

June 2, 2019

Worship 9:30 AM

This morning we celebrate the Lord's Supper - - a gift of grace which God provides for his church. We are to discern that this bread and cup are signs and seals of God's love for us and that we who participate are members of Christ's body. All who have been baptized into Christ, and who desire to honor him with grateful and obedient living, are invited to participate in this sacrament. We serve non-alcoholic grape juice, and gluten-free bread is available in the center of the bread plate.

Gathering

- *Gathering Song: "Our God"
- *Welcome and Call to Worship
- *God's Greeting
- *Passing the Peace of Christ
- *Song of Praise: "Great Are You, Lord"

Commission of New Elders and Deacons

We Thank Retiring Servants
Vows by New Council Members
Prayer of Blessing
Charge to Elders, Deacons, Congregation
Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

Thanking God for His Grace

- *Song of Dedication: "How Firm a Foundation"
- Congregational Prayer
- Offerings: The General Fund and Special envelope – Christian Education Fund
- Offertory Song: "When Peace Like a River"
- Children's Blessing *Children ages 3-5 are dismissed for Children's Worship*

Receiving God's Word

- *Song of Preparation: "By Faith"
- Scripture Lesson: Hebrews 11:1-3; 8-12 page 1168
- Message: "Our Point of View"
- Prayer
- Celebration of the Lord's Supper
- Communion Music: "Living Hope"

Departing as Witnesses

- *Blessing from God
- *Parting Hymn: "By Faith"
- *Postlude

**Stand if able*

*Piano: Kaitlyn Arendsen
Praise Team: Lizzie Van Wyk
Violin: Amy Brassler
Preacher: Pastor Doug MacLeod*

WORSHIP

WORSHIP TODAY, June 2

Today we install our new Council members, Pastor Doug preaches from Hebrews 11 with a message titled "Our Point of View" and we celebrate with the Lord's Supper. Our offerings are for our General Fund and for the Christian Education Fund.

Those being installed today are: Shepherding Elders Robert Broekema and Dave Breuker, Service Deacons Andrew DeLonge and Audra Powell; Administrative Elder Tyler Cook and Administrative Deacon Jon Wolffis. The new Council term begins on July 1. Those retiring in July include: Elders Mike Folkema, Matt Mellema, and Ann Pell, and Deacons Katie Boven, Stephanie DeKuiper, Eric Geers, and Wes Miller.

WORSHIP SYMBOLISM FOR THE SEASON OF EASTER:

The banner and pulpit parament use light-colored fabrics of green and white outlined in gold for Easter lilies trumpeting the news of the resurrection stemming from the empty cross. The white cloth draped on the cross is a symbol of the linen cloth left behind by Jesus in his victory over our sin paid for at the cross.

WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, Pentecost, June 9, Faith Promise Sunday

Next Sunday is Pentecost and our annual Faith Promise Sunday. Our Outreach Team has selected the theme, "Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples" based on 1 Chronicles 16:24. We will welcome Rev. Kurt Selles who is the Director of the CRC's Back to God Ministry International and has been in missions his entire ministry, including many years in Taiwan and China. Our Faith Promise brochure and pledge cards were put in mailboxes on May 15. We encourage you to prayerfully consider a pledge amount and return your pledges in the collection plate. Our goal for 2019 – 2020 is to receive a pledge total of \$35,000 which would allow us to financially support each of our 7 missions with \$5,000 in the year ahead. Our offerings next Sunday will be for the General Fund and for Resonate World Missions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FREMONT YOUNG LIFE'S 7th Annual Golf Outing is this Saturday, June 8 at Water's Edge Golf Course. We would love to have you join us as we play 18 holes of golf and celebrate 45 years of Young Life in Fremont. If you are interested in signing up a team there is more information available on the literature ledge, or feel free to ask Zach Van Wyk any questions you may have.

STOCK THE PANTRY: For the month of June, our Deacons welcome donations of soup and crackers. Donations to our food pantry are distributed to families in Newaygo County through TrueNorth Community Services.

SYNOD 2019 - will meet on the campus of Calvin College in Grand Rapids, Michigan, from Friday, June 14, to Thursday, June 20. All area CRC members are invited to join delegates in worship at the synodical Service of Prayer and Praise on Sunday evening, June 16, at 5 p.m. in the Calvin College Chapel. Rev. Roger B. Groenboom, pastor at Faith Community CRC, will deliver the message.

KIDS HOPE: Last week Kids Hope wrapped up its program for the year with a party at Lewis Farms. 14 children, 14 mentors and 17 prayers partners were involved on a weekly basis since October. Academics improved, friendships blossomed and deepened and 14 children were shown that someone truly cared about them every week. Check out the bulletin board by the drinking fountain this week and see who has been involved. A sincere thank you to Second Church for sponsoring and supporting this program!!

SECOND CHURCH CALENDAR

Today

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

Wednesday

1:00 PM Student Ministries

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

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

Today: Mahlon Volz, Gabriel Brasser, Ryan Boven

Next Week: Randy Pell, Ryan Buchanan

Nursery Attendants

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

Today: Infant: Annelise Folkema, Katie Boven

Toddler: Jody Cook, Ben DeWeerd, Kendall Barnhart

Next Week: Infant: Sally Mellema, Christi Tank

Toddler: Jane Wolffis, Samuel Brasser, Carly Smith

Greeters

Today: Matt and Jenn Mellema

Next Week: Tim and Joni Boeskool

Newaygo Medical Care Facility Visitors Service begins at 2 PM

Today: Speaker Jason DeKuiper, families of Jud and Evie Afman, Jon and Rebekah Mellema, Matt and Jenn Mellema and Louise Slager, pianist

Next Week: Reeman

Drivers for Deerfield Residents

Today: Karen Admiraal

Next Week: Dave Breuker

Sound and Video Operators

Today: Joe Jiran, Tyler Cook

Next Week: Phil Deur, Mahlon Volz

Children's Worship

Today: Sandy Smith, helper Alex Wagenmaker

Next Week: Elizabeth Wolffis, helper Kyler DeKuiper

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

Today: Katie Boven, Karen Haveman, Donna Essebaggars

Next Week: Barb Grasman, Jenn Mellema, Cathy MacLeod