



# WILLOWDALE WEEKLY

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## Today's 2<sup>nd</sup> Offering - Institute for Christian Studies

**Pastor Search Team:** Dear congregation, mid-November and Pastor Joel's leaving will be here before we know it.... If you have nominations for Pastor Search Team members, please send your nominations to Henry Eygenraam (henryeygenraam@gmail.com) or 905-477-3635.

**Note from Alana:** Hi everyone, just a quick reminder, starting on Friday, September 21 my office hours will change from mornings to afternoons. I plan to be in the office from approximately 12:30 – 4:00 p.m. every Friday, and as needed (by appointment) throughout the week. As always, if there is anything you need from me administratively, please do not hesitate to email: office@willowdalecrc.com or you may also call or text: 647 889 8508. I am happy to serve at WCRC! – Alana

**New 2018/2019 WCRC Directory:** Dear Willowdale, a new print directory is in the works! The directory is a great tool to connect with your church family, and we would like everyone to be included. For the next 3 Sundays (September 16, 23 & 30) please check the folders in the Narthex to make sure your contact information is correct, if all is well with your entry simply leave a check mark. If corrections are needed please make the edits next to your name. If your name and contact information are missing, and you would like to be included in the new directory, please add your information to the back page of the folder. If you have any questions please speak to Gerard Duiker or Alana Yoneyama – office@willowdalecrc.com

**Men's Wednesday Morning Bible Study:** The Men's Wednesday morning Bible study will recommence on Wednesday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 a.m. All welcome!

**College & Careers:** We'll kick-off our fall season with Pizza & Games at Adrian & Suanne's on Wednesday, September 19 at 7:00 p.m. If you are between the ages of 18-30, please join us! Bring a favourite board game if you have one or just come and enjoy a relaxing evening with us. Check out the Willowdale CRC College and Careers Facebook page for more info about this event and the C&C.

**Congregational Potluck Lunch:** On Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> after the morning worship service, everyone is invited to participate in our 3<sup>rd</sup> of 4 previously scheduled potluck lunches (see note on the bulletin board). Plan to bring a dish to share, homemade or store bought, and enjoy some food and fellowship! This is a great time to invite a friend.

## Birthday this week:

September 16 — Matin Nilforoushan

September 17 — Franklin Guillaume

September 18 — Eric Voss

September 21 — Audrey Killer

**WCRC Women's Retreat:** Please submit your registration for the woman's retreat by September 17. This can be done by phone or online. Forms still available from WilmaJoy.

**Youth Group - Nachos & Gym Games:** Youth Group is alive and well at Willowdale CRC! Join us at Willowdale Christian School, on Tuesday, October 9 at 7:00 p.m., for nachos and gym games. If you are in grades 5-12 and would like to join us please email Alana and Catherine at wrcyouth@gmail.com – Friends are always invited!

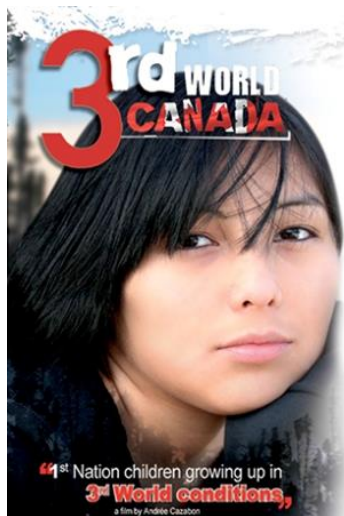
**2018 Boerenkool Fundraising Dinner – Tickets are ready:** Spread the word! On Saturday, October 13 Willowdale CRC will host its biannual Boerenkool Fundraising Dinner at Willowdale Christian School (doors open at 5:45 p.m. – dinner service starts at 6:00 p.m.!) This year all proceeds will go to the Huisman family (education fund), you can learn all about their mission by visiting their blog: [www.levenstekens.nl/en/](http://www.levenstekens.nl/en/) Tickets are on sale now until September 30! \$20 per adult, \$15 for children 12 and under, children under 3 years old are free! To purchase your tickets please speak to Cathy de Peuter, Willy Martens or email the office: office@willowdalecrc.com

