

September 27, 2020

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## Order of Worship

### Morning Worship - 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer  
Votum and Salutation\*  
Psalter\* 168  
Reading of the Law  
Reading of Scripture  
Psalter 281  
Pastoral Prayer  
Psalter\* 415:8, 10  
Sermon  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 162  
Benediction\*  
Doxology – Psalter\* 397:4-8

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

Sermon:

**The Fight Against Mercy  
Wonderfully Lost**  
*Jonah (5)*

Scripture: Jonah 4

Text: Jonah 4:4, 9 & 11

### Song Service - 5:50 PM

Psalter 371: all  
Psalter 349:1, 2

### Evening Worship - 6:00 PM

Silent Prayer  
Votum and Salutation\*  
Psalter\* 179  
Reading of Scripture  
Psalter 74 (acapella)  
Apostles' Creed  
Pastoral Prayer  
Psalter\* 323  
Sermon  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 100  
Benediction\*  
Doxology – Psalter\* 376:1, 6

Sermon:

**Sunrise in Bethlehem**

*Ruth (5)*

Scripture: Leviticus 19:1-10

Ruth 2:1-13

Text: Ruth 2:1-13

## Church Family

### Homebound:

Mrs. Barb Kwekel  
Mr. Neal Markwat  
Pastor Al & Dorothy Martin  
Miss Ruth Post  
Mrs. Esther Richards  
Mrs. Lorraine Slopsema  
Mr. Teunis VanderGraaf

### Remember in Prayer:

Miss Sarah Baum  
Mrs. Kris VanderBoon

### Serving our Country:

Weston Kleyn  
Calvin Vlietstra

### Home Missionary:

Pastor Young Jae Lee & Family  
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## Calendar

"The Lord willing" James 4:15

**September 28** (Monday) 7 PM Deacons Meeting.

**September 29** (Tuesday) 7 PM Evening Ladies Bible Study. We are beginning a new season and invite all women of the congregation to join us in our church basement fellowship hall twice a month to study God's Word together. This year we will be *studying* "Elizabeth: Dealing with Disappointment," and "Rahab: Tracing the Thread of Redemption." To reserve a book, please contact Martha Markwat at martha.markwat@gmail.com.

**September 30** (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

**September 30** (Wednesday) 8:15 PM Confession of Faith Class.

**October 1** (Thursday) 7 PM Financial Peace University.

**October 3** (Saturday) 7 AM Men's Group Bible Study. We will meet in the cafeteria at PRTS.

**October 3** (Saturday) 9 AM Youth Group Housing Service Project.

**October 3** (Saturday) 4:30 PM Middle-School Youth Group Fall Kick-off at Vlietstra's. Those in Grades 5-8 are welcome to join us!

**October 6** (Tuesday) 7 PM Dorcas Guild Meeting.

**October 7** (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

**October 7** (Wednesday) 8:15 PM Confession of Faith Class.

**October 8** (Thursday) 7 PM Financial Peace University.

## Other News

- **Tuesday Morning Ladies Bible Study** will begin another season on Tuesday, October 13. Coffee will be at 9:45, with the lesson beginning at 10 AM. We will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of each month. This year we hope to study "Female Piety." If you would like to reserve a copy of the book, or if you have any questions, please contact Linda McQuade.
- Due to the restrictions placed on indoor meetings, the Consistory would like to encourage those using the church building for meetings to use a room large enough to allow attendees to socially distance. Thank you.

## Congregational Life

- Today, Dr. Jerry Bilkes will lead our morning worship service and Pastor Macleod will lead our evening worship service.
- Next week, Pastor Macleod will lead our morning worship service and Dr. Jerry Bilkes will lead our evening worship service.
- **From the Consistory:** We heartily recommend "Walking in the Light," a book of prayer meeting addresses by Hugh Cartwright. Copies are available in the narthex. The suggested donation is \$15, and may be put in the General Fund collection if you choose to do so.
- **From the Deacons:** Dear Congregation – We would like to thank you for your faithful support of our Covenant Christian Education Fund during this past year. We would also like to thank the Henrietta Sikkema Christian Education Trust for its annual gift of \$14,000. In light of the many children and young people our congregation is blessed to have, there is a growing need for increased support of this fund. We commend this need to you in the upcoming year as we seek to continue to support parents in the Biblical task of instructing their children through Christian education.
- **From the Education Committee:** Dear Parents – We look forward to a season of instruction with your dear children. We covet your prayers as we endeavor to share God's Word and doctrine with them. **The teachers will meet briefly in the basement after the service this morning.** Classes will begin next week, but due to more exposure to covid within church and school communities close to us, **we have decided to postpone in-person classes for a period of time as a means of caution.** Please watch the bulletin for updates regarding when we hope to begin meeting in person. A complete Sunday School/Catechism packet is in your mailboxes if you have children in our program. There are extra copies on the table in the narthex. If you are visiting and would like your children to participate, we welcome you to do so. Classroom locations will be posted on the bulletin boards as well.
- **Church Directory 2020-2021:** A preliminary copy of the church directory is on the table in the narthex. **Please check your family/contact information carefully for accuracy** and make any additions and/or corrections needed. You may also e-mail updates to Jamie Beeke at JLBeeke@yahoo.com. **Please be sure that changes/updates are made today.** Thank you!
- Mr. John Kik has requested that his membership papers be sent to him, as he is worshipping in another local church. May the Lord bless him in his new church home.



<b>Nursery</b>		
<b>Today</b>		
Morning	Lisa Blom Betsy Timmer	Liberty Remijn
Evening	Courtney Prince Nicoline Theron	Kennedy Remijn
<b>Next Week</b>		
Morning	Sonia Wielhouwer Liz Prince	Hermien Theron
Evening	Mandy Overduin Eliza Thies	Arielle Theron

<b>Ushers</b>		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Craig Braam / Tyler Prince	Greg Oliver / Roger Osmun
Next Week	Rob Baum / Jason Beeke	Henry Boven / Tylor Joseph

<b>Offerings</b>			
	First Collection	Second Collection	Collection Boxes
Today	General	Education	Mediterranean Mission
Next Week	General	Denominational	FRC Urban Mission

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616.299.3369 or [jlbeeke@yahoo.com](mailto:jlbeeke@yahoo.com)

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