Sunday August 20, 2017

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

EXODUS REMIXED

THE WELCOME OF CREATION
Welcome and Call to Worship
Song: "This Is My Father's World" #21
God's Greeting
Scripture readings and song (alternating):
Song: "The Steadfast Love of the Lord" #347
Sunday School (ages 3 - 5)

GOD'S REDEMPTION
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Song: "Not What My Hands Have Done" #624
Communion Songs:
"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" #538
"Lift Up Your Hearts unto the Lord" #844
"One Bread, One Body" #835

Prayer of Thanksgiving

GOD MAKES A WAY IN THE DESERT TOWARDS THE PROMISED LAND
Song: "Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer" #443
Prayer Litany based on the Ten Commandments of Exodus 20

Sermon: Exodus
Prayer of the People
Song: "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" #465
Scripture Reading: Exodus 33:12-34
Offering: Calvin's Ministries & Classis Eastern Canada Safe Church Counselling Fund
Offering Song "Amazing Grace" #691

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will be for Safe Church Ministry which equips congregations in abuse awareness, prevention, and response. For more info see safechurchnetwork.org

Next week’s offering

is for Faith Formation Ministries. This is a non-profit organization that develops and produces church school curriculum and other study material for people of all ages, as well as resources for worship and church development. For more information see www.crcna.org/resources/faith-Alive-christianresources. The money collected will go towards increasing our Ministry Share contribution for this cause.

Please make your cheques payable to Calvin CRC.

WORLD RENEW

Position Opening in Honduras - Are you a bilingual (English and Spanish) skilled leader with a gift for developing cross-cultural ministry strategies and policies? Do you have experience in providing oversight and direction to staff and partners on community development projects? World Renew, an agency of the Christian Reformed Church in North America (CRCNA), has a full time opening for a Country Consultant based in Honduras. For information, or to apply, please visit our website at www.worldrenew.net/careers. Application deadline is Sept 3, 2017.

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Project Manager Opportunity in Burlington - Are you an experienced Project Manager and passionate about developing and submitting detailed funding proposals in a disaster response context? If so, this could be the role for you. World Renew, an agency of the Christian Reformed Church in North America (CRCNA), has a full time opening for a Project Manager on the International Disaster Response team, based in Burlington, Ontario, Canada. Please visit our website at www.worldrenew.net/careers for more information, or to apply.

O Lord, our Lord,
How majestic is your name in all the earth!
Proverbs 8:1