

Voice of Hope

January 1, 2012

WELCOME TO HOPE CHURCH



May you experience God's love with us today. Please join us for a time of fellowship and refreshments after the service.

SUNDAY SERVICE

10:30am – Pastor Bernhard VanderVlis

Comfort, Comfort Now My People

Opening Words & Greeting

Seek Ye First

Hungry

Children's Time

"Through the Eyes of John the Baptist"

In Christ Alone

Offering

Prayers for Renewal & Rededication:

- **For ourselves**
Create in me a Clean Heart
- **For our church**
Spirit Touch Your Church
- **For our community**
Servant Song
- **For our world**
Make me a Channel of Your Peace

Benediction

There is a Redeemer

**GOD'S FAITHFULNESS IN THE YEAR
PAST GIVES US CONFIDENCE FOR
THE YEAR TO COME.**

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR KIDS TODAY

Nursery up to 3 years old

(Dropped off prior to the Service)

Game Day for ages 4 – grade 2

(Dismissed after children's message)

To Know and to Show the Love of Jesus!

NEXT SUNDAY Ivan will bring us God's Word. Pastor Bernhard has the day off. Also, next Sunday, there will be an affirmation vote on the nominees for Pastoral Elders. The lot process will take place on Sun January 15.

A reminder that next Sunday will also begin the process of Ministry Pledging for the coming year of activities at Hope Church.

OUR OUTREACH MINISTRY

TONY & MARY DEKOTER

You can check out the latest pictures and updates from The DeKoters at their on-line web-log: tmdekoter.blogspot.com or e-mail them at haiti@dekoter.name

WYCLIFFE INTERNATIONAL

Jonathon & Janice Barnhoorn and Family
Serving Nigeria through Bible translation

WHO DO I CALL?

Chairs of Council

Ernie Jongkind, Co-Chair (705-439-3902)
Pete Kooger, Co-Chair (905-985-2140)

Pastoral Care Coordinator

John Molenaar (705-357-3339)

Cheer Committee

Joanne Molenaar (705-357-3339)

Chair of Deacons

Henry Wielinga (905-985-6715)

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David Vernest (905-982-0211)

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Mary Lou Molenaar (705-357-1282)
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Alie Klei (905-986-5856)



Church Office Hours:

Pastor Bernhard will be available in the office
Tuesdays & Wednesdays from 10am - 4pm
and Thursdays from 10am - 1pm.

If these times don't work for you, please feel
free to give him a call (905-985-9307)

bvandervlis@yahoo.com

Janice is in the office on
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays
from 9:00am – 2:00pm (905) 985-9307

Please submit bulletin info by noon, Wed.

If you would like to add a prayer request,
contact Karen Bruinsma (905-985-4485)
or e-mail rkbruinsma@gmail.com

www.hopeforportperry.com

FROM THE PASTORAL ELDERS

PASTORAL ELDERS: Ed Deurwaarder,
John & Femmie Feddema, John & Betty Hamelinck,
John Molenaar, Bas & Linda van Anel

ELDER PRAYER DISTRICT LISTS Each week
you are asked to pray for an Elder and the
families on their list. If you have any pastoral
questions or concerns, please call an Elder.

**Please pray for Prayer District #6
Pastoral Elder Ed Deurwaarder**



PRAYER CHAIN Please
contact Karen Bruinsma to
add a request to the EMAIL
prayer chain or to be
included on the list. Please
call (905-985-4485) or
rkbruinsma@gmail.com

FROM THE DEACONS

DEACONS: John Bandstra, Emma Brouwer,
Hiddy Kooger, Diana Kuipers, Henry Wielinga

GIFTS FROM THE HEART

This week's collection is for:

Gate 3:16

Next week's collection is for:

Redeemer

Thank you for your Christmas Gift!

In 2012, your Christmas Day gift to CRWRC is
making a real difference among those who live
daily with poverty, disease, and oppression.

CRWRC can bring help and hope to people in
need around the world because you gave.
Thank you for generously sharing God's great
work of love in the world through your tithes
and offerings last week. Happy New Year!

People are so worried about what they eat
between Christmas and the New Year, but they
really should be worried about what they eat
between the New Year and Christmas.
(Author Unknown)

CHRISTIAN REFORMED WORLD MISSIONS OUTREACH

GO: Equipping Churches for Global Outreach

CRWM INVITES YOU

to a special event taking place in Brighton **Sat February 11, 2012.** For



anyone interested in the work of missions and would like to attend, see the bulletin board in the fellowship hall. For further details, please contact Jake Haak 905-985-0368

THE MARRIAGE COURSE

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND, fresh from our fall session, "The Marriage Course" will be running again at Hope Church starting **Tues January 24th for 8 consecutive weeks.**

There is a cost of \$20/couple for course materials. Arrive for refreshments at 6:45; we start promptly at 7pm and finish by 9:00.

Once again, the course is facilitated by Nick & Elaine Stevens, and Bas & Linda van Anel. Let any one of us know if you're interested. Note: no public sharing of information.

This is a great opportunity to spend time together as a couple looking at the important issues in your marriage.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

YOU ARE INVITED TO AN ORGAN, PIANO & FLUTE RECITAL **Tues January 10th at 7pm in Whitby.** William Jones will be performing on both the piano and organ, along with Glenda VanHarmelen on the flute. Mark your calendars and don't miss this evening of musical entertainment at Durham Christian Homes, 200 Glen Hill Dr. South. Note that there is plenty of parking behind our building and you may also gain entrance to our buildings from the back parking lot.



- ♡ Thank God for the healing granted for both Barb and Grace. Remember them both as they continue to heal at home.
- ♡ Pray also for others who struggle with depression, loneliness, or long term illnesses that they may feel God's presence in a new way.
- ♡ Pray for David & Evelyn as they make their way to Edmonton, Alberta and to start the next phase of their lives there.
- ♡ Pray for the DeKoters as they anticipate returning to Haiti. May God give them a renewed sense of vision for their work. Also pray for the Barnhoorns in Nigeria as they are separated from family during this season. Pray for meaningful contacts with people, that these may lead to new friendships and ministry opportunities.
- ♡ Thank God that Daniel returned home safely from his recent work in Tanzania and subsequent visit with his brother Jonathan in Nigeria.
- ♡ Pray for all those who lead the various activities at Hope Church; for wisdom and vision, for a renewed sense of energy, and a sense of excitement for the challenges and opportunities in the coming year.

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CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday Jan 1 Service, 10:30am
Sunday Jan 8 Service 10:30am