



WILLOWDALE WEEKLY

Willowdale Christian Reformed Church

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Council Nominations: Dear Willowdale CRC congregation, we would like to announce that the process of recruiting new elders and deacons has begun again. If the Spirit prompts you, please send suggestions for nomination to John Meiboom at john.meiboom@gmail.com by today at 6:00 p.m. It is best to not first ask permission from the person before submitting their name. Not all names will be approached by council, since they will review the names based on who has the gifts that are needed at this time on council. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

Prayer Requests:

Please pray for **Cal Seerveld's daughter Anya**, as she continues the long journey of treatment for cancer.

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**, World Renew General Fund. Compelled by God's deep passion for justice and mercy, World Renew joins communities around the world to renew hope, reconcile lives, and restore creation. worldrenew.ca

New ZOOM Prayer Meeting: Dear Willowdale, Angie, Alana, and Hye-jin invite you all to attend a weekly ZOOM prayer meeting on Wednesday afternoons at 2:00 p.m. The ZOOM link will be sent out on Tuesday, April 30. If you have any prayer concerns to be shared at the meeting please send them to Alana: alana.yoneyama@willowdalecrc.com.

Wedding News!: Sahil and Grace invite you to attend their wedding ceremony on Sunday, May 5 at 6:00 p.m. at Willowdale CRC. Refreshments will follow.

Birthdays:

April 29 – Rozita Y.

Food and Faith Conversation: If you are between your mid-teens and early twenties, you are invited to join Pastor Greg for lunch after church today in the Sunday School Room. We will begin a series on faith formation and conversation together. This will take place after church for approximately one hour. Lunch will be provided. Mark your calendars for the remaining Food and Faith dates: May 12, 26, June 9, 16, 23.

Intercultural Gathering: Dear WCRC Congregation, We are excited to remind you that our next Intercultural learning and fellowship event and potluck will be held this evening from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the church. We hope you can join us and bring a cultural dish or dessert to share!

Part-Time Bookkeeper: Willowdale Christian Reformed Church (www.willowdalecrc.com) is looking for someone to fill the role of Bookkeeper on a part-time basis. The Bookkeeper plays an important role in ensuring regular invoice entry to support the timely payment of bills and recording in the accounting system (QuickBooks online) and supporting the Treasurer. Duties include entry of all regular utility bills, supplier invoices, visiting minister entries and other bookkeeping items including expense reimbursements / reconciliation. Additional duties may include HST filings, second collection disbursements, etc.

This is a part-time role for 2 – 3 hours per week and will report to the Treasurer. This role offers the flexibility to work remotely or in-office, but is required to work on-site at least twice per month to coordinate necessary paperwork, cheques, etc. Pay range is \$25 - \$30 per hour but will depend on experience level. Candidates are expected to have bookkeeping experience ideally within a non-profit / charity or church setting. If interested please contact Mark VanHelden, Treasurer, at 647-808-8264 or treasurer@willowdalecrc.com

Sunday School Request: The Sunday School Team is enjoying our time with the children in the church! And we are growing, which is a wonderful blessing. Currently, we have 2 teachers in the classroom each week and we are in need of a third pair of hands to help with the younger ones. We welcome any teenagers who would like to become involved to sign up for a few Sundays between now and mid-June. Please approach us on any Sunday or you can email us as well! Thank you!

Anita Kuipers - anitakuipers@rogers.com

Betty Carter - bettycarter316@gmail.com

Greeters Schedule:

April 28 – Ardi

May 5 – Rob

May 12 – Asal

May 19 – Kate & Joseph

May 26 – Suzanne

Coffee & Tea Serving Schedule:

April 28 - Ashkan, Kate & Joseph

May 5 - Toktam, Sylvie, Mahboubeh,

May 12 – Lydia, Sarah M., Suzanne, Cici Luy, Lin Lyu

May 19 - Alana, Ashkan, Hye-jin

May 26 - Potluck Sunday - Alana, Lydia

ZOOM Host Schedule:

April 28 – John

May 5 - Peter

May 12 - Peter

May 19 - Asal

May 26 - Alana