

August 15, 2021

Order of Worship

Morning Worship - 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 168:1, 2, 3
Reading of the Law
Reading of Scripture
Psalter 160
Pastoral Prayer
Psalter* 213:1, 2, 3
Sermon
Prayer
Psalter* 426:1, 9, 10
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 196

**Please stand if you are able.*

Sermon:

God's Gift of a Son

Scripture: 1 Samuel 1:9-28
Text: 1 Samuel 1:19-28

Song Service - 5:50 PM

Psalter 20: all
Psalter 89:1, 3, 4

Evening Worship - 6:00 PM

Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 130
Reading of Scripture
Psalter 49
Apostles' Creed
Pastoral Prayer
Psalter* 128
Sermon
Prayer
Psalter* 91
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 197

Sermon:

Calm Down

Scripture: Psalm 46
Text: Psalm 46

Church Family

Homebound:

Mrs. Rieka Bouwer
Mr. & Mrs. Paul & Betty Kooyers
Miss Ruth Post
Mrs. Esther Richards
Mrs. Lorraine Slopsema
Mr. Teunis VanderGraaf

Remember in Prayer:

Mr. John VanderHart

Serving our Country:

Calvin & Sarah Vlietstra

Home Missionary:

Pastor Young Jae Lee & Family
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The congregation extends sympathy to Paul & Betty Kooyers, with the loss of Betty's brother, Mr. David Boluyt. He was also an uncle to Jim Boluyt, Chuck Dykstra, Julie LaRocque and Dick Spaans. Condolences are also expressed to Mrs. Mary Antuma and Mrs. Liz Hubach, with the recent loss of their sister, Mrs. Alie ten Klooster, in the Netherlands. She was also an aunt of Liz Prince and Aileen Rittner. May the Lord give much comfort to these families in the days ahead.

Consistory Members

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Calendar

"The Lord willing" James 4:15

August 18 (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting led by Dr. David Kranendonk.

August 21 (Saturday) 1 PM Middle School Youth Group Event at John & Cora Beute's home. Please bring a snack to share.

August 21 (Saturday) 2 PM Neighborhood Outreach.

August 22 (Sunday) 8 PM Multi-denominational young people's hymn sing in our church after the evening service. Please contact Corbin Prince or Will Thies with any questions.

August 25 (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting led by Student Chris Mourik.

August 30 (Monday) 7 PM Deacons Meeting.

Other News

- **Word & Deed Coast-to-Coast Bike-a-thon:** Last year, Word & Deed was blessed with over 400 riders who participated in our 1st Annual Coast-to-Coast Bike-a-thon, which raised funds for the Nakekela HIV/Aids Clinic in South Africa. We look forward to the 2nd annual event to support the Nakekela Clinic and the MCA Christian School in South Africa. Please join us by gathering family and friends in your local area for a bike ride anytime on or around **Saturday, September 25**. To register or make a donation, please visit: wordanddeed.org/bikeathon-usa.

Congregational Life

- Today, Dr. David Kranendonk will lead our morning worship service, and Dr. Michael Barrett will lead our evening worship service.
- Dr. Jerry Bilkes is preaching in Kalamazoo Reformed Church this morning, and in Providence Reformed Church this evening.
- Next week, Rev. Jerrold Lewis, from Pompton Plains FRC in New Jersey, will lead our worship services.
- **From the Deacons:** Please remember that **Christian Education Assistance Forms are due today**. If you would like to request education assistance for this school year, please fill out a form and return it to Jim VanderGraaf **today**. If additional assistance is needed, you are encouraged to contact the deacons. They will be glad to speak with you.
- The Consistory would like to thank the speakers, the family camp committee, all the volunteers, and the whole congregation for helping make this year's camp an enjoyable and profitable time. A special thanks to the congregation for your financial support of the camp. It is very much appreciated!
- **Church Directory 2021-2022:** If you have not yet checked your family/contact information in the preliminary copy of the church directory in the narthex, **please do so today**. Any additions, deletions, and/or corrections needed may be made in writing on the copy, or you may e-mail updates to Jamie Beeke at JLBeeke@yahoo.com. **If all information is correct, please put a check mark next to your name.** Thank you!
- **Confession of Faith Class:** The elders have asked Dr. Jerry Bilkes to begin teaching the confession of faith class this upcoming season. If you have finished the catechism classes, please prayerfully consider taking this class. The class is also open to others who are visiting with us and have not made confession of faith elsewhere, or who wish to learn more about coming into confessing membership in our congregation. **If you are interested in taking the class, or have questions, please contact Dr. Bilkes via e-mail at jerrybilkes@gmail.com.** Classes will begin in the middle of September, the Lord willing, at a time to be decided.
- Pastor Macleod and his family will likely be with us for several more weeks as they await passports for their children. Please pray that the process will go well and that they will receive the documents needed in due time.

Nursery		
Today		
Morning	Margaret Kleyn Hannah Timmer	Martha Markwat Audrey Bilkes
Evening	Aileen Rittner Melanie Moerdyk	Laura Hults Ella Klaasen
Next Week		
Morning	Mandy Overduin Ang Joseph	Emma VanderBoon Julia Kleyn
Evening	Kim Kleyn Julie Timmer	Eva Markwat Maret Haab

Ushers		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Jason Beeke	Joel Markwat
Next Week	Bill Moerdyk	Mark Moerdyk

Offerings			
Today	General	Building	Christian Ministry to Israel
Next Week	General	Education	Pregnancy Resource Center

Please send material for the bulletin to Jamie Beeke by noon on Thursday:
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