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CLASSIS EASTERN CANADA of the Christian Reformed Church

Dixon Corners Community Christian Reformed Church

October 19-20, 2018

CEC MINUTES

Classis meeting officers

Chair: Rev. Ken Gehrels; Vice: Rev. Craig Hoekema; Clerk: Rev. Bernie Bakker

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Delegates to Classis Eastern Canada [CEC]

Church	Pastor	Elder	Deacon
Athens CRC	Daniel Zylstra	John Lalonde, Steve DeKroon	
Brockville Bethel	Absent with notice	Ron Wiekamp Elizabeth Brunsveld*	Hugo Hoogenraad
Charlottetown	vacant	Siemen Speelman William de Haan	Rinse De Boer
Cornwall Immanuel	Steven Eckersley	Tom Harholt	Jennifer Horholt*
Dixon's Corners Community	Aaron Thompson	Martin Verburg	Lucas Billet*
Fredericton	Dan Hoogland*	Gerry Boonstoppel	Ellis Thompson*
Halifax All Nations	David Vroege	Priya Andrade	Emily Zeumeren
Kemptville First	Ken Gehrels	Ault Van Bokkorst Mary Ristskes	Nancy Stelzen*
Kentville	vacant	John Vanderkloet	Jerry Tenyenhuis B.J. Bentley*
Milford Faith Community	not able to attend	Donald Bokma	Ann TenNapel
Montreal First	James Kralt*	Donsavio Francis	
Ottawa Barrhaven Fellowship	Rick Nanninga	Harry Schenk	Tom Luimes
Ottawa Calvary	Pieter Heerema	Sarah Cook	Marsha Hodges* Samuel Baudeqinin*
Ottawa Calvin	Craig Hoekema	Evert De Boer*	Kim Triemstra*
Ottawa Kanata Community	Chris Schievink	Aaron Helleman*	Val Ogden*
Pembroke Zion	vacant	Jack Van Starckenburg	
Renfrew Hebron	Daniel Meinema	Linda Rook	Brian VanderPloeg
Truro	Nick Baas	Mannie Withrow	Heather Beattie*
Williamsburg	Joe Groeneveld	Jack Van Gilst Jack Menkhorts	Peter Venema

*first time delegates

1. Constitution of Classis

1.1. Welcome and opening worship, led by host church

1.1.1. Pastor Aaron Thompson and deacon Lucas Billet led in devotions based on theme "The Thanksgiving Chair" - 1 Thess 5:16-18.

1.1.2. The chair Pastor Ken Gehrels welcomes all. He encourages delegates when they speak to introduce themselves, where they are from and please do not use acronyms, etc.

1.2. Roll call...classis declared constituted.

2. Reports – Standing Committees of Classis

2.1. Stated Clerk: Bernie Bakker; Att. 1

2.1.1. Classical appointment schedule for 2018-19 was sent out.

2.1.2. All requests to address fall classis meeting referred to CIC.

2.1.3. Working on learning about CEC Webpage.

2.1.4. Correspondence from Rev. Bert Vanderbeek and Rev. Simon Speelman referred to CIC.

2.1.5. Contacted Synodical Deputies re Bert Vanderbeek's request.

2.1.6. Working on CEC bylaws with Rev. Jack Van de Hoef. Contacted Ross McBride [Hamilton Law firm used by denomination] to review By-laws. Work is progressing.

2.1.7. Received various Classical and Denominational reports for CEC fall agenda...reports in agenda.

2.1.8. Received and forwarded materials to office administrators to distribute as per local policy.

2.1.9. Received Ecclesiastical Credentials for Rev. James Kralt, new pastor in Montreal CRC.

2.1.10. Received Ecclesiastical Credentials for Rev. Dan Hoogland, new pastor in Fredericton CRC.

2.1.11. Received Ecclesiastical Credentials for Rev. David Kromminga, called by All Nations CRC, Halifax to serve with Resonate Global Mission in Berlin, Germany.

2.1.12. **Motion that CEC adopt work of Stated Clerk** **Adopted**

2.2. Classis Interim Committee – Piet Heerema [vice-chair]; Att. 2

2.2.1. 1. The CIC has met twice since the March meeting of Classis to address matters of Classis concern and to prepare for this meeting of Classis. Some of the requests to address Classis are included in this agenda, while others will be part of the March 2019 meeting.

