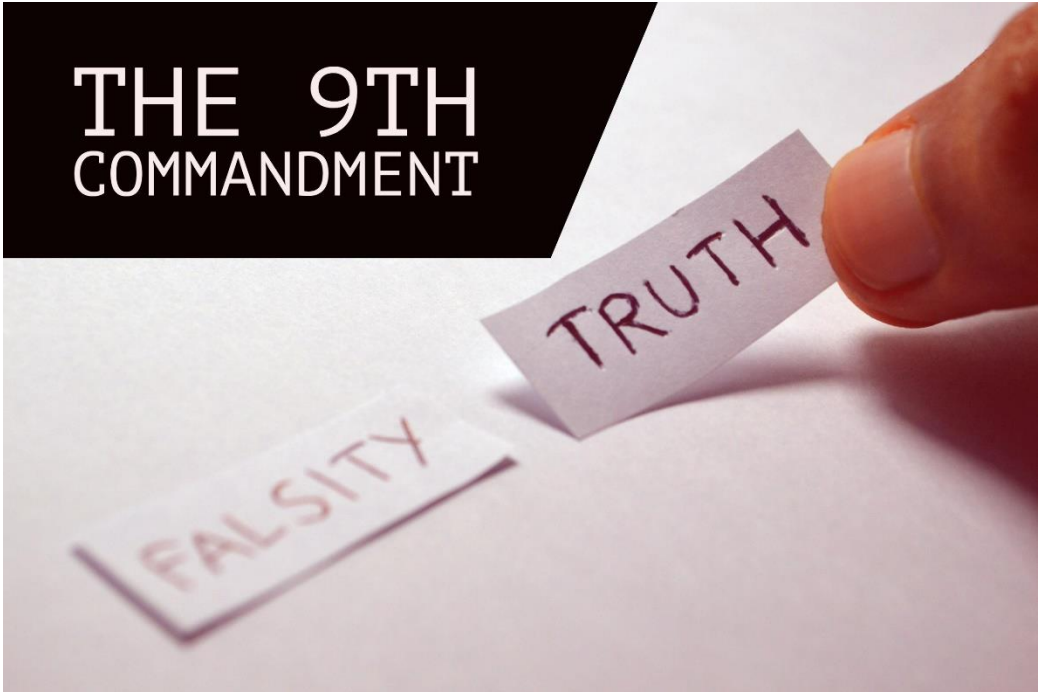


Drayton Christian Reformed Church

88 Main Street East ~ P.O. Box 129 ~ Drayton, Ontario ~ N0G 1P0

"Sharing God's Grace and Hope"

THE 9TH COMMANDMENT



August 26, 2018

Minister: Pastor Paul Droogers
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Youth Minister: Pastor Jake Snieder
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Worship Service: **Sundays - 10:00 a.m.**
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Drayton Christian Reformed Church

NURSERY is available downstairs for children up to 3 years old.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Children, **ages 3 to Grade 4** are welcome to join us downstairs for Sunday School.

SERMON REVIEW: After the congregational prayer, **Grades 5 through 8** leave for a review of the sermon. Questionnaire booklets are found at the back of the sanctuary.

Large Print Psalter Hymnals and **Large Print Order of Worship programs** are available.

Please contact an usher if you wish to use one.

A special *welcome* if you are visiting with us! Together we look forward to experiencing the Triune community of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit through our worship and fellowship.

August 26 ~ Today, our service is led by **Pastor Jake** who will continue our Ten Commandment preaching series by focusing on the ninth commandment:

"You shall not bear false witness against your neighbour." ~ Exodus 20:16

September 2 ~ Next week our service will be led, Lord willing, by **Pastor Paul** who will continue our Ten Commandment preaching series by focusing on the tenth commandment:

"You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbour." ~ Exodus 20:17



Coffee: Please join us for coffee and fellowship after our worship this morning.

Offerings:

SECOND OFFERING: Please make cheques payable to "**Drayton CRC Charity Fund.**"

August 26: **1: Budget** **2: Faith Formation Ministries**

Faith Formation provides resources and coaching to support CRC churches as they help people grow in faith.

September 2: **1: Budget** **2: Ramoth Life Centre**

Mission: To provide a safe environment for young women and their infants. To provide programming that will aid young women in developing the life skills required to end the cycle of hurt and poverty. To support young women, during their pregnancy and following birth, through encouragement and practical support.

Collections Received: ~ **August 19, 2018** ~ **Resurrection Life Church** ~

Stewardship Thought:

"Even if I give the whole of my worth to Him,

He will find a way to give back to me much more than I gave."

