CONGREGATIONAL ASSISTANCE PLAN (CAP): Shalem Mental Health Network provides professional faith-based counselling services to our church through the CAP ministry. CAP usage is confidential and available to all congregants, at no cost for the first 6 sessions. To book an appt, or for more info, please call Shalem directly at: 905-528-0353, 1-866-347-0041, or text 289-335-3543, or email office@shalemnetwork.org.

HURON CAMPUS MINISTRY 50th Celebration: Did you know that Guelph Campus Ministry and Waterloo Campus Ministry were started as one ministry called Huron Campus Ministry that served students on the University of Guelph, University of Waterloo, and Wilfrid Laurier University campuses? This year is the 50th anniversary of the Huron Campus Ministry and we thought it was only fitting that we bring the three schools back together to celebrate! Our celebration will take place on October 14th and we are hoping to have a mix of current students, alumni, past and present staff, and supporters of both the Guelph Campus Ministry and Waterloo Campus Ministry. In addition to the general festivities which will be free and begin at 3pm there may also be an option to pay for a catered dinner following the event, at 5:30pm. Please reach out to hcm50th@gmail.com with any questions or if you are interested in attending. We can't wait to see you there!

SAVE THE DATE

HURON CAMPUS MINISTRY
50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION!

October 14, 2023 at 3pm
(Doors open at 2pm)
Water Street Church
(287 Water St, Guelph)

email hcm50th@gmail.com for details

GUELPH CAMPUS MINISTRY
& WATERLOO CAMPUS MINISTRY

CHURCH PICNIC 2023

RAIN, RAIN GO AWAY.....

WE ALMOST MADE IT RAIN FREE: As a church family we celebrated the end of another successful ministry season! But we did have to make a run for it when the sky opened up and dropped some rain. Thank you to everyone who contributed & supported our ministries.

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Jennings Creek Church Office Hours : **Wednesday 11-2:30; Thursday 9-3 & Friday 9-12:30**

JULY 2023

Jennings Creek
CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

belong. grow. serve.

This Issue

LORD'S SUPPER SERVICE SCHEDULE:
SEPT. 17TH, 2023

GROWING IN FAITH:
WE FINISHED OFF OUR MINISTRIES FOR THE SUMMER. THEY WILL RESUME AGAIN IN SEPTEMBER. HAVE A SAFE AND WONDERFUL SUMMER.

Family & Faith Formation Night: Wednesday's 7pm-8:30pm Youth Group; Adult Bible Study. Something for everyone & everyone is invited! Please feel free to bring a friend too! GEMS; Cadets now finished for the year. They will begin again in the fall.

Ladies Bible Study: Coffee Break every Thursday at 9:30am; Nursery is available. Feel free to bring a friend. (Sept. to May).

Odyssey takes place every 4th Sunday of the month. Youth are released after the Sermon. We will resume classes in Sept.

Something for everyone and everyone is welcome!

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:
Next council meeting will be held on Thursday, Sept 7th, 7:30pm. Council packets will be distributed on the Friday prior to the Council Meeting.

HELP JOHNATHAN GO TO CAMP

JOHNATHAN FRITZ is trying to raise funds to go to a Special Needs Summer Camp. He attends each year and looks forward to it, but this year he needs help raising the funds. If you are able to help Johnathan out, please contact Kim or Ernie Griffioen. Johnathan attends church with Kim & Ernie and is one of their fomer foster children. If you are comfortable to donate online you can do so at https://www.gofundme.com/f/send-johnathan-to-camp?utm_campaign=p_cp+share-sheet&utm_medium=social&utm_source=facebook, otherwise you can give your donation to **Kim or Ernie Griffioen**.