2.2.2. We thank Richard Smit for serving as Stated Clerk over the past years. We appreciated his stepping up to the plate when previous clerk was no longer able to serve.

2.2.3. A review and edit of the Rules of Procedure and By-laws has been done by Bernie Bakker and Jack Van de Hoef. After receiving legal advice on preliminary changes, further editing is necessary. Unfortunately, a full report is not yet possible (as promised in March 2018.) We anticipate that this will be presented to the March 2019 Classis meeting.

2.2.4. CIC is also looking into current storage of printed and electronic records of CEC and trying to locate the seal of Classis. The Stated Clerk has the information needed to update the Classis web page. NOTE: The records, etc. located and reside with Stated Clerk

2.2.5. In response to a letter of concern from the elders at All Nations CRC, Halifax, identifying misunderstanding and hurt experienced by a delegate at the last Classis meeting, Bernie Bakker and Michelle De Pooter [via video] met with the elders. There was a healthy spirit of listening and understanding, leading to reconciliation. All Nations elders considered their concerns to be adequately addressed.

2.2.5.1. All Nations CRC Halifax Council response to 2.2.5 above is noted below:

- *we believe that the word “misunderstanding” is a mistaken term (as was earlier pointed out to and agreed upon by CIC in earlier communications between CIC and our Elders), and unfairly puts the blame onto the hurt All Nations delegate;*
- *we believe that the absence of the word “racism” is a mistake, and lament that such an injustice was not named;*
- *we believe that stating there was “reconciliation” is a mistake – the point of CIC’s and our Elders’ meeting was for listening, not for reconciliation; no reconciliation – at least not personally – has taken place; and*
- *we regret that CIC, in reporting on the meeting between CIC and our Elders, did not engage our Council or Elders in drafting the report – that is, that the narrative of the events was the responsibility of only one party, the result being that we again have to argue for the veracity of our delegate’s hurt and the truth of their claims.*

Again, we thank CIC for responding to our initial letter of concern and the care they did give to our elders.

2.2.6. The CIC discussed the concerns further and will be suggesting some follow-up steps for Classis. These include:

2.2.6.1. Help classis to grow in having a welcoming culture as we continue to develop sensitivity to various backgrounds.

2.2.6.2. We are in communication with Race Relations Canada, and are working on a workshop for the March/October 2019 meeting of classis.

2.2.6.3. The Classis Hosting and Delegate information forms have been updated to reflect greater clarity regarding process and expectations.

2.2.7. Authorized the following people to have signing authority at bank on behalf of CEC – Eva Reitsma, Joe Groeneveld, Aaron Thompson, and Jean Lauziere.

2.2.8. Responded to Kentville CRC’s request to permit Justin Halbersma to lead in Lord’s Supper service. Permission was granted during months when there are no classical appointments.

2.2.9. Responded to questions regarding the status of Bert Vanderbeek’s credentials and support the recommendations being presented to Classis. Synodical Deputies will be notified for their support by email. Also processed the request of Rev. Siemen Speelman for early retirement as October 21, 2019 under CO Art 18. Both matters referred to Ministerial Credentials Committee for recommendations to CEC.

2.2.10. From the correspondence received from The Vine Campus Ministry (Dalhousie), CIC presents the following motion: [see VINE report on p. 16]

Motion that Classis close The Vine Campus Ministry (Dalhousie) effective immediately.

Adopted

Grounds:

1. a shared ministry alongside a half-time campus ministry is not feasible at this time
2. a half-time chaplaincy position is not viable for an effective ministry, nor is it possible to find candidates to consider a half-time position for the long term.

