December 1, 2018 at 7:30 pm in Knox Presbyterian Church, (142 Ontario St, Stratford, ON, N5A 3H2). Go to [www.libertasvoices.com](http://www.libertasvoices.com) for tickets online. [Info@libertasvoices.com](mailto:Info@libertasvoices.com) Also tickets sold at the door!