

## LIVING THE STORY OF GOD THIS WEEK

Today 8:30a HS Youth Group Breakfast: Foundation

M 9:30a Women's Bible Study: Fellowship Hall

2:00p Open Door: Foundation

6:30p Celebrate Recovery

T 9:30a Coffee Break: Fellowship Hall; Childcare

2:00p Open Door: Foundation

6:30p Divorce Care: Howard's Office

6:30p Divorce Care for Kids: Room 5

6:30p GriefShare: Room E

W 5:30p Midweek @ PS

5:30p Celebrate Recovery Women's Step Study: Offices

Th 6:30a Men's Bible Study: Fellowship Hall

2:00p Open Door: Foundation

7:00p Celebrate Recovery Men's Step Study: Offices

### MINISTRY STAFF — HOW CAN WE SERVE YOU?

Interim Pastor: Ron Vanderwell; Care Ministries: Pastor Howard DeVries; Youth: Annika Bangma; Children: Kate Martinka; Worship: Becky VandenAkker; Office/Finance: Sadie Perkins/  
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WE WARMLY WELCOME — This morning Pastor Kaitlyn Givens who will preach the Word.

### CARE — COME ALONGSIDE OTHERS

LET'S PRAY TOGETHER — For the Wassenar family, as Carol Wassenar passed away this past Monday. She was the wife of Ken Wassenar, daughter in law of Fran Wassenar & sister in law to Steve & Karen Stinson. We also give our condolences to the Hannon family in the sudden and unexpected loss of their daughter, Kim—pray for them during this unimaginable time of grief and loss.

THANKSGIVING DAY DINNER — Do you need or have no Thanksgiving dinner plans? Join us here for a traditional Thanksgiving dinner! Share the day and make new friends or connect with old ones here in the Fellowship Hall. Great food and fellowship. Doors open at 11:30am and dinner will be served at noon. Please sign up in the fellowship hall at the dinner table to coordinate what to bring from our menu. Call Marlene DeVries with questions 508.282.0436 or email mrsrevhowie@gmail.com. Hope to see you there!

## GROW — Cultivate Your Faith

OPEN HOUSE GET TOGETHER — Everyone in the Haringa elder district (Bu-E) is invited to attend an open house get together on Saturday, November 9 from 4-7pm. Come when you can, stay as you like and leave when you need to. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible. Please RSVP to sharingal357@gmail.com or 508.864.0656. Our home address is 154 Carpenter Road, Whitinsville.

YOUTH WORSHIP TONIGHT! — Worship for youth, by youth! All MS, HS and College-Aged Youth are encouraged to join us in the Foundation from 6-7:30pm TONIGHT for our first ever "Youth Worship"! Join us as we sing some of our favorite songs and take time to listen to God's heart for us in the midst of the busyness and noise of our everyday lives. Questions? Talk to Annika!

### SERVE — CONTRIBUTE YOUR TALENTS & RESOURCES

OUR 2nd OFFERING — next week is for Resonate Global Missions.

FAITH PROMISE FOR MISSIONS — Please remember to put the colored tear-off tag in the offering today or any Sunday in November as a faith pledge of how much God would have you give in 2020 for local and global missionaries our church supports. Thanks!

### REACH OUT — Connect with our Community

SAVE THE DATE — The Mission Teams at Fairlawn and Pleasant Street are joining together in hosting the annual Missions weekend on Saturday, November 9 and Sunday, November 10. Saturday morning breakfast will be at Fairlawn at **8:30am**. Sunday potluck will be here at Pleasant Street at **11:30am**. Sign up sheets are available in the Fellowship Hall.

PLEASANT STREET SINGERS — are invited to participate in a choir to sing at the Festival of Carols joint service being planned for Sunday, December 15, at 5:30 at Fairlawn. Rehearsals will be held on Sunday, November 17, 24, Dec. 1, and 8, at 11:45am at Fairlawn—Laurie Vander Baan

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NOVEMBER 3, 2019 + 9:30 am



Welcome! We're so glad that you're here. If you've been worshipping with us for a long time or you're entering the doors of a church for the first time, it is our hope that you'll experience a kind welcome, a sense of genuine community, and the grace and truth of Jesus Christ that the Christian Church has celebrated for centuries. If you're asking questions about faith and spirituality, join us in our formation opportunities and ministry events to learn more and meet others. Help us get to know you or let us know how we can pray for you by filling in the Communication Card in the pew and putting it in the offering basket—we'll be in touch. The Lord be with you!

### WORSHIP — Celebrate What God Is Doing

We would love to assist in helping your kids become devoted followers of Christ! Please visit the KidStreet check-in station in the foyer to get a security tag so your children can join us downstairs. If you arrive after the worship service has started and need help checking in, assistance is available at the nursery. The nursery is open for infants through 3 year olds. We are downstairs ready to serve you! Our KidStreet Class for PreK-2nd grade is dismissed to go with teachers right before the sermon. Please bring your security tag to pick up your children after the service. We are excited to serve you!

*Prayer of Preparation—*

*Lord, our God, we trust your promise to be among us as we gather. We come in the name of Christ, drawn by your Spirit, eager to hear your Word. Fill our hearts with your Spirit and prepare us for faithful service. Amen.*

## **GATHER**

*Welcome and Announcements*

*Call to Worship –based on Psalm 70:4*

May all who see the Lord rejoice

**and be glad in him.**

May those who long for his saving help always say, “The Lord is great!”

**The Lord is great!**

SONGS: *How Great is Our God*  
*Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee*

*Prayer of Confession*

Lord, you said, “If you love me, you will obey what I command.”

**Forgive us our lukewarm love and our disobedience.**

Lord, you said, “You may ask for anything in my name.”

**Forgive us when we think we need to solve our own problems.**

Lord, you said, “Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.”

**We confess that our lives are often consumed by worry and anxiety.**

Lord, you said, “If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit.”

**Forgive us our barren lives, Lord.**

Lord, you said, “You must testify, for you have been with me.”

**We confess, Lord, that we have been too often silent.**

Lord, you said, “Love each other as I have loved you.”

**In this and in so many other ways, we confess our failures and shortcomings. Amen.**

*Silent confession*

May Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, through Jesus Christ our Lord, and strengthen us to live in the power of the Holy Spirit, all our days. Amen.

*Words of Encouragement—based on Luke 23:34, 1 Peter 2:24*

Jesus also said, “Father forgive them” as he hung on the cross.

He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that, free from sins, we might live for righteousness; by his wounds we have been healed.

**Thanks be to God!**

SONG: *It Is Well*

Passing the Peace

*The peace of Christ be with you.*

**And also with you.**

*KIDSTREET Dismissal*

## **WORD**

*Morning Prayers*

*John 15: 1-11 (p876) + “Abide and Go”*

## **COMMIT**

*ECHO Dismissal*

*Morning Offerings: Ministries of PSCRC*

SONG: *I Am the Holy Vine (gray hymnal 220)*

## **SEND**

*Benediction—2 Thessalonians 2:16-17*

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and by his grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good deed and word.

SONG: *Christian Hearts in Love United*

*Dismissal*

Let us go forth to serve the world as those who love our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

**Thanks be to God!**

*Sermon Notes*