- 2.2.11. There will be a Ministry Leaders Conference, Jan 22-23, 2019 in Burlington. Classis is requested to send the Stated Clerk plus one classis ministry leader.
- 2.2.12. Processed the Ecclesiastical Credentials of Rev. James Kralt from East Paris CRC, Kentwood, MI., Classis Thornapple Valley prior to his installation at First CRC, Montreal.
- 2.2.13. **Motion that CEC receive Ecclesiastical Credentials of Rev. Dan Hoogland from Immanuel CRC, Langley, Classis BC South East. Pastor Dan accepted call to Fredericton CRC.**
Adopted
- 2.2.14. **Motion the CEC received Ecclesiastical Credentials of Rev. David Kromminga from Sherman Street CRC Grand Rapids, Classis Grand Rapids East. Rev. Kromminga accepted call to All Nations CRC Halifax to work for Resonate Global Mission in Berlin, Germany.** **Adopted**
- 2.2.15. **Motion that CEC approved work of Classis Interim Committee** **Adopted**
- 2.3. Financial Administration Committee (FAC): Eva Reitsma, treasurer – Att. 3a & b
- Presented and deliberated on Saturday, October 20.
- 2.4. Classical Youth Ministry Team (CYMT): Joe Groeneveld – Att. 4
- The youth of Classis appreciated going on SERVE mission trips. This weekend many of youth of Eastern Ontario congregations going to a retreat at Circle Square Ranch.
- 2.5. Personnel Committee: Dave Vroege – Att. 5 a & b
- Reported on throughout meeting
- 2.6. Ministry to Seafarers Montreal: David Harlow - Att. 7
2.6.1. Seafarers Chaplain: Michele DePooter www.ministrytoseafarers.org
Michele gave a verbal report on her work. She and volunteers looking forward to receiving and handing out Christmas parcels to seafarers. On June 25, the Day of the Seafarers, Jeremy Van Zyl gave a well-received concert. Jeremy is on an “I am not my own” tour visiting Christian Reformed congregations across Canada. For more info see www.iamnotmyown.org
- 2.7. Classis Resonate Global Mission – Att. 8a,b,c; see Saturday, October 20
- 2.8. Diaconal Ministries Canada Classis Report - Att. 6
- Report received for information
- 2.9. Classical Ministry Leadership Team: Craig Hoekema - Att. 9
2.9.1. At this time classis supports Chris Smid of Athens CRC, Chris Tibben of Williamsburg CRC, and Chris Zak of John Calvin CRC (Truro). Respective pastors of each student gave an update.
2.9.2. Mike Vlaming of Renfrew CRC requests CEC to extend his licensure to exhort two years. Council gives report on his exhorting in support of Mike’s request.
Motion that CEC extend Mike Vlaming’s licensure to exhort for two years [October 2020]. **Adopted**
- 2.10. Safe Church: Rachel Boehm
- 2.11. No report.

- 2.12. Disability Concerns: Michele Glyselinck
 - No report.
- 2.13. Dalhousie Campus Ministry [VINE] – Att. 10
 - See CIC motion 2.2.10 to discontinue this ministry in Halifax.
- 2.14. Ottawa Campus Ministry: John Vedder, chair of board
 - 2.14.1. John reports on work of ministry done by Chaplain Sid. A Review Team just completed a review of the ministry this week. We are blessed to have Chaplain Sid Ypma on campus. Check out www.ocrcampuschaplaincy.org to see great work being done. Written report attached to minutes.
 - 2.14.2. Sid thanks the board members for their work; three board members have filled their terms and now need to fill their replacements.

3. Reports - Regional Pastors, Church Counselors, Church Visitors

3.1. Regional Pastors

- 3.1.1. Regional Pastor (West) – Ken Gehrels

Pastor Ken shares about pastors' monthly gathering. A number of pastors' spouses were able to attend pastoral spouse conference in Calgary in August. Some Church Councils still have a functioning Pastor Church Relations Committee who provides support for the pastor and his spouse. Councils encouraged in providing that support in a way that works best for their situation.
- 3.1.2. Regional Pastor (East) – Dave Vroege Att. 11

In addition to attached report Pastor Dave gives update re Pastor Paul of Milford Community CRC as he has a concussion about three years ago. He is easing into regular pastoral ministry but not able to fully participate in all aspects of ministry.

3.2. Church Counselors

- 3.2.1. Charlottetown CRC – David Vroege

Served by Interim Pastor Bill Dean; church council seeking to determine the priorities of pastoral ministry - one or two pastors.
- 3.2.2. Fredericton CRC – Nick Baas

The congregation called and installed Rev. Dan Hoogland.
- 3.2.3. Kentville CRC – David Vroege

No plans to call a pastor; receive classical appointments; Justin Halbersma has a licensure to exhort from CEC and leads the congregation in worship services.
- 3.2.4. Pembroke CRC – Dan Meinema

No report
- 3.2.5. Montreal CRC – Piet Heerema

The congregation called and installed Rev. James Kralt.
- 3.2.6. Williamsburg CRC – Dan Zylstra

The congregation has a pastor coming this weekend to candidate for a call.