~ Charles Haddon Spurgeon (ca. 1834 - 1892), English Baptist preacher

Drayton Christian Reformed Church
Sunday, August 26, 2018
10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Worship Leader: Pastor Jake
Music Leader: on the Edj
Ten Commandments: Part 9

We Are Gathered

Welcome & Announcements

*Gathering Song:

I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

*Silent prayer followed by:

Jesus We Love You

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise:

*Good, Good Father
Reckless Love*

We are Restored

Confession of Sin

Assurance of Forgiveness

Guide for Holy Living:

Lord's Day 43

Song of Thanksgiving:

The River

Sunday School Dismissal

Children:

The peace of Christ be with you.

All:

And also with you.

Prayer of Blessing followed by children ages 3-5 leaving for Sunday School

We Are Equipped

Bible Reading:

1 Peter 3:8-22

Sermon:

"Loving the Truth"

*Song of Response:

When it's All Been Said and Done

We Are Heard

Prayer of God's People

We Are Sent

Offerings:

1. Budget 2. Resurrection Life

*Closing Song:

They'll Know we are Christians

*God's Blessing

**Indicates: please stand, if you are able*

Church Family

Please remember in your prayers those who are confined to their homes.

Let us thankfully pray for **Klazien** who is doing much better and has returned home.

Pray for **John** who remains at the Palmerston hospital. May he receive encouragement.

Pray for **Femmy** who continues to have discomfort in her legs.

Pray for **Markus** who is serving with Empower Global in Haiti for a couple more weeks before returning home. May their efforts at seeking to connect faith and life or self-sufficiency within community serve the local people there in ways that are helpful.

Pray for **Theresa's son, Mike**, who suffered a heart attack recently. Last week, Mike underwent by-pass surgery and is now at home recovering. Please pray for continued healing and strength.

In the next week **College and University Students** from our church family will be returning to campuses across Ontario and Canada. For some, this will be their first time living away from home. As they settle in to their dorms and begin classes, please pray that God will bless them in their studies, guide them in their Christian walk, protect them from harmful influences, and use them to build his Kingdom.

As a congregation we extend our congratulations to **Mitchell and Nicole** who were united in Christian marriage yesterday. We also congratulate the families on this joyous occasion. May God bless Mitchell and Nicole as they begin their married live together.

Wedding Banns:



As a congregation, we rejoice together with **Natalie and Brandon** who plan to be united in Christian marriage. If there are no lawful objections, the wedding will take place on Saturday, September 8, 2018 at 3:30 p.m. at Highgate Views which is located at 2150 Bleams Road, Kitchener. Pastor John will be officiating. May God bless Natalie and Brandon with his peace and joy during their final weeks of preparation and anticipation for their wedding day!

Celebrations:

Happy Birthday to ...

Sunday: Alanna
Monday: Kelly, Teresa
Tuesday: Martin
Wednesday: Carly
Friday: Theresa



Happy Anniversary ...



Monday: Calvin & Gerri, Eric & Tara
Tuesday: Mathias & Cheryl

Church Calendar

- Sunday:** ~ Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m. – Ninth Commandment
~ Sunday School – ages 3 to 5 years old
- Tuesday:** ~ Pastoral Care Meeting at 8:00 p.m.
- Wednesday:** ~ Worship Committee Meeting at 7:30 p.m.
- Thursday:** ~ GEMS Leader Meeting at 7:30 p.m.
- Next Sunday:** ~ Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. – Tenth Commandment

Youth Group

Fall Retreat: REGISTER NOW! The early bird rate of \$175 ends September 9, so don't miss out! It will be a great weekend at Muskoka Woods from September 28 to 30! Our theme is "Ignite: Acts 2:2". Pastor Zan will be speaking with Trio leading worship — visit www.fallretreat.ca to register!

Young Adults and Parents: JOIN THE FALL RETREAT SAFETY TEAM! Only a few spots left! If you are over 21 and would like to help make this a great weekend, talk to Lorie at vogellorie@hotmail.com to sign up for safety team. Don't forget, you get the special Safety Team rate of \$165!

From the Office

September Newsletter: Please have all *September Newsletter* submissions in to the office by **Tuesday, August 28**. All Church School groups and committees are encouraged to send in submissions for this Newsletter with details or information about the new church season starting in September. Also, any pictures or articles from events over the summer would be appreciated. ~ Denise

Canadian CRC History Book: A committee of the CRCNA has been formed to put together a History Book of the Canadian CRC. Please take a look through those old photos and if you have any pictures of our church during its early years, including photos of events or the building, please forward to secretary@draytoncrc.org. Thank you!