Monthly Finance Updates

OFFERING TOTAL RESULTS: JUNE 2023

Church Ministry Budget	$13,959.00
Special Offerings	
Worship Ministries	$356.40
Deacons	$650.00
Ukrainian Outreach ~ Deacons	$25.00
Property Purchase (204 Angeline St)	$2,700.00
Facility Rental Income	$350.00
Classical Appointment	$200.00
A Place Called Home	$119.00
BBB ~ Kawartha Lakes Pregnancy Centre	$451.85
Heritage Christian School	$100.00
Candidacy Committee	$382.40
Indigenious Ministry	$381.95
W/R Justice for All	$429.00
Diaconal Ministries	$200.00
W/R Women of Hope	$180.00
ReFrame Ministries	$170.00
Resonate Global Mission	$170.00
Kawartha Lakes Food Source	$50.00
Community Soup Kitchen	$50.00
Youth SERVE Project Funds	$250.00
Kawartha Mission	$400.00
TOTAL INCOME FOR JUNE	**$21,574.60**
YEAR-TO-DATE TOTAL	**$332,524.18**

This is the month in summary and includes Sunday morning Offerings, and Mays PAR & GIVE App totals.

Church Family

CELEBRATING GOD'S FAITHFULNESS: On July 13, 1952 we celebrated the birthday of Christian Reformed Church of Lindsay. A humble beginning with fourteen families, two Elders (K. Arends & G. Brinkman) also two Deacons (J. Wilms & A. Mosterd).
In 1953 the membership increased to 31 families. Council decided to buy the old Pentecostal Church on Cambridge St. for $10,000.
In 1961 the first official pastor, the Rev. Ringnalda, accepted the call, and a new building was planned with 62 families and an official opening of January 25, 1962.
In the twenties the name Lindsay was changed to Jennings Creek Christian Reformed Church.
Today, many churches are under pressure from worldly ideas and rights, casing splits and disunity in families and churches. Let us pray for harmony and love for His Church.

~ submitted by Jake Griffioen

AUGUST NEWSLETTER:
If you have something that you would like to share with the congregation, please submit to the church office. Deadline for contributions is the Thursday (9:00am) prior to the end of the month. The Newsletter will be distributed on the 1st Sunday of the month to update everyone on what is going on in our church, community and beyond.

KAWARTHA MISSION has a request for your involvement. We are looking for someone to help with delivering the goods to Canadian Food For Children in Mississauga.
As time goes on, it is becoming more difficult for Bill Buwalda to be available when it's time to deliver our shipments.
We have a town bus that we load up at least once a month with boxes etc. of items that are sent to the needy throughout the world by way of CFFC.
This is not a paying job, it is a volunteer position.
God has blessed KM beyond our expectations and your help would be a way for you to be part of this ministry.
Please contact **Bill Buwalda** at **705-799-7708** to get more information.