3.3. Church Visitors

- 3.3.1. Team East #1 – Joe Groeneveld
- 3.3.2. Team East #2 – Craig Hoekema
- 3.3.3. Team West #1 – Pieter Heerema: Visit made to Ottawa Kanata CCRC [report to be filed]
- 3.3.4. Team West #2 – Jack van de Hoef

3.3.5. Team West #3 – Dan Meinema

4. Advisory Committees for classis

4.1. Credentials & Instructions: Ottawa Calvary & Williamsburg [report on file]

4.1.1. Athens CRC: **Motion that CEC seat elder delegate as deacon** **Adopted**

4.1.2. Athens CRC: request info on Privacy Policy: encouraged to check with Burlington office as CRCNA Canada has a privacy policy; another resource is BTGMI – Church Juice and developers of Bridge APP.

4.1.3. Milford CRC: request info re developing small groups: contact Rick Nanninga, chair of Classis Resonate Mission; Lesli Van Milligan of Faith Formation – email her at Ivanmilligen@crcna.org; also check out www.network.crcna.org/small-groups; or call Click-Call-Chat @ 800-272-5125.

4.1.4. Ottawa Calvary CRC: About a year ago Commissioned Pastor Ron Kok stepped down as pastor of Living Hope Community Church, Metcalfe. As supervisory church Calvary Christian Reformed Church recommends that Pastor Ron Kok be released from this ministry and that his status as commissioned pastor be terminated in accordance with the church order (supplement to Art. 23a).

Motion: that CEC release Ron Kok from his ministry and status as Commissioned Pastor in accordance with C.O. Art 23a supplement. **Adopted**

4.1.4.1. Stated clerk will notify Ron Kok of decision and thank him for his ministry in Classis Eastern Canada

4.2. Transcription of minutes: Ottawa Calvin will serve alone as Brockville asked to be relieved of this task

4.3. Ministerial credentials – Truro & Fredericton [report on file]

4.3.1. Rev. Bert Vanderbeek – request eligibility for call to be extended one year.

Background:

Rev. Bert Vanderbeek has requested to be granted the status of being eligible for a call for a one-year period starting in October 2018. At the end of 2017 Bert stepped down from his role of Stated Pulpit Supply at Kentville CRC. Normally, an ordained and called minister would be granted a two year period of eligibility for a call. However, in this case, though an ordained Minister of the Word, Bert was never officially called to Kentville. The support letter from the chair of CIC (Jack van der Hoef) and Bert's Regional Pastor (Dave Vroege) recommends that we, with the concurrence of the Synodical Deputies, declare Rev. Bert Vanderbeek eligible for a call for a period of one year. This would give Bert the normal total of two years of eligibility for a call, and therefore allow him the time normally allotted to receive a call and to discern God's direction in his life.

Motion: that Classis approve Rev. Vanderbeek's request to be granted the status of being eligible for a call for a one-year period starting in October of 2018.

Adopted

Synodical Deputies: Quinte - Rev. Henry Wildeboer; Toronto - Rev. Herman Praamsma; and Hamilton - Rev. Siebert Van Houten concur with decision.

Deputies received information and sent their decision via email.

4.3.2. Rev. Simon Speelmen - requests early retirement as of October 21, 2018

Background:

Rev. Siemen A. Speelman has requested early retirement in accordance with Article 18 of the Church Order. Article 18 allows for early retirement beginning at the age of fifty-

five under the reduced pension scale adopted by Synod 2011. The council of Charlottetown CRC supports Speelman's request for early retirement.

