

**June 3, 2018**  
**Worship 9:30 AM**  
Gathering

Prelude

\*Gathering Song: "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

\*Welcome and Call to Worship

\*God's Greeting

\*Passing the Peace of Christ

\*Song of Praise: "Our God"

**Commissioning of New Elders and Deacons**

We Thank Retiring Servants

Vows by New Council Members

Prayer of Blessing

Charge to Elders, Deacons, Congregation

Prayer of Thanks and Dedication

**Thanking God For His Grace**

\*Song of Dedication: "May the Mind of Christ, My Savior"

\*Declaring Our Faith: Our World Belongs to God #28 and 29

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: The General Fund and Fremont Friendship

Offertory: "The Table of Plenty"

Children's Blessing

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

**Receiving God's Word**

Song of Preparation: "Take My Life and Let It Be"

Scripture Lesson: Mark 7:31-37

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Message: "Be Opened!"

Prayer

**Departing as Witnesses**

\*Song of Response: "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

\*Blessing from God

\*Parting Hymn: "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

\*Postlude

\**Stand if able*

*Piano: Karen Admiraal*

*Cajon: Vincent Mellema*

*Vocalists: Kate Buchoz, Kathy Shira, Ben Mellema, Ed de Jong*

*Preacher: Pastor Doug MacLeod*

**SECOND CHURCH NEWS**

**WORSHIP TODAY, June 3.** Today we thank retiring Council members: Ken Wolffis, Barbara Fox, Karen Vogel, Paul Mellema, Jeff Breuker, and Jane Wolffis whose terms of service conclude at the end of June. We also install our new Council members: Administrative Elder: Jason DeKuijper; Administrative Deacon: Marleen Frens; Shepherding Elders: Karen Admiraal, Bruce Haveman; Service Deacons: Ryan Buchanan, Eric Geers. Pastor Doug's message is from Mark 7:31-37, "Be Opened." Our offerings are for the General Fund and Fremont Friendship – adult mentors who meet twice a month with local people with special needs for fellowship and various group activities.

**OUR BANNER AND PULPIT PARAMENT:** The red, orange, and yellow on our Pentecost banner remind us of the whirlwind bringing tongues of fire to fill the Disciples with the Holy Spirit. The dove represents our commission to spread the Good News.

**WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, June 10:** Pastor Doug's message will be from Mark 8:1-13 a story of Jesus' compassion which meets the needs of the world. We will also share in the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Our offerings will be for the General Fund and World Renew (formerly the Christian Reformed World Relief Committee, CRWRC).

**SPECIAL ENVELOPE OFFERING:** June 17 – Insight Pregnancy Services

**SYNOD 2018** - Please pray for the delegates, staff, and deliberations at Synod 2018. Classis Muskegon's delegates are Rev. Douglas MacLeod, Elder Steve Breuker (First CRC), Deacon Louise Breuker (First CRC), and Rev. Ken Krause (Big Rapids, Fellowship CRC). Synod will meet from Thursday, June 7 - Thursday, June 14. Approximately 600 delegates and staff of the CRC and the RCA will be gathered at Calvin College to partner for global impact for the Glory of God. For more information and to sign on to pray, go to [crcna.org/synod/prayer](http://crcna.org/synod/prayer)

**WORSHIP WITH SYNODS OF THE RCA AND CRC.** CRC members are invited to join the delegates from both Synods for "All for the Sake of the Gospel", a community-wide worship service on Sunday, June 10, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. at the DeVos Center for Arts and Worship, 2300 Plymouth Ave. SE, Grand Rapids. Dr. Ajoy Kumar Lama, the Words of Hope and Back to God Ministries International director for South Asia, will provide the message based on 1 Corinthians 9:22-23.

**WELCOME SHOWER:** Starting today a crib is set up in the lobby of the church to welcome Rijk Buchanan, son of Ryan and Marique Buchanan, to the Second Church family and 'shower' him with gifts. The crib will be set up until June 17.

**PRAYER PARTNERS:** With a school year quickly coming to a close, please let the student(s) you've been praying for over the course of the past year know that your prayers continue. Send them a card, talk to them at church, remember them in some tangible way during the course of the summer. You will be blessed and so will they.

**YOUNG LIFE FUNDRAISER:** Golf Outing - YL is hosting a golf outing on Saturday morning June 9, at 8am at Waters Edge Golf Course. We are still accepting team registrations! If you are interested please contact Zach Van Wyk or grab a registration form from the box on Zach's office door.

**FAITH PROMISE:** It's nearly time for Faith Promise pledging for missions! Bright pink pledge cards will be in your mailboxes soon and information will be out in June. Please consider being a missions supporter.

**LIBRARY SURVEY:** Please take a moment and fill out the short library survey that was placed in mailboxes last week. We are wanting to "grow" the library as the 2nd church family would like us to do. But, your input is needed! There is a basket for completed surveys and new books ready for checkout on the table in the narthex. Thank you!

**STOCK THE PANTRY:** For the month of June the Deacons request soup and crackers for donation.

### **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

**Kay Wolters** had been hospitalized with an irregular heart condition and returned home this past Thursday afternoon.

**James Deur** is spending a few weeks for continued recovery with Joyce (his daughter) and Bruce Persenaire: 6320 Adams Street, Zeeland, MI 49464.

Please pray for **Steve and Joy Van Sloten** in Turkey.

### **SECOND CHURCH CALENDAR**

#### **Today**

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service  
10-10:45 Children's Worship for ages 3-young 5

#### **Wednesday**

4:00 PM Discipleship Committee meeting

### **AVAILABLE ON THE LITERATURE LEDGE**

- May 30 2<sup>nd</sup>'s Matters
- TODAY Devotional for May/June

### **SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS**

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

Today: Ryan Boven, Stan Deur, Jon Volz, Todd Visser

Next Week: Dan Ward, Randy Pell, Ryan Buchanan, Tom Stepanek

#### **Nursery Attendants**

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

Today: Infant: Liz Donkersloot, Lizzie Van Wyk

Toddler: Ashlyn Volz, Samuel Brasser, Abby VandenBerg

Next Week: Infant: Sylvia DeKuiper, Donna DeLonge

Toddler: Jessica Folkema, Maddie DeWeerd, Jenna Karnemaat

#### **Greeters**

Today: Tim and Joni Boeskool

Next Week: Jud and Evie Afman

**Medical Care Facility Visitors** Service begins at 2 PM

Today: Speaker Jason DeKuiper, families of Jud and Evie Afman, Phil and Rachel Pinkston, Dave and Mariel Poel and Louise Slager, pianist

Next Week: Reeman

#### **Drivers for Deerfield Residents**

Today: Al Baker

Next Week: Dave Breuker

#### **Sound and Video Operators**

Today: Jason DeKuiper, Mahlon Volz

Next Week: Phil Deur, Bob Barnhart

#### **Children's Worship**

Today: Donna DeLonge, helper Alex Wagenmaker

Next Week: Lizzie Van Wyk, helper Kyler DeKuiper

**Cookies** (6 dozen each to be at church by 9:15 am)

Today: Katie Boven, Sylvia DeKuiper, Donna Essebagers

Next Week: Barb Grasman, Jenn Mellema, Cathy MacLeod