

Emmanuel Reformed Church

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Sunday, August 12, 2018



A CONGREGATION CALLED BY GOD

TRANSFORMING AND

BEING TRANSFORMED

"A warm welcome to guests"

Jacob London
Interim Pastor

The Entire Congregation
Ministers

Worship Celebrations:
Sunday 10:30 am

Sunday, August 12, 2018

WE APPROACH GOD

Prelude - Leo Cnossen

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (*Lamentations 3:22-24*)

L: The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;

P: his mercies never come to an end;

L: they are new every morning;

P: great is your faithfulness.

L: "The Lord is my portion," says my soul,

P: "therefore I will hope in him."

***SONGS OF APPROACH**

Psalm 108 (Verses 1,3,4,7) *to the tune of #433*

#300 - All Glory, Laud and Honour

COMMUNION PREPARATION - John DeJong

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Acts 3:19*)

P: "Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out."

[Silent Confession]

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (*Isaiah 1:18*)

L: Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord:
though your sins are like scarlet,
they shall be as white as snow;
though they are red like crimson,
they shall become like wool.

OPENING PRAYER - PRAYERS FOR OTHERS - THE LORD'S PRAYER

***SONGS OF PRAISE**

#540 - My Hope Is in the Lord

TO HEAR HIS WORD

PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

SCRIPTURE - Luke 22:7-13 [*p. 1131*]

Reader: Pat Pluister

SERMON - Jesus Prepares the Final Passover - Jacob London

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

AND RESPOND TO HIS WORD

OFFERTORY PRAYER – OFFERING

* #816 - We Give Thee But Thine Own

***BENEDICTION**

***CLOSING SONG**

Now Blessed Be Jehovah God - *to the tune of #43*

** Indicates where congregation is to stand, if able.*

Please join us downstairs after the service for refreshments and fellowship.

Sermon Notes

ERC THIS WEEK

Sun	12th	Sunday School 9:30 am Worship Service 10:30 am
Mon	13th	
Tues	14th	
Wed	15th	Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm NO Bible Study
Thu	16th	
Fri	17th	
Sat	18th	
Sun	19th	Sunday School 9:30 am Worship Service 10:30 am Rev. Honken leading; Matthew Senior preaching Communion Library open after service



PRAYER CORNER

Carly Hippern	Fred Hippern
Mina Trachsler	Allan Blake
Nelly VandenBrink	Janet VanderMeulen
John & Hennie Ryken	Margaret Duivesteyn

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

James 5:16 (LEB) Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The effective prayer of a righteous person accomplishes much.

**Gordon & Judy Ross
John & Hennie Ryken
Harry Sijthiklaas**

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

SCHEDULE CHANGE: This week there will be no Bible study this Wednesday, August 15. Prayer meeting will be at 7:00 pm.

CHURCH BARBECUE: We will be having a church barbecue luncheon after the service next week, August 19th. All food and drinks will be provided; all we'll need are some willing hands to help with setup and cleanup.

PASTOR HONKEN VISIT: Rev. Al Honken will lead the service on August 19th (Jacob is out of town; Matthew Senior will be preaching), and will be joining us also on August 26th, Lord willing.

MISSIONARY UPDATES: There are new newsletters from Peter Ford and John Lokeno, as well as an update from the area of Bangladesh in which Daniel Marma works. These are posted in the Fellowship Hall.

NEW ADDRESS: Paul and Carly Hippern have a new address as of August 4th. Please update your directory. Their new address is 107 - 90 Waller Street, Whitby, ON L1R 2B7. Their cell phone numbers remain the same.

BIBLE READERS NEEDED: We are down to 3 Scripture readers on the regular Sunday list. If you're willing to be on the schedule, please speak with Tricia.

RIDE FOR THE GATE: Mark your calendar - this year's charity bike ride for Gate 3:16 is scheduled for Saturday, September 22.

UPDATE: After being in the Oshawa hospital 4 months, Janet VanderMeulen is now at the Bowmanville hospital. Visitors are allowed.

After 2 months in the Oshawa hospital, Grietje VanderMeulen is now at Abbey Lawn Manor, 534 Rodd Ave, Pickering.

Party Time! You are invited to help Wilma Verhoog celebrate another year the Lord has blessed her with. Date: Thursday August 23rd from 11:00 to 3:00. Come for coffee, stay for lunch. Location: daughter Rita's home @ 80 Victoria Corners Rd. Sunderland. Please RSVP by August 21st if you are attending -- rverhoog@ruralwave.ca or you can call/text at 905-904-2100. Hope to see you!

RETIREMENT PARTY: Bethel Reformed Church in Brantford will be holding a retirement party for Pastor Abram Blaak, Sunday August 26, 2:00-4:00 pm in the church hall. At 2:30 will be a sharing of memories & expressions. A light luncheon and refreshments will be provided.

Treasurer's Report through July 31		
	July	2018
General Offerings:	\$8,965.00	\$53,449.01
Other General Income:	\$481.95	\$4,041.23
Total General Income:	\$9,446.95	\$57,490.24
Average Weekly Income:	\$1,889.39	\$1,916.34
Average Weekly General Budget: \$2,197.00		
Missions through July 31: \$3,333.25 (\$9,486.75 needed)		

Welcome Greeters

Aug 12 Kevin & Tricia Groeneveld

Aug 19 Ken & Joanne Reinsma

Aug 26 Kryn & Anne Duivesteyn

Sep 2 Leo Crossen & Marinus Rensink

Scripture Readers

Aug 12 Pat Pluister

Aug 19 TBD

Aug 26 Jacob London

Sep 2 Susan Duivesteyn

Coffee Fellowship

(An extended list may be found at ercwhitby.com/announcements)

Aug 12 Ken & Joanne Reinsma with Marinus Rensink

Aug 19 Bill & Kathy Wielinga with Mina Trachsler

Aug 26 Garry & Cathy Warren with Jane Van Slageren

Sep 2 Neil & Ann VanStaveren with Pat Pluister

Nursery Helpers

Aug 12 Trudy Van Staveren

Aug 19 John DeJong

Aug 26 Joanne Verhoog

Sep 2 Elizabeth VandenBos

PowerPoint Operators

Aug 12 Paul Hippert

Aug 19, 26; Sep 2 Tricia Groeneveld

We thank everyone who takes the time to share God's love by assisting at the church. If you're unable to meet your commitment, please arrange for somebody to take your place and inform the list manager and the office as soon as possible.