

[WELCOME] We are glad you are here! At Fleetwood CRC we believe that God is calling us to **reach up** to Him in worship and prayer, **reach in** to each other for learning, fellowship and accountability, and **reach out** to our community with God's love. May you be blessed by your time here, and leave reminded of God's love for you.

[NEW TO FLEETWOOD CRC?] The order of our service reflects the Reformed tradition of which we are a part. Our worship is centred on Word and sacrament: every week we hear the Scriptures, **God's Word** is preached, and we celebrate the sacrament of the **Lord's Supper** together monthly. The **Christ candle** at the front of the Sanctuary reminds us of Christ's presence.

Please fill out a **communication card** in your pew and place it in the offering basket at the back doors. This is so we can get in touch with you and get you connected to our church community.

[CHILDREN'S CHURCH] Will break for summer. Activity bags are available in the fellowship hall. Children age 3 - Grade 3 are invited forward for a brief children's time prior to our Sunday sermon.

[CHILDREN FOR CHRIST] C4C for children Grade 4-7 will break for the summer months.

[NURSERY] Available upstairs over the summer for infants, toddlers and preschoolers to age 5. Each parent is provided with a pager for a call-back if necessary.

[PRAYER] If you are looking for a quiet, space for prayer, please feel free to use the prayer room upstairs overlooking the sanctuary. If you would like **someone to pray with you**, a member of our prayer team would love to meet you for prayer at the right of the stage after the service. If you would like to submit a prayer request to our prayer team email prayer@fleetwoodcrc.org.

[SMALL GROUPS] To join a small group, start a new one, or wonder a bit more about the place of small groups in the Christian life, please contact a pastor or our church office administrator.

[DAILY PRAYER] God, we praise you for your love, your power, your grace, your mercy, your word. As we fix our eyes on you amidst all sorts of fears in this world, "We trust in you and we shall not be afraid." In Jesus' name, Amen.

Fleetwood CRC is led by a Council of Elders and Deacons along with staff. If you have a pastoral need or would like to talk to someone confidentially, we encourage you to contact one of the Pastors, Elders, or church office. Our passion is to connect deeply with those around us, to encourage each other to trust Jesus more and more, and to help each other become the people God is calling us to be.

CHAIR OF COUNCIL: Gil Vergilio

VICE CHAIR: John Bron **CLERK:** Henk Van Andel

DEACON REP TO ADMIN: Linda Knopp

MEMBER AT LARGE: Donna Klomps

CHAIR OF DEACONS: Michael Milankovics

REACHING UP: *Elders* - Joyce Van Ravenstein, Case Van Dop, *Deacon* - Manny Valoma

REACHING IN: *Elders* - Donna Klomps, Jim Tolsma, Jan Rooker, *Deacon*—Tim Yzerman

Visiting Elders: Wilma Gleddie, Beatrice Vanderbos, Joyce Klomps, Wendy Hanschke

REACHING OUT: *Elder* - Margaret Verkaik, *Deacon* Joe Milankovics, Michael Milankovics

[HOW TO GET INVOLVED] Members and guests are encouraged to participate in the ministries of the church. Our pastors would be happy to meet with you to determine where your gifts would best fit in our community. Information about weekly activities/ events can be found in our bulletin & on the website.

[OFFICE HOURS] 9am - 4pm Monday - Friday

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Title: No Fear With God



Service Time: 10am

Scripture: Psalm 56

Date: July 14, 2024

[CHURCH FAMILY UPDATES]

Prayers and congratulations to **Eric Talstra and Eden Tuada** who were united in Christian marriage on Saturday, July 6, 2024. *"May our God bless you with His gifts of faithful love and lasting joy in your new life together."*

Prayers of gratitude to those who volunteered at Gleaners this past week. Thank you for all those who offer their time and talents, joining ministries to bring hope, and compassion to others in need. Remember those in our congregation who are sick, those living with debilitating illness, those who are homebound and those who grieve. Lord we are reminded that You know them by name. We pray for Your strength and comfort, that they may feel the presence of your Holy Spirit surrounding them. Please keep **Tina DeRuiter, Bill Lucas, Albert Vandermey, his son Jim, Bert, Coby, Peter and Evelyn Busink, Sophie Ensing, & Terry Van Dorp** in prayer.

Pray God provide peace and comfort to worried hearts. Pray our heavenly Father provide strength where there is weakness, hope where there is suffering, joy where there is sorrow and peace to those in fear.