Motion: that classis approve Rev. Speelman's request for early retirement in accordance with the reduced pension scale for early retirement. **Adopted**

4.4. Correspondence – Athens & Dixons [reports Saturday, October 20, 2018].

5. Overture Committee – Renfrew & Kanata report on Calvin CRC Ottawa, Att. 13 [report on file]

5.1. The committee leads the delegates in discussion of overture.

5.2. **Motion: that CEC introduce a process whereby any significant new or increased expenditure (as deemed by classis) be presented and explained at the spring classis meeting and be subject to approval at the fall classis meeting where the annual budget is approved.** **Defeated**

5.3. **Motion: that CEC implement the recommendation CEC adopted related to requiring a three to five-year ministry and fiscal plan from ministries it supports, with a freeze of classical ministry shares until one is developed.** **Adopted**

5.4. The Ottawa Calvin CRC delegates withdraw # 3 from their overture.

6. Reports from Denominational Representatives

6.1. Council of Delegates – Bernie Bakker Att. 14

- COD met October 10-11

6.2. Calvin College – Marsha Vandergaast

- No report

6.3. Calvin Theological Seminary – Dan Brown

- No report

6.4. Resonate Global Mission – Kevin DeRaaf

- Reports on Saturday morning.

6.5. World Renew – Richard Smit Att. 15

- Received for information

6.6. Canadian Ministries Director – Darren Roorda Att. 16

- Receive for information

6.7. The Connections Project & National Gathering: Richard Bodini – Att. 17

Richard, presenting on behalf of Darren Roorda and Dorothy Vandersteen, shares with the delegates information re Connections Project and the upcoming May 24-26, 2019 National Gathering at King's University, Edmonton. He then leads classis through a survey and table discussion so delegates can reflect on the current challenges and opportunities faced by their congregations, and to suggest how the denomination, classis or some outside resource or expertise can be utilized to serve those local ministry objectives.

Delegates will be encouraged to pray and fast on themes such as Psalm 33:20-22.

The results will guide presentations and discussions at the National Gathering. Each classis is encouraged to send nine representatives to the Gathering. A report will be sent to all Canadian classes in fall of 2019.

7. Other

7.1. Redeemer University College – Sid Ypma Att. 18

7.1.1. Syd – Board meets in November. Thankful for new president, Dr. Graham.

CEC continues – Saturday, October 20, 2018

8. Correspondence Committee – Athens & Dixons

8.1. Bridge APP – request to extend funding for one year Att. 12

The committee recommends that Classis not accede to the Canadian Ministries' request for a second year of funding for the "Bridge" app. Adopted

Grounds:

While it is a good app, and we heartily recommend that individual churches investigate and consider seriously using this app for the advantages it provides, it would be financially irresponsible for us a Classis to continue to pay the "group" rate. Specifically:

- Our Classis fits in the "medium" classis category which means that we pay \$6000.00/yr to use the app.
- Paying individually for each church would come out to \$330.00/yr*19 churches (\$6270.00/yr). Going with the group rate of \$6000.00/yr would then constitute a savings. However, if even one church does not make use of the app, we would be paying more if we pay the group rate (\$6000.00 vs. \$5940.00).
- At our current usage of 7 churches, the app effectively costs approximately \$857.00/yr

9. Classis Resonate Global Mission: Rick Nanninga

9.1. Montreal Mission: Glenn Smith – Att 8c

- Glenn shares about the work being done in Montreal. Mission Montreal is an example of mission at home impacting the world. See report.

9.2. Kevin DeRaaf, Regional Leader for Eastern Canada, shares that Resonate Global Mission is a combining of World and Home Missions; Mission Montreal is a ministry that serves the world community at home. Mission is changing thus the appropriate work of Resonate Global Missions...we are called to see world and home as one mission. RGM enables the local church to reach around the world as the world comes to us. Our churches are missional by nature...that is who we are. Acts 1:8 is key passage to understand Resonate Global Mission – there is only one mission. We are called to listen to God in doing work of mission...enables us to change our posture as we serve.

9.3. CEC Resonate Outreach Ministry Developer Att. 8b

9.3.1. Rick reminds delegates of the history of CEC Outreach Developer carried out by Sheila Murphy. He then takes classis through the job description of Outreach Ministry Developer in Att. 8b.

9.3.2. **Motion: that CEC approve the position of Outreach Ministry Developer in Classis Eastern Canada - i.e. Att. 8b. Adopted**

9.3.3. Memorandum of Understanding with Resonate Mission re cost sharing of Outreach Ministry Developer is explained. Resonate would reimburse CEC for 1/3 of expenses with includes salary. Memorandum on file.