Directory Updates for 2018/2019 will be done in September

Committee Leaders: please email a list of all committee members and what position each person holds to the office at secretary@draytoncrc.org as soon as possible. Thank you!

Ministry Leaders: please email a list of teachers and counsellors as well as the grade or age group they will be teaching to the office at secretary@draytoncrc.org as soon as possible. Thank you!

Members: Copies of the Directory pages have been posted on a table outside the cloak room. If there are any changes or corrections needed, please indicate this directly on those pages.

From Council and Committees

GEMS Leader Meeting: There will be a Gems Leaders meeting on **Thursday, August 30 at 7:30 pm**. in the large meeting room beside the nursery.

GEMS is once again selling calendars for the upcoming year. This is a great fundraiser for our club and we invite you to support us in it! Please fill out the form with your family's information and leave in Judy DeWeerd's mail box. If you don't already order a calendar but would like to, please contact Mandy Mulder or Judy DeWeerd. Orders need to be in by September 22! Thanks so much!!

Photo Directory: Our church is looking to update the *Photo Directory*. If anyone is interested in volunteering to organize and help update the new Photo Directory, please let Eddy know. He can be reached at 519-501-3624.

College and University Students (Or Parents): In the upcoming months, we will be sending out care packages to all our Young Adults studying at colleges and universities near and far. Please help us in this ministry by emailing the following information to Pastor Jake at: pastorjake@draytoncrc.org
1: Name of Student. 2: Name of College/University. 3: Program of Study. 4: Mailing Address.
5: A recent photo to be used in a slide show for an upcoming church service.

Requested Announcements

Libertas Mail Choir will be presenting "Hands Across the Ocean" at the Reformed Church in Drayton on **August 28th at 7:30 p.m.** Tickets can be purchased for \$20, youth (ages 10-14) \$10, and children under 10 are Free. To order tickets online: www.libertasvoices.com or call 905-522-0001. Tickets will also be available at the door.

Dutch Hymn Sing at Westmount Christian Reformed Church, [405 Drury Lane, Strathroy Ontario](#) **August 29th at 1:30 p.m.** Singing "Through the Life of Jesus, From Advent to Ascension." Come and join us for an afternoon of praise and fellowship! Everyone is welcome! Refreshments after the program. Freewill offering for the Bible League. Organist: John Krale. For more information or to order a CD (\$5) of this event please contact: Marianne Kingma - 226-373-4401 or jmkingma7@gmail.com

The 21st Annual Community Christian School Golf Tournament. This year's event will be on **September 8, 2018** at the Elmira Golf Club. Enjoy 18 holes of golf, lunch, power cart, and supper for \$120. Registration is at 11:00 a.m. with a shotgun start of 12:30 p.m. All proceeds go to support Christian Education in Drayton. Come out for an enjoyable day of fun and fellowship! Please contact a committee member to reserve your spot:
Teresa
Steve

Drayton United Church Turkey Supper: Come out on **October 4, 2018** from 5-7 pm. at the P.M.D. Community Centre, 68 Main Street West, Drayton, Ontario. Tickets are at the door. Adults \$15.00, Children 5 – 10 years old \$5.00, under 5 years old free

Ramoth House - Want to Change Someone's Life! Join a Home Mission!

Ramoth House is looking for ladies, 23 years of age or over, for two different positions.

1. Assistant to our Ramoth Home Manager covering 20 shifts a month. These shifts are evening shifts. Wages to be discussed if interested.
2. Also Support Team Positions are available evening shifts and weekends. An honorarium paid for these positions.

Call 519-323-3751 Mon – Thursday between 9 am – 4 pm

Email a resume to office@ramoth.ca

News from North America

Ancaster Day of Encouragement (DOE) Retired - After a year of careful evaluation and review involving Diaconal Ministries Canada (DMC) partners, stakeholders, staff and beyond, the decision has been made to no longer offer the annual Ancaster DOE. (This event, along with DMC's AGM, was typically held in October.) If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact DMC at 1-800-730-3490 or dmc@crcna.org. Please note, this year's AGM will be on Friday, September 28, 2018, at 7:30pm (EST), in Burlington, ON.

FAMILY FIRE - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

SLEEPWALKING LIZ - Liz doesn't sleep for days preparing for the big spelling bee. How can he participate when he can't even put two letters together? Subscribe for free at getkidscorner.com. At www.kidscorner.net, download the new free resource Power Tools: Taking a Stand Against Bullying.

