

April 11, 2018

Gathering

Prelude

*Gathering Song: "See, What a Morning"

*Welcome and Call to Worship

*God's Greeting

*Passing the Peace of Christ

*Song of Praise: "I Will Sing of My Redeemer"

Depending on God

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Thanking God For His Grace

Song of Gratitude: "Before the Throne of God Above"

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: Noisy Coin: Hand2Hand, The General Fund and Special Envelope offering for Fremont Christian School

Offertory – Hand2Hand information video

Children's Blessing

Children ages 3-young 5 are dismissed for Children's Worship

Children grades K-4 are dismissed for KidsOwn Jr and KidsOwn

Receiving God's Word

Song of Preparation: "Speak, O Lord"

Scripture Lesson: John 20:24-31

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Message: "What Proof Do You Need?"

Prayer

Departing as Witnesses

*Song of Response: "Because He Lives (Amen)"

*Blessing from God

*Parting Hymn: "He Is Lord"

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*Postlude

*Stand if able

Piano: Karen Admiraal

Violin: Amy Brasser

Percussion: Ed de Jong

Vocalists: Jenn Mellema, Carly Smith, Wes Miller, Steve Wagenmaker

Preacher: Pastor Cindy de Jong

SECOND CHURCH NEWS

WORSHIP TODAY, April 15: In continuing with the theme of Easter our text today is John 20:24-31. Pastor Cindy de Jong's message is "What Proof Do You Need?" Our noisy coin offering is for Hand2Hand, and our regular offerings are for the General Fund and Fremont Christian School.

OUR BANNER AND PULPIT PARAMENT: Easter's white and gold colors represent victory through the cross and our joy in the resurrection. These colors call us to give honor to the King.

WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, April 22: Pastor MacLeod will be preaching from Psalm 51:1-12 and Mark 7:1-23 with a message, "Easter: A Spring Cleaning." Our offerings will be for the General Fund and Western Michigan Christian High School.

SPECIAL ENVELOPE OFFERING: April 29 – Cadets, May 6 – Christian Education Fund

PRAISE TEAM PARTICIPANTS: The Worship Team will hold a time of instruction and Q&A on our new Planning Center system today. We will meet following the morning worship service at 11 AM in the sanctuary.

COUNCIL will meet on Wednesday, April 18, at 7 PM.

THE ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM would like to hear from members of the congregation that would like to serve on the next search team for a new worship/music director. The Worship Committee believes that the musical direction of the church continues to be blended worship that mixes contemporary songs with traditional hymns, includes a variety of instruments, and invites participation from the congregation. These styles of worship acknowledge the variance in tastes of music within our church and incorporates feedback from across generations of members so that we can all offer ourselves in worship to the Lord. Please contact council president Ken Wolffis by April 30, if you would like to serve at Second Church by being on this committee.

MOBILE FOOD TRUCK, April 18: The mobile food truck will be at Second Church Wednesday, April 18. Volunteers are needed from 4:15 to 5:30 PM. The sign-up sheet to help is on the literature.

ATTENTION SENIORS: The Deacons will be holding a Soup & Salad Luncheon and a time of fellowship following the service and coffee on Sunday, April 29 (approximately 11:30). Members and guests are ALL welcome! In order to help our planning, please sign up on the sheet on the literature ledge.

STOCK THE PANTRY! During April the Deacons are collecting canned fruit and vegetables for the TrueNorth Food Pantry.

FYSH

- Sunday, April 15, 7:13 PM – Bible Study
- Sunday, April 22, 11:45 AM – Luncheon with Special Moments group
- Sunday, April 29, 7:13 PM – Bible Study

YOUNG LIFE

- Wednesday, April 18, 7:56 PM - Club at Fremont Rec Center
- Monday, April 23, 7:56 PM – Campaigners at Van Wyks'

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

- **Chuck Witteveen** passed away on Monday, April 9. The visitation and funeral will be at Second Church on Monday, April 16, visitation from 10-11 AM and the funeral is at 11.
- **Geraldine (Gerry) Frens** passed away on Wednesday, April 11. The visitation and funeral will be Wednesday, April 18, visitation from 9:30-11 AM and the funeral is at 11.
- **Pastor Doug MacLeod** will be back at church on Tuesday.
- **Ann Pell** had her left hip replaced this past Wednesday.
- Please pray for healing and strength for **Bev Deur** and **Jim Deur**.
- Please pray for **Mary Frens**, sister-in-law of Doug and Marleen Frens, who will be having surgery for breast cancer on Wednesday, April 18.
- Please pray for **Vera Hansen** in Germany.

SECOND CHURCH CALENDAR

Today

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| 9:30 AM | Morning Worship Service |
| 10-10:45 | Children's Worship for ages 3-young 5 |
| 10-10:45 | KidsOwn Jr for gradesK-1, KidsOwn for grades 2-4 |
| 10:45-11:30 | Children's Choir |
| 10:45-11:30 | Sunday School grades 5-12 |
| 10:45-11:30 | Adult Bible Study in the Council Room |
| 7:13 PM | FYSH Bible Study in the youth room |

Tuesday

9:30 AM Coffee Break

Wednesday

4:30 PM Mobile Food Truck
6:30 GEMS
6:30 Cadets
7:00 Council meeting
7:56 Young Life Club at Fremont Rec Center

Thursday

8:30 AM 55+ breakfast at Side Street Cafe

AVAILABLE ON THE LITERATURE LEDGE

- April 11 2nd's Matters
- Today Devotional for March/April

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

Ushers (Call Bob Hayward if you cannot find your own substitute)

Today: Dan Ward, Randy Pell, Ryan Buchanan, Tom Stepanek
Next Week: Gordon Polanski, Mike DeWeerd, John Mellema, Roger Folkema

Nursery Attendants

(Call Zach Van Wyk if you cannot find your own substitute)

Today: Infant: Elizabeth Wolffis, Mary V Folkema
Toddler: Emily Folkema, Jenna Karnemaat, Gabe Brassler
Next Week: Infant: Helen Mellema, Vicki Gilliland
Toddler: Amy Brassler, Ben Mellema, Samuel Brassler

Greeters

Today: Joe and Esther Jiran
Next Week: Chris and Mary Boven

Medical Care Facility Visitors Service begins at 2 PM

Today: Trinity CRC
Next Week: Speaker Pastor Doug MacLeod, families of Bob and Kim Hayward, Joe and Esther Jiran, Dirk and Bev Kolk and Cathy MacLeod, pianist

Drivers for Deerfield Residents

Today: Chris Boven
Next Week: Bruce Essebaggers

Sound and Video Operators

Today: Jason DeKuijper, Bob Barnhart
Next Week: Joe Jiran, Tyler Cook

Children's Worship

Today: Sandy Smith, helper Ben Mellema
Next Week: Gail Wagenmaker, Vincent Mellema

Kids Own, Jr.

Today: Mary V Folkema
Next Week: Stephanie DeKuijper

Kids Own

Today: Melinda Barnhart
Next Week: Sylvia DeKuiper
Cookies (6 dozen each to be at church by 9:15 am)
Today: Lizzie Van Wyk, Julie Karnemaat
Next Week: Cathy MacLeod, Sylvia DeKuiper

Noisy Coin Collection

Today: Taylor DeKuiper, Kate Mellema, Brynna Barnhart, Elsie Barnhart, Natalie Pinkston, Avery Pinkston