10. Finance Administration Committee: Eva Rietsma – Att 3 a & b

10.1. CEC Statement of Financial Position as of October 15, 2017 [on file] is presented. Received for information.

10.2. 2017 Ministry Shares Summary [on file] presented and Received for Information.

10.3. CEC 2019 Budget presented. Note there is no line item for the Bridge APP. Budget includes line item for Outreach Ministry Developer changed from \$25,278 to \$24,316 as per Memorandum of Understanding. CEC Ministry Share is set at \$84.74 per confessing member.

Motion that CEC adopted the 2019 Budget.

Adopted

11. Organizational Matters – Next Classis Meeting

- 11.1. Date: March 1 & 2, 2019
- 11.2. Location: Kanata Community Christian Reformed Church
- 11.3. Officers: Chair – Craig Hoekema; Vice – Nickolas Baas

12. Closing

Team leading classis was thanked for the work as the chair led in closing with prayer.
 “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

CLASSIS EASTERN CANADA - Personnel October 2018

In compliance with privacy legislation, contact information is not published. Please contact clerk.

POSITION	NAME	Term	Term end
Stated Clerk (cecstatedclerk@gmail.com)	Bernie Bakker	1	2021 Oct
Alternate Clerk			
Treasurer (cectreas@gmail.com)	Eva Reitsma	3	
Alternate Treasurer	John Bos	1	2020 Mar
Regional pastor (E)	David Vroege	1	2019 Oct
Regional pastor (W)	Ken Gehrels	5	2019 Oct
Licensure to Exhort	Michael Vlaming		2020 Oct
	Justin Halbersma		2020 Mar
	Jacob Zwiers		2019 Mar
Chaplains <i>Ministry to Seafarers</i>	Michelle DePooter		
<i>Ottawa Campus</i>	Sid Ypma		
Commissioned Pastors	Michelle DePooter		
	Ron Hosmar		
Classis Interim Committee	Michelle DePooter	1	2020 Mar
	Bernie Bakker, <i>clerk; ex officio</i>	1	2020 Oct
	Jean Lauziere	2	2019 Oct
	Jack Van de Hoef, <i>chair</i>	1	2020 Oct
	vacancy		
Personnel Committee	Jean Lauziere	1	2020 Oct
	Bernie Bakker, <i>clerk; ex officio</i>		
	Dave Vroege	2	2020 Oct
Classis Resonate Mission Team	Rick Nanninga chair	1	2019 Mar

<i>Outreach Ministry Developer</i>	Vacant		
<i>Member-at-Large</i>	Mary Ritskes	1	2021 Mar
<i>Pastor</i>	Chris Schievink	1	2020 Oct
<i>Maritime Member-at-Large</i>	Nick Baas	1	2021 Mar
Diaconal Ministry			
<i>Maritime Diaconal Conf; Pastoral Advisor</i>	Vacancy		
<i>Diaconal ministry developer (E)</i>	Karla Winham		
<i>Eastern Canada Diaconal Conf. (W)</i>	Ian White, chair		2021 Oct
<i>Pastoral Advisor</i>	Vacancy		
<i>Diaconal ministry developer (W)</i>	Anita Hoogeveen		
Classis Ministry Leadership Team	Craig Hoekema, chair	2	2021 Oct
	Eva Reitsma, <i>ex-officio</i>		
	Dan Zylstra	2	2021 Oct
	Aaron Thompson	1	2021 Oct
Financial Administration Committee	Eva Reitsma, <i>treasurer</i>		
	Dale Poel	3	2020 Oct
	Ron Hosmar, <i>chair</i>	1	2020 Mar
	Jackie Lauziere	1	2020 Mar
	Gerry Pot	1	2021 Mar
Youth Ministry Team (W)	Ron Hosmar <i>secretary; pastor rep</i>	5	2021 Oct
	Joe Groeneveld <i>chair</i>	3	2020 Oct
	John Verburg <i>vice</i>	5	2020 Oct
	Lorie MacDonald	1	2019 Mar
	Karen Bastian	1	2020 Mar
	Adrian Brobbel	1	2021 Oct
Ministry to Seafarers Montreal	David Harlow (<i>Classis Quinte</i>), chair	2	2020 (Mar)
	John Luimes (<i>Classis Quinte</i>), treasurer	1	2019 (Mar)
	William Buwalda (<i>Classis Quinte</i>)	2	2019 (Oct)