Please pray for families having to make hard decisions regarding medical care for their loved ones. As we are faced with hard decisions, pray we may seek our Lord first, knowing He will put all the pieces into place.

Pray for our church, our council, ministry leaders and volunteers. Pray that the Holy Spirit guide us be the church God wants us to be in Fleetwood. As many families are on summer holidays, pray for safety in their travels and that the Lord may bless their time together with joy.

[ENCOURAGEMENT & THANKS]

Prayers of gratitude and gratefulness to all who participated, volunteered and contributed their time to Camp Firelight this past week. It was a good week of togetherness and we pray that the good news of Jesus Christ was shared and received to those in attendance. Pray they will know that if *"We trust in God, we shall not be afraid."* Psalm 56:3

[TODAY'S OFFERING]

FCRC SUMMER OUTREACH INTERNS: This offering supports the work of Seth Schouten and Abby Lewis, our summer interns, as they organize and implement church and community-based programs. Seth and Abby's work inspires and helps us as a congregation to reach out, love, and work alongside our neighbours for the benefit of our community. This offering helps supplement the Canada Summer Jobs (Gov't of Canada) grant we received this summer. You may give your offering to the church or [online](#).

[OFFERINGS FOR JULY 2024]

JULY 7: World Renew

JULY 14: FCRC Summer Outreach Interns

JULY 21: Pregnancy Options Center

JULY 28: The Well (*Kelowna*)

[THIS WEEK AT FLEETWOOD CRC]

SUN, JULY 14: Worship 10am (*in-person and online*)

MON, JULY 15: Drop In Soccer 7pm @ Woodland Park Elementary School

WED, JULY 17: AA Action Group 7pm

[COMING UP]

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP: This Sunday morning is a child-friendly service in celebration of the completion of our week of Camp Firelight. Keeping with our VBS theme, Pastor Justin will share a message from Psalm 56 and how trusting in God calms our fears. Join us for popsicles after the service

PLEASE NOTE: Pastor Justin will be on holidays beginning July 15 through August 4th. Should you need pastoral assistance or have pastoral concerns, please reach out to your elder. Pastor Natasha is away July 15-17 and Jennifer will be on vacation from July 15-20. If you need administrative assistance please contact Sarah at sverkaik@fleetwoodcrc.org. Please note that office hours may vary so please call the church office in advance to ensure availability.

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP: Children's Church is on break for the summer. Children are invited to use the activity bags located in the fellowship hall. If you are a guest with us this morning, there are bags labelled "guest" to share with your children. Our nursery is available to preschoolers to age 5, over the summer

months and they are welcome to come upstairs after the children's message.

BABY SHOWER: Join us in celebrating parents to be **Natasha and Yemi** in a potluck style baby shower on **Saturday, July 27 from 10-Noon** at Fleetwood CRC. If you would like to RSVP please email Jennifer in the office. This will help to know how many to set up for. To contribute to this shower, please bring a brunch item to share, or if you wish to give a gift, visit their unique registry <https://www.encorebabyregistry.com/registry/natashas-baby/>. All are welcome.

MONDAY NIGHT SOCCER: Join us Monday, July 15 at 7pm at Woodland Park Elementary School. All ages and skill levels welcome!

[COMMUNITY NEWS]

1LIFE NEWSLETTER: Please take a moment to read a copy of [1Life Foundation's latest newsletter](#). Find many opportunities and events to consider.

THE CALVIN UNIVERSITY JANUARY SERIES is back in July and returns with weekly lectures: ~ **July 17:** "The Story of Trees on Campus" with Calvin University Grounds Director Bob Speelman. ~ **July 24:** "The Intersection of Academics and Athletics" with Chemistry Professor Chad Tatko and Head Football Coach Trent Figg. As a reminder, **the summer series is pre-recorded and released at noon EST.** These talks will remain on Calvin's [website](#) through the end of July and then will be accessible on their [YouTube channel](#). Get ready to enrich your summer road trip, make a rainy-day plan, or simply watch whenever you want to learn something new.

LEADING IN WORSHIP - JULY 14, 2024

A/V BOOTH: Eric V. (*Sound*), Reuben V.

(*Camera*), Ronia P. (*Projection*) **MUSIC:** Natasha V. (*Piano*), Seth S. (*Guitar*), Manny V. (*Drums*),

Ingrid C. (*Vocals*) **PREACHER:** Justin Roukema