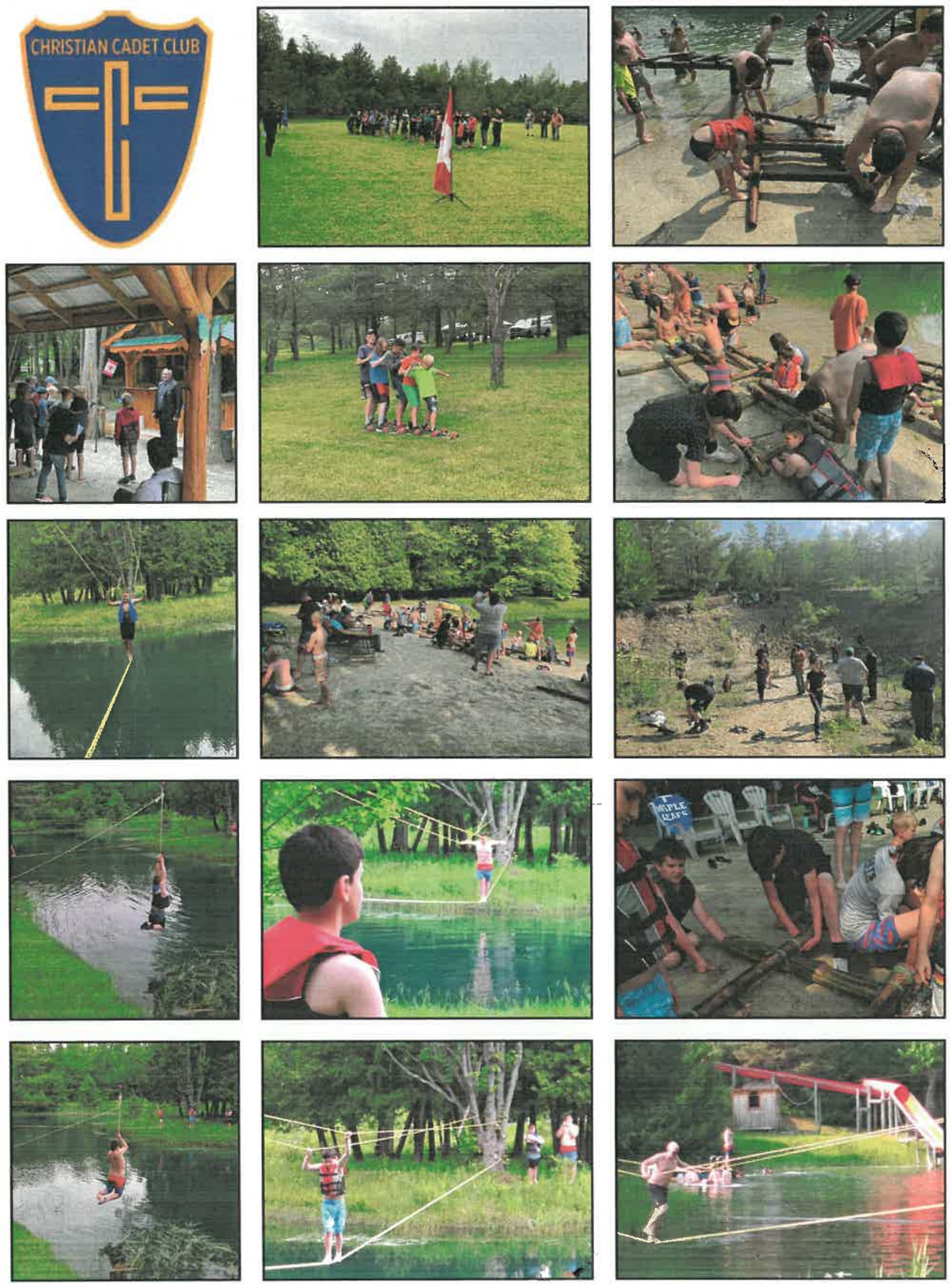
HERITAGE UPDATE:
Gift card profits for the month of **June** were **$1,605.38**

If you would like to purchase gift cards or would like more information, please contact **Hank Bossema at 705-328-2061**.

DURHAM CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL has four Job opportunities:
1. Part-time Teacher Position
2. Cobourg Van Driver
3. Peterborough Van Driver
4. ESL Instructor

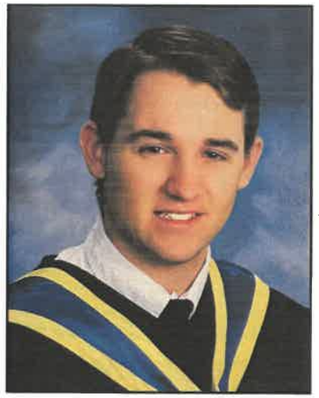
Interested applicants should follow the directions in the posts, and can message ***Ms. Marcus*** for more information at principal@dchs.com
Durham Christian High School
www.dchs.com
PH: 905-623-5940
www.whychristianschools.ca. This post was emailed out via the congregational email list and there is a copy posted outside of the church office.

