

# January 27, 2019

## Worship 9:30 AM

### Gathering

Prelude  
\*Gathering Song: "Glorious and Mighty"  
\*Welcome and Call to Worship  
\*God's Greeting  
\*Passing the Peace of Christ  
\*Song of Praise: "How Great Thou Art"

### Depending on God

Baptism of Henning Folkema  
Baptismal Song – "Who You Say I Am"

### Thanking God For His Grace

\*Song of Gratitude: "How Firm a Foundation"  
Congregational Prayer concluded with the Lord's Prayer in unison  
Offerings: The General Fund and Special envelope – Cadets (main office)  
Offertory Song – "Amazing Grace"  
Children's Blessing

*Children ages 3-5 are dismissed for Children's Worship  
Children grades K-4 are dismissed for KidsOwn Jr and KidsOwn*

### Receiving God's Word

\*Song of Preparation: "Christ, Be Our Light"  
Scripture Lesson: Ephesians 2:1-10  
Message: The Doctrines of Grace: Fallen Humanity  
Prayer

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### Departing as Witnesses

\*Song of Response: "Jesus Paid It All"  
\*Blessing from God  
\*Parting Song: "Holy, Holy, Holy/Santo, Santo, Santo"  
\*Postlude

*\*Stand if able*

*Piano: Cathy MacLeod  
Cajon: Ben VandenBerg  
Violin: Amy Brasser*

*Vocalist: Jenn Mellema, Kate Volz, Elizabeth Wolffis, Jon Volz  
Preacher: Pastor Doug MacLeod*

**OUR EPIPHANY BANNER** of stars reminds us that Jesus Christ is the light of the world. This week our Epiphany verse is "In him was life, and that life was the light of everyone." John 1:4

### **WORSHIP**

**WORSHIP TODAY, January 27** Today we celebrate the baptism of Henning Folkema and Pastor Doug begins a five-part series of messages on The Doctrines of Grace: FAITH. The first message is "FAITH: Fallen Humankind" based on Ephesians 2:1. Our offerings today are for the General Fund and the Cadets (main office).

**THE LITURGICAL SEASON OF EPIPHANY** is recognized by the church as the season following the twelve days of Christmas during which we recognize the revelation of the Christ to all nations through the Gospels' stories of Jesus' life.

**WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, February 3** We will celebrate the Lord's Supper and Pastor Doug will continue the five-part series of messages on The Doctrines of Grace: FAITH. The second message will be "FAITH: Adopted By God" based on Ephesians 1:3-12. Our offerings will be for the General Fund and Western Michigan Christian High School (WMC).

### **EVENTS**

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING:** This morning there is a congregational meeting following the morning worship service. We will be voting on the building and construction projects. There will be childcare provided during this time.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** and **CHILDREN'S CHOIR** will not meet this morning due to the congregational meeting following the morning worship.

**MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY, January 30:** The discussion of *Reformed: What It Means, Why It Matters* was postponed this past week due to snow and is rescheduled for this Wednesday, January 30, at 2 PM. Read pages 49-51, but even if you don't read it, feel free to come and join in our discussion on our being called into the church and into the world.

**THE PROPERTY COMMITTEE** will meet on Wednesday, January 30 at 7 PM in the Fireside Room

**TO THE CONGREGATION:** The Council is accepting nominations for new Council members to serve a 3 year term starting in July 2019. Please inform Matt Mellema, Council president, if you would like to serve or would like to nominate someone.

**WELCOME SHOWER:** a crib is set up in the lobby of church to welcome Leopold Miller, son of Wes and Melissa Miller, to the Second Church family and 'shower' him with gifts. The crib will be set up until February 10.

**IF GATHERING, MARCH 9:** Our If Gathering event is FULL! Wow! What an overwhelming response from the ladies of the Fremont community. If you are still interested in attending but haven't signed up, make sure to go to [tinyurl.com/iffremont](http://tinyurl.com/iffremont) to get your name on the wait list. The planning team is working their hardest to make sure as many women as possible are able to attend.

**SPORTS TROPHIES** available to take home. Did you or someone in your family play on a 2nd Church sports team years ago? Even better, did your team or you as an individual win a trophy? The trophies in the Fireside Room / library are available for the next couple of weeks. So, help yourself!

### ***PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY***

- **Randy Pell** is making gradual progress following his quadruple heart by-pass surgery and anticipates coming home from the hospital this week. Pray for his strength and healing.
- **Jane Vogel** is beginning her long healing from her extensive foot surgery. Pray for patience and the capacity to tolerate constant discomfort.
- Our Sympathies are extended to **Nanci Nieboer** in the death of her Uncle Bill Lummen, a long-time member of First CRC, this past week.
- **Joyce and Ted Hoad's** daughter Tammy, who lives with them, has been diagnosed again with cancer. Pray for strength as she undergoes radiation.
- Pray for **Vera Hansen** in Germany

### ***FYSH***

- Jan 27, 7:13 PM – Community – food drive for True North.
- Feb 3, 6:00 PM – FYSH Super Bowl party at the Van Wyk's

### ***Young Life***

- Jan 28, 7:56 PM – Campaigners at Van Wyk's
- Feb 6, 7:56 PM – YL Club at Fremont Rec Center

**STOCK THE PANTRY:** For January our Deacons welcome donations to the TrueNorth food pantry of cereal, pancake mix, and/or syrup.

### ***SECOND CHURCH CALENDAR***

#### **Today**

9:30	Morning Worship Service
10-10:45	Children's Worship for ages 3-5
10-10:45	KidsOwn Jr for grades K-1, KidsOwn for grades 2-4
10:45	Congregational meeting
7:13 PM	FYSH Community – True North food drive

#### **Tuesday**

9:30 AM Coffee Break

#### **Wednesday**

2:00 PM Mid-week Bible Study

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

- TODAY Devotional for January/February
- January 23, 2019 2<sup>nd</sup>'s Matters

### ***SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS***

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

Today: Gordon Polanski, Mike DeWeerd, John Mellema, Roger Folkema

Next Week: Brad Gilliland, Joe Jiran, Matt Mellema, David Brassler

#### **Nursery Attendants**

(Call Mary V. Folkema if you cannot find your own substitute)

Today: Infant: Helen Mellema, Amy Brassler

Toddler: Mary V Folkema, Abby VandenBerg, Ella Westbrook

Next Week: Infant: Jane VanOstenberg, Vicki Gilliland

Toddler: Jody Cook, Kendall Barnhart, Alex Wagenmaker

#### **Greeters**

Today: Jon and Rebekah Mellema

Next Week: Brad and Vicki Gilliland

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

Today: Speaker John Mellema; Gordon and Ann Polanski, Kathy Shira, Jeff and Sandy Smith and Helen Mellema, pianist

Next Week: Speaker: Jason DeKuiper; Rick and Christi Tank, Don and Connie Teitsma, Dean and Jane VanOstenberg

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

Today: Mark Wyn

Next Week: Mark Wyn

**Sound and Video Operators**

Today: Jason Snyder, Jason DeKuiper, Tyler Cook

Next Week: Jason Snyder, Jason DeKuiper

**Children's Worship**

Today: Donna DeLonge, helper Alex Wagenmaker

Next Week: Sandy Smith, helper Kyler DeKuiper

**Kids' Own**

Today: Stephanie DeKuiper

Next Week: Sara Krohn

**Kids' Own Jr**

Today: Julie Karnemaat

Next Week: Stephanie DeKuiper

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

Today: Stephanie DeKuiper, Katie Boven

Next Week: Marleen Frens, Donna DeLonge