



WILLOWDALE WEEKLY

Willowdale Christian Reformed Church

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September 25, 2022

Prayer Requests:

Please keep **Nancy's niece Avaleigh** (and her family) in your prayers, as they cope with her leukemia diagnosis. The treatment process will be minimum 2 years and there is a lot to figure out.

Please pray for **Alana's mother Ann**, she is recovering at home from her heart surgery from last week.

Please pray for our **1st offering** for our **church ministries and expenses**, faithful giving is a blessing to our whole church family.

Please pray for our **2nd offering** cause. NeighbourLink has embarked on some truly exciting and important programs in supporting our neighbours as they go through life transitions. Please help us assist our neighbours with your offering. See **The Bridge App** or visit <https://neighbourlink.org> for more information.

Online Giving e-Transfer Instructions: All e-Transfers should be remitted to the following email address - treasurer@willowdalecrc.com and please **use the following password – budget**. Full instructions are available on **The Bridge App**. If you have any further questions or concerns, please contact Mark VanHelden at treasurer@willowdalecrc.com or Cathy De Peuter at cathydepeuter@gmail.com. Thank you for supporting the church's operations budget!

Monday Evening Singing Circle: All are welcome every Monday evening, 7:00 - 8:15 p.m., in person, in the Sanctuary, for music, singing, and fellowship.

Help Needed on the Sound Team: We are in **urgent need of sound/Zoom/slide operators**. The time commitment would be **one Sunday per month**. Anyone can do this! Also, this qualifies for volunteer hours for students. If you are able to volunteer in this capacity, please speak to Nancy at the sound booth at the back of the church or contact Alana (office@willowdalecrc.com).

Birthdays:

September 29 — Rob C.

Preaching Schedule:

September 25 — Rev. Lesli Van Milligen

October 2 — Rev. Lesli van Milligen

October 9 — Rev. Lesli van Milligen

October 16 — Rev. Lesli van Milligen

October 23 — Rev. Tom van Milligen

October 30 — Pastor Syd Hielema

Zoom Host Schedule:

September 25 — Sonay S.

October 2 — John M.

October 9 — TBD

October 16 — Sonay S.

October 23 — Sonay S.

October 30 — Alana Y.

Willowdale Reading through the Bible in 10 months:

Dear Friends at Willowdale. Over the next ministry year the preaching team hopes to lead the congregation through a chronological reading of the Bible. The team will preach from highlights of the various books to help paint the picture of God's redemptive story.

We have **highlighted** texts that folks might want to read if they cannot read all of the texts.

Here are the texts for this week:

September 25 — Exodus 22-**24**

September 26 — Exodus 25-27

September 27 — Exodus 28-29

September 28 — **Exodus 30-32**

September 29 — **Exodus 33-35**

September 30 — Exodus 36-38

October 1 — Exodus 39-40

Committee Budget Requests: Dear committee and team leaders of Willowdale, please submit your budget requests for 2023 to the Operations Team by October 15, 2022.

From the Slide Preparation Team: Slide Team would love to have a new member (or two); if you're familiar with **PowerPoint** and have good **reading ability in English please consider joining our team**. Preparing the slides can take between 1 and 1.5 hours each week; and with a full team you would be scheduled about **once a month**. We also rotate checking slide decks that others prepare. If you are interested or want to learn more, please speak to Leanne Chuba.

We Need Your Help on Sunday Mornings: As mentioned we are in **need of more volunteer support** to continue providing meaningful worship and fellowship, in the church building and on Zoom. Please prayerfully consider how you can assist your church family this ministry year.

Areas with the most urgent need:

- Sound/Slides/Zoom support at the sound booth on Sundays (1 Sunday a month)
- Slide preparer team members (1 Sunday a month)
- Zoom Hosts (to be done from home 1 Sunday a month)

Please contact Alana Yoneyama and she will direct your inquiries to the appropriate team leaders (office@willowdalecrc, or at alana.yoneyama@willowdalecrc.com, or call 647-889-8508