WHO IS GOD? - The Bible is about God, but who is God? Join us in studying passages like Revelation 4:11 and Deuteronomy 6:4 to answer some basic questions about the person, nature, and character of our almighty God and to discover the biblical foundations for our core Christian beliefs about the God we worship. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

Biblical Study Tour to Italy - (March 28 - April 9, 2019) Visit the Vatican with its Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Cathedral; the impressive monuments of ancient Rome; Hadrian's Villa; Pompeii and Mt. Vesuvius; Paestum; Assisi; Florence; Ravenna; and St. Mark's Basilica in Venice. Join Jeff Weima, professor at Calvin Theological Seminary and leading biblical scholar, for this inspirational tour. Contact Dr. Weima at weimje@calvinseminary.edu or 616-328-3110.

Early bird rate is closing! - Register by August 31 to get the early bird rate for the annual Disability Ministry Training Day! Friday, September 28, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Bring a group from your church to get the group rate! All registration closes September 12. For registration, Online: bit.ly/disabilityconference2018 / Email: espykman@rca.org / Call: 616-541-0894

COMING TO WATERLOO IN THE FALL? - If you are a new or returning university or college student coming to the Waterloo area, please join us at Waterloo CRC on September 9 for Student Welcome Sunday. You, your parents, and your friends are welcome to join us for a picnic after the service! Get to know the people in our church, our pastor, and our campus minister, Brian Bork. The service will be held at Waterloo CRC, 209 Bearinger Road in Waterloo at 10:30 am. We hope to see you there!

Find Christian community at York U - Heading to York University this fall? Come find friendship, encouragement and challenge with LOGOS campus ministry of the CRC. Connect with [@logosyorku](https://twitter.com/logosyorku), lccyork.org, lccyork@gmail.com or Ruth at 647-608-3967.

WELCOME (BACK) TO WESTERN! - The Western Campus Ministry community welcomes new and returning students to campus. Join us starting on Thursday, September 6 at 5:30pm in University Community Centre, room 38B. Full details are available at www.westerncampusministry.ca or by contacting Dr. Mike Wagenman at mwagenman@uwo.ca or (519) 851-5845. We look forward to a great year together with you!

Keeping in Touch.... The following are asked to send a note of encouragement to:

Nitin & Ruth Sardar..... Tony & Jane M
13a Gandhi Layout, Jaffer Nagar, Nagpur, MS., 440013, India ~ email: nrsardar@gmail.com

Jonathan & Janice Barnhoorn..... Trish M
Box 953 Jos, Plateau State, Nigeria ~ Phone: 226-622-2671 (Jonathan) and 519-292-6683 (Janice)
email: jbarnhoorn@crncpartners.org

Kathleen Lauder Art & Mary N
House #81A Street 456, Sangkat Toul TongPoung1, Khan Camkarmorn, Phnom Penh Cambodia
email: klauder@worldrenew.net ~ skype: kathleen_lauder

Mark & Heather Knetsch..... Scott & Emily N
4629 Holly Brook Drive, Apex NC 27539 ~ email: pastormark@reslifenc.org ~ Phone: 919-482-2382

Serving Elders and Deacons for August:	Clara S Ryan R Janelle Z Eddy K	Serving Elders and Deacons for September:	Nanda Z Sid V Phil V Teresa W Dave M
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August Back West	Ushers Albert R	Serving in Foyer Aug 26 – Tyson R	Floating Greeters: Aug 26 – Roelie K
Back East	Ryan R	Sep 2 – Clara S	Sep 2 – Jane G
Back Centre	Alfred R	Sep 9 – Ryan R	Sep 9 – Jane G
Upstairs	Francis C	Sep 16 – Janelle Z	Sep 16 – Steve H

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Greeters	Margaret S & Betty D	Roelie K & Janet K
Coffee Servers	Bob & Grace S Bert & Ria B	Jake & Liesje S Keith & Denise V
Sound System	Tony V	John K
Power Point	Wes V	Tom D
Hall Monitor	Theresa D	Teresa R
Library	Alice N	Tracy D
Nursery	Lisa G Jennifer R Marg H Shawna R	Lauren R Bep V Yvonne D Reeghan R
Little Lambs	Sonia B Kees D	Melissa G Lucas R
Subs	Lauren R Reeghan R	Kim R Alanna P

Nursery Parents **August:** Tony & Amy; **September:** Eric & Tara

Bingo at the Terrace **Sep 5:** Lucy & Rita; **Sep 19:** Jane & Betty

Royal Terrace - 6:45 **Aug 26:** Ed K; **Sep 2:** Mary D; **Sep 9:** Reformed Church

Sermon Notes