	George Zekveld (<i>Classis Eastern Can</i>)	1	2021 (Oct)
	Sandra Penner (<i>Classis Eastern Canada</i>)	1	2021 (Mar)
<i>Secretary</i>	Evert DeBoer (<i>Classis Eastern Canada</i>)	2	2018 (Oct)
	Gerard Bondt	1	2019 (Oct)
	Bert Wissink	1	2021 (Oct)
Church Visiting Teams			
East Team I (Truro, Milford, Halifax)	Joe Groeneveld	1	2019 (Oct)
East Team II (Charlottetown, Kentville, Fredericton)	Craig Hoekema	1	2020 (Oct)
West Team I (Brockville, Ottawa Kanata, Ottawa Calvary, Renfrew)	Sid Ypma		2021 (Oct)
West Team II (Barrhaven, Athens, Cornwall, Pembroke, Montreal)	Jack van de Hoef	1	2019 (Oct)
West Team III (Kemptonville, Dixon's Corners, Ottawa Calvin, Williamsburg)	Dan Meinema	1	2018 (Oct)
Church Counselors (vacant congregations)			
<i>Charlottetown, Kentville</i>	Dave Vroege		
<i>Williamsburg</i>	Dan Zylstra		
<i>Pembroke</i>	Dan Meinema		
Synodical Deputy alternate	Dan Meinema Jack Van de Hoef	2 2	2021 (Mar) 2021 (Mar)
Council of Delegates	Bernie Bakker	1	2020 (Mar)
Calvin College (Region 3 - CEC/Quinte/Toronto)	<i>to be nominated by Calvin board</i>		
Calvin Theological Seminary (Region 3)	Dan Brown		
World Renew	Richard Smit	2	2021(Mar)
Redeemer University College	Sid Ypma	2	2021 (Mar)
Christian Reformed Centre for Public Dialogue	Colin Conrad	1	2019 (Mar)
Historical Committee	Jean Lauziere		
Banner Correspondent	Krista Dam-Vandekuyt		
Safe Church Executive	Gayla Postma, <i>past chair</i>	2	2017 (Mar)
<i>Barrhaven</i>	Monique Heidinga <i>at large</i>	1	2018 (Mar)
<i>Dixon Corners</i>	Iena Van't Foort <i>at large</i>	1	2019 (Mar)
<i>Halifax</i>	Rachel Boehm <i>chair</i>	2	2021 (Mar)

<i>Pastoral Advisor</i>	Vacancy		
	Wilma Mulder <i>treas., counselling fund</i>		ongoing
Safe Church Team			
<i>Athens</i>	Raven Lyons		
<i>Brockville</i>	Mike Van Dyke		
<i>Charlottetown</i>	Karina Nieuwenhuyzen		
<i>Cornwall</i>	Sandra Eckersley		
<i>Dixon's Corners</i>	Keith Rook		
<i>Fredericton</i>	vacancy		
<i>Kemptville</i>	Bill Schuurmans		
<i>Kentville</i>	Gerrit Carree		
<i>Milford</i>	Cheryl Woodworth		
<i>Montreal</i>	Natalie Klein		
<i>Ottawa Barrhaven</i>	???		
<i>Ottawa Calvary</i>	vacancy		
<i>Ottawa Calvin</i>	Jake Brunsting		
<i>Ottawa Kanata</i>	vacancy		
<i>Renfrew</i>	Ed Oegema		
<i>Truro</i>	Nicole MacNeil		
<i>Williamsburg</i>	Nicole Van't Foort		
Disability Concerns	Michele Glyselinck		
Synodical Delegates to annual Synod of CRCNA held in June	<i>need a minister, an elder, a deacon, one other officebearer, and alternates</i>		
2018 Dan Mienema (Alt. Nick Baas) Richard Smit, Joyce Luimes (Alt Gerrit Tenyenhius), Jack van de Hoef (alt. Piet Heerema)			
2017 Craig Hoekema, Richard Smit (alt Jean Lauziere) Gerrit Tenyenhius (alt Bill Schuurmans) Joe Groeneveld (alt Dan Brown)			