CADET CAMPING 2023



CADETS CAMPING 2023: We started the weekend off on the wet side. Thankfully we had our large tarp up before the storm came, which we sat under for the next two hours waiting for it to pass. Just under 60 cadets in attendance this year. And a great bunch of young men I have to say. The boys intermingled well with each other (between groups) more so noticeable than years past. I'm not the only councillor to take notice. Certainly nice to see. Pastor Molenar from Port Perry came out Sunday at noon to lead our Sunday worship. He gave us all the message of importance who or what we want to be. Short version, do we want to make a stand, and anchor our selves in Christ. No major injuries took place, and everyone went home safe. Another great camp out!

POST SECONDARY SCHOOL GRADS 2023



WESLEY GEERLINKS
Graduated from Queen's University with a Bachelor of Health Sciences Degree (Honours). He has accepted a position as a research associate for Canadian Cancer Trial Group.

Queen's University

MADISON THALEN
Graduated from Acadia University with a Bachelor of Education in Elementary Education. Future plans are to teach lower elementary once she has moved back home to Ontario.

ACADIA UNIVERSITY

ELI ALBERS
Graduated from Durham College with a Crane Operation, Rigging and Construction Techniques Diploma. He is currently working at Kawartha Lakes Farm Service while he works towards a career in Craning.

DURHAM COLLEGE
SUCCESS MATTERS

ADIRANA KOORNNEEF
Graduated from Dordt College with a Masters of Education in School Leadership.
She is continuing to teach grade 5/6 at Heritage Christian School.

DORDT COLLEGE

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR GRADUATES!

May blessings follow you through life wherever Christ may lead you. May love be right beside you, and joy and peace precede you. May God's Word light your path each day while grace and patience guide your way.

Lord God,
We ask for your almighty hand to be upon all of our graduates today.
Bless their lives from this day on with goodness and love.
Help them to stay true to their dreams, to use their gifts wisely, and to walk into the future with faith, hope and great love.
Amen.

PRIMARY GRAD 2023

CHARLOTTE McKAGUE
Graduated from Kindergarten. All the best in Grade 1 Charlotte!

ELEMENTARY GRADS 2023

17 But ***the Lord stood at my side and gave me strength,***
so that through me the message might be fully
proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it.
And I was delivered from the lion's mouth.
2 Timothy 4:17 NIV

OUR HCS GRADUATES
GRADS: We celebrate the graduation of Emily Mitchell, Kahle Tamsma, Lianne Bons & Martine Bons.
Lianne Bons was voted Valedictorian!

HIGH SCHOOL GRADS 2023

SUMMER BANDSTRA
Graduated from I. E. Weldon. She will be attending Durham College for Prehealth and she will decide from there if she wants to be a Nurse or Dietitian.

I.E. Weldon S.S.

MICAH vanSTRATEN
Graduated from St. Thomas Aquinas.
He will be pursing his Real Estate License this upcoming year.

St. Thomas Aquinas

MICHAEL GREIDANUS
Graduated from St. Thomas Aquinas.
He is heading to Trent University for Physical Mathematics next year.

St. Thomas Aquinas

CONNOR McDERMOTT
Graduated from St. Thomas Aquinas.
He plans to pursue agriculture and the trades.

St. Thomas Aquinas

BRAM BONS
Graduated from St. Thomas Aquinas.
He plans to continue to work on the family farm.

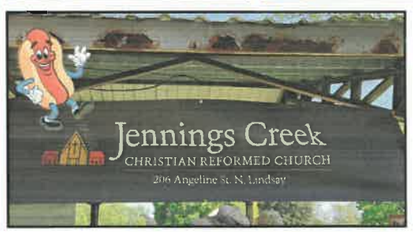
St. Thomas Aquinas

MADELYN VANHALTEREN
Graduated from Durham Christian High School.
She plans to work for a year, do as much hiking as possible! Future plans are possibly military.

Durham Christian

HOTDOGS IN THE PARK
Was a HUGE Success!

Thank you to EVERYONE who came out to make this event happen.
We couldn't have done it without any of you!
Thank you Augusta Ray for coming all this way to perform for us!



FOOD, FACEPAINTING, MUSIC & FUN!