

AVCRC exists to reach people, bringing them to a loving relationship with Jesus and membership in the Christian Community; helping them to grow in their faith, guiding them to serve in their gifted ministry, and honouring God with their lives.



Sunday October 20, 2019

Welcome! This morning the worship service will proceed as announced. We will look especially at **Genesis 32** (pg. 33) which tells of the night Jacob wrestled with God. Jacob loses but knows it is a magnificent defeat. In what ways do you wrestle with God? In what ways are you disappointed with him or do you wish that he would work differently? Letting God have his way might not come easily to us. What in your life do you need to surrender to God and trust that he will manage?

Tonight at 5:30, Four Sundays for Supper begins. We'll have supper together then, all are invited to join one of three study groups: Nuuchah Nulth language and stories, The Arts of Spiritual Conversations or The Drama of Scripture. Each is intended to help us be disciples, learning about the Father, Son and Holy Spirit and the world he has created.

In the morning worship **next week** we will focus on the lectionary readings: **Joel 2:21-32; Jeremiah 14:7-22; 2 Timothy 4:6-18, Luke 18:9-14**

Offering: Disability Concerns

Keep these matters in your prayers:

- Jonathon G, son of Greg and Cindy, suffered a cardiac arrest; his heart stopped last weekend. He was revived but remains in ICU and later in the week recovery is still slow.

- Tomorrow is Election Day. Pray that the government of God's choosing will be elected and that all who are elected will seek justice and mercy. God bless them with wisdom and humility.

- This week Pastor Curtis will attend the annual Police Chaplains Training Seminar. Pray that he will return well prepared to continue his work as RCMP chaplain.

- The Admin Committee and the Council are assembling the 2020 budget; pray for prudence and bold hope as we discern what God is calling us to do in the coming year.

All ministries are asked to submit their 2020 budget requests to John K or Alsie S **before this coming Wednesday, Oct 23**. Thanks!

At-home Faith Formation Tip: The Building Blocks of Faith are four statements that, when they become increasingly true for a person, indicate that his or her faith is growing:

- I belong to Jesus and to his body, the church.
- I know and understand the story of God's faithfulness, of which I am a part.
- I have hope, through Christ, in all of God's promises.
- I am called to work in God's kingdom, and I am equipped to do that work.

What opportunities do the people in your household have to grow in each of these ways? For more on the Building Blocks, visit

www.crcna.org/FaithFormation/toolkits/building-blocks-faith



www.crcna.org The Building Blocks of Faith Toolkit | Christian Reformed Church - [crcna.org](http://www.crcna.org)

Here are some tools to help you explain the Building Blocks of Faith to others in your congregation. Summaries and Presentations. User's guide: The user's guide to the Building Blocks of Faith toolkit provides a good overview. You can view the user's guide here or visit Faith Alive's online catalog to order a free printed copy; One-page summary: Use this document as a handout or poster. www.crcna.org

Weekly Calendar

Tonight: 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm, Sunday Supper *including* Youth

Monday: 7:00 pm Young Life club night at Jericho Road

Wednesday: 10:00 am, Ladies Coffee Break Bible Study

6:00 pm, Council and Admin meet to finalize 2020 budget

Advance Notice

Sunday, November 17: 2020 Budget Meeting along with the morning Worship Service.

Christmas Eve, December 24: 6:00 pm Candlelight Service

The Path to Reconciliation: *Friday, October 25, 7:00 pm, ADSS Auditorium.*

When Mike and Gord Downie (yes, the Tragically Hip frontman) first heard the story of Chanie Wenjack, an Ojibway boy who died running away from his residential school, they resolved to tell this story to the world. The result is this multimedia project called Secret Path. Tickets are by donation and available at the ADSS office.



OFFERING SCHEDULE	COUNTER	HELPERS
October 20 – Disability Concerns	Patty T	Alsie S & Mitzie C
October 27 – Budget	Pete B	Bert & Pat B
	GREETERS	NURSERY
October 20	Bev & Brian H	Jill V, Mitzie C
October 27	Bev & Brian H	Alsie, S, Pam S, Sarah
	LIBRARIAN	SECURITY
October 20	Johan & Annemarie S	Alice V
October 27	Harry & Marjie A	Margrit D
		Yvonne A
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