

# Staying Connected at Drayton Reformed Church

July 28 – August 4, 2019

### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Date	Time	Event	Location
SUN July 28	10:00am After worship	Morning Worship Coffee	Sanctuary Fellowship Hall
MON July 29	9:30-10:30am 8:00pm	Seniors Exercise Praise Team Practice	Fellowship Hall Sanctuary
TUES July 30			
WED July 31	9:30-10:30am	Seniors Exercise	Fellowship Hall
THURS Aug 1			
FRI Aug 2	9:30-10:30am	Seniors Exercise	Fellowship Hall
SAT Aug 3			
SUN Aug 4	10:00am After worship	Morning Worship Coffee	Sanctuary Fellowship Hall

# Ministering To Our Congregation

	Sunday, July 28, 2019	Sunday, August 4, 2019
Preaching/Leading	Pastor Duane	Pastor Duane
Elder	Susan K	Annette C
Worship Team	Team Glorify	Team Youth
Greeters	Herman & Frea C Bert & Mary H	John & Riek D Brian & Femmy C
Nursery Attendant	Ken/Karen S	Terri v
Nursery Helpers	Susan K Andrea V Dinetta D Willem B	Jeff/Joyce D John K Peggy S Renee V
Little Lambs	Mary P Keara K	Katie W Beth A
Hall Monitors	Joan R John K	John D John P
Coffee Servers	Jack & Diane K Albert & Lysje N	John & Dinetta D Walter & Hennie T
Elevator Attendant	John H	Berend M
Coffee-Hour Hall Monitors	Joe & Marla G Corey & Henrietta H	Matt & Stephanie D Hans D & Sue B
Gardening	Jack & Diane K Hank & Linda B	John M & Carol J Annette C

## Lord, Hear Our Prayers...

- Pray for Dinie H who was in hospital this week with an infection. Pray for God's continued healing and for His abiding presence for Dinie as she continues to recover at home.
- Pray the God of all comfort to surround
   Dave & Sylvia S and their children Connor
   and Carlin on the passing of Dave's grand mother, Doreen L this past Tuesday.
- We continue to remember the A family in prayer as they have been now been in Canada for more than a half year. Pray that they may continue to grow in their knowledge and comprehension of the English language and grow accustomed to a new way of life.

- Please continue to pray for those in our church family who deal daily with physical pain and limitations including Gea L, Joyce K, Mike A, and Jerry K.
- Pray for Daniel K (SU Sports), Jason N (Camp Shalom), Kari K, and Connor S (both at Conestoga Bible Camp) as they serve God through various summer ministries.
- Pray for Mari-Anne T as she serves our church in the area of worship ministries.
   We give thanks to God for her gifts and how he has used her amongst us in encouraging various individuals to minister to us through music and drama.

### Please continue to remember our elderly & shut-ins:

John B Betty D
Gerda H Joyce K
Janna O Fenna P

IF YOU HAVE A NEED we encourage you to inform your elder, deacon, a pastor or the church office.

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### **Announcements**

HOW CAN YOU SERVE AT DRC? Thank you to those of you who have returned your form into the church Secretary's mail slot. If you have not already done so, please do so as soon as possible. Extra forms are available at the Information Centre. Thank you!

**OUT OF THE OFFICE:** Pastor Daniel is on holidays until August 5. Please direct all pastoral needs during this time to Pastor Duane or your district elder.

**THANK YOU** for all your prayers and visits during the loss of our Father and Grandfather John H. We take comfort in our Christian faith that he is saved by Jesus.

Dave, Sylvia, Connor & Carlin S

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS STILL NEEDED!**

Thank you so far to those that have reached out to me! We still **REQUIRE FIVE TEACHERS** in order to run our Sunday School program this fall, particularly in grades 3-7. Please let me know sooner rather than later if you would be willing to help out in this ministry. Blessings! Amanda S

**FOOD BANK NEEDS YOUR HELP:** The shelves are looking bare and we need to replenish stock. We are specifically looking for the following non-perishable food items: canned vegetables, canned tomatoes, lentils, chickpeas, pasta, pasta sauce, sugar, canned soup, cooking oil, rice, oatmeal packets, cookies, crackers, Kraft Dinner, and school snacks. Thank you in advance for supporting our Drayton and Community Food Bank!

**ANCHOR YOUTH RETREAT:** Forms are available outside the church office. Please return all forms and payment into the church office no later than September 27.

**LITTLE LAMBS:** We are in need of some helpers for the Sunday morning Little Lambs program, both young people (aged 11 years +) and adults. Please connect with **Andrea Va** if you are able to help with this important ministry!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS/CELEBRATIONS

If you have an announcement (i.e. birth, celebration, condolences) that you would like to be shared in the CONNECT and/or sent out as a congregational email, please be sure to contact the church secretary or one of the pastors. secretary@draytonreformed.org

**SENIORS CONGREGATE DINING:** at the Drayton Reformed Church on Friday, August 9<sup>th</sup>, 12:00pm. We are excited to have Mark Garbutt show his award winning photographs and share his stories about his multiple trips to Africa. Mark serves as a guide to those wishing to go on a safari. The cost for the meal is \$12 but if you would like to come to the presentation only it is completely free of charge. Call 519.638.1000 to register.

RAMOTH HOUSE: We are in great need!
Ramoth House is looking for ladies 23 years of age or over, to join our support team.
We are looking for help to cover 2 to 4 evening shifts (of 8 hours each) a month. Have you thought of calling and just not called? Take the next step in putting your faith into action and join our team! Ramoth programs are "R.E.A.L."... relational, experiential, applicable and learner based! Our moms and little ones need your love and support. Training is provided. Call or email our office to discuss joining our team. 519-323-3751 Mon – Thursday between 9 am – 4 pm office@ramoth.ca Please also take the time to find out more about us at www.ramoth.ca







## THIS SUNDAY: July 28

 Summer Sunday School continues in the Sunset Room after the Children's Moment, for children ages 3 to grade 2.

## **NEXT SUNDAY: August 4**

 Summer Sunday School continues in the Sunset Room after the Children's Moment, for children ages 3 to grade 2.

## Jr. Youth

Grade 6-8

We are headed to Bingeman's BIG SPLASH Thursday, August 29 from 10:30am-8:00pm. Cost is \$25 per person (includes pizza supper). Forms and payment must be into the church office no later than Friday, August 23.

Grade 9-12

### Sr. Youth

Friday, August 16 Blue Jays Game
Meet at the church for 3:00pm, we will return at approx. midnight. Check your email for more information.