**NeighbourLink Service Opportunity - Senior's Internet Café:** Are you savvy with computer technology and software applications? Can you navigate Facebook, Instagram or Gmail? Do you enjoy meeting new people and sharing your knowledge with others? If yes, NeighbourLink North York invites you to participate in the rollout of the Senior's Internet Cafe, a program designed to connect seniors with technology and with youth and young adults who know all about it. Volunteers are needed to assist seniors in understanding how to access their computer and navigate familiar social media accounts. Some key roles are Lead Instructors, Training Assistants as well as Technology and Logistics. Training will be provided. For more information, please speak to Beth Little.

**Kids Corner:** WHERE'S YOUR MANNERS? PART 1 - When Miss Manners comes to town for a reality show about manners, the kids all try to win the contest. But the winner is a surprise for everyone. Subscribe for free at [getkidscorner.com](http://getkidscorner.com).

**Racial Justice Film Night:**

3 suicides leave 8 siblings orphaned in Kitchenuhmaykoosib Inninuwug, Ontario. The documentary film "Third World Canada" ([www.thirdworldcanada.ca/](http://www.thirdworldcanada.ca/)) tells their story. Classis Toronto Race Relations Committee and Holland Marsh CRC invite you to come and view this 2010 film followed by a post-film discussion on Sunday September 30 at 6:00 p.m. at the church (18935 Dufferin Street Newmarket). Light refreshments will follow. For more information contact Rev. Richard Bodini 289-338-9678.

**From Back to God Ministries International:**

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](http://familyfire.com). Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

**Calling all Quilters:** The Christian Reformed Church in North America recently renovated its Canadian office. We think a quilt - put together by CRC members from across North America - would be a great addition to one of the rooms. If you'd be willing to put together a block for our quilt, please visit <https://bit.ly/2x3GKJs> for the pattern and additional information. You can also email Sheila Van Der Linden at [sheila@theyequilter.com](mailto:sheila@theyequilter.com).



**I Am Not My Own - Tour Support:** Jeremy Benjamin Zeyl and his family (wife and two children, ages 9 and 5) are returning to Ontario after crossing Canada for the last 5 months on the I Am Not My Own worship & mission tour with CRCNA and World Renew. The tour will continue until May 2019, culminating at the CRC Canadian National Gathering in Edmonton. For the winter months, the Zeyl clan is in need of a home to stay in (November 15, 2018 - April 15, 2019) somewhere in southern Ontario, to continue the fundraising tour from a single, central location. Do you have a home or know of a home that will be vacant for this period or for part of it? Please contact Jeremy's wife, Lara Schat-Zeyl ([lschat@hotmail.com](mailto:lschat@hotmail.com)). To follow along with their adventure, visit [www.iamnotmyown.org](http://www.iamnotmyown.org).

**Week at a Glance: September 16 – September 22**

Day	Time	Location	Event
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Sanctuary	Morning Worship
Monday	12:00 p.m.	Fellowship Hall	Senior's Exercise Class
	7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary	Joyfully Singing
Tuesday			
Wednesday	7:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study	Room #1
Thursday	9:45 a.m.	Fellowship Hall	Senior's Exercise Class
	7:00 p.m.	Toddler Room	Casual ESL Class

**Schedules****Nursery Volunteers**

Today	September 23
Wilma Joy Veenstra & Xanthe van Lingen	Alana Yoneyama & Aemilia Groot
<i>Reminder – please wait in the nursery until 10:15 a.m. to receive late arrivals – thank you!</i>	

**Coffee Servers**

Today	September 23
Miriam de Jong & Juan Rojo (setup only); Reinette & Graham du Preez (cleanup only); Peter Grauds (cleanup only)	Miriam de Jong & Juan Rojo (setup only); WilmaJoy Veenstra, Gerard Duiker, Carlos Gonzalez & Jenny Nossa (cleanup only)
<i>Reminder – coffee servers are to lock all outside doors – thank you!</i>	

**Second Offering**

Today	September 23
Institute for Christian Studies	NeighbourLink