August 2, 2020

Join us outside at 9:30 The service is broadcast on our property at 99.5 FM or

Worship with us online by watching the livestream which goes live ten minutes before the service begins.

Watch on YouTube at tinyurl.com/2ndcrclive or on Facebook at facebook.com/SecondCRCFremont/live/

Gathering

Welcome
Call to Worship
*God's Greeting
*Passing the Peace
*Song of Praise – "Days of Elijah"

Depending on God

Congregational Prayer Children's Meditation

Receiving God's Word

*Song of Preparation – "Ancient Words" Scripture Lesson: I Corinthians 11:23-26

Message: "A Meal of Remembrance, Communion, and Hope"

The Lord's Supper

*Song of Response – "Raise a Hallelujah"

Departing as Witnesses

*Blessing from God

*Parting Hymn – "Heaven Came Down"

Musicians: Wendy Kops, Jud Afman, Jon Mellema, Rachel Pinkston, Lizzie Van Wyk, Jon Volz Children's Meditation: Zach Van Wyk Pastor Douglas MacLeod

Sunday Worship, August 2

This morning we celebrate the Lord's Supper. It is a gracious gift which God provides to the church. All who love the Lord and who desire to honor him with grateful and obedient living, are invited to participate in this sacrament discerning that the bread and cup are signs and seals of God's love for us and that those who participate are members of Christ's body.

You are welcome to bring your own bread and juice or to pick up individual pre-packaged communion elements as you drive in. Worshipers via livestream should arrange to have their own communion elements at home

1 Corinthians 11:23-26 is the basis for Pastor Doug's message, "A Meal of Remembrance, Communion, and Hope."

Student Ministries Update for Outdoor Worship, August 2:

For the time being we do not have a nursery or Children's Worship class available but are excitedly planning for your student to join us in worship. Here are some of the ways we are doing that:

- Should you or your child be in need, the east side door by the fireside room, will be unlocked so you can access the bathroom/changing station located in the lobby. We ask that you wipe down the changing station with the provided Clorox wipes after use.
- We have Children's Activity Bags, with coloring pages, worksheets, and worship guides available
 for students when you are greeted at the lower parking lot. This will be yours to take home with
 you. We do ask that you provide crayons, pencils, markers, etc for use with these bags.
- During worship, we offer a Children's Meditation. We ask that students remain with their families during this time.
- We recognize that while we are outside, we may experience children laugh, sing, shout, or squeal with joy (or frustration) and we celebrate that they are joining us in worship today!

Special offerings for July and August are:

August 2 - Wellspring Adult Day Services

August 9 – Young Life

August 16 - Hand to Hand

August 23 – Hope 101 Ministry (working to reduce homelessness in Newaygo County)

The offering for TrueNorth 'Tools for School' was \$115.

Our Deacons welcome our continued support for our congregation's financial obligations through our offerings. Donations can be mailed to the church at 600 Apache Drive, or submitted online via bank account, credit, or debit card at this link: Second CRC - Online Giving or if you wish to give to a fund other than the General Fund, download the "GivePlus" app and create an account.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Rog Rauwerda is hopeful that he may be released from the hospital to come home this weekend.

Our sympathies are extended to **Jack & Barb Grasman** in the death of Jack's brother, Terry, this past Sunday afternoon.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Second Church's New Website can be viewed at: https://secondcrcfremont.org/

Agape Christian School Donations: To all who donated items last winter for the students at the Agape Christian School in Gulu, Uganda, "thank you for your generosity". The trip planned for late March was cancelled due to Covid and has not been rescheduled at this time, but we will make sure your gifts get to the children. They will be thrilled and will be so blessed by your love and thoughtfulness.

2020 Church Directory: We will be printing a 2020 church directory soon. Our directory includes contact information for members, guests, and friends of Second Church. If you would like to have your information added to the directory, or if you have changed your address, email, and/or phone number in the past year, please notify the church office by August 3, You may send it to office@secondcrcfremont.org, call 924-0170, or write the information on a slip of paper and place it in the box on the office door.

Christian Education Fund: As we approach the 2020/2021 school year, we will have 20-25 children utilizing our Christian Education Fund at a cost of approximately \$136,000.00.

Please use a projected giving card which has been put in your church mailbox to let us know how much you are willing to give to this church ministry for 2020/2021. There is a box in the church foyer for you to place your card in by August 30.

Faith Promise Update: We have received \$22,250 in pledges towards our budget goal of \$28,000. Your pledges are still most welcomed and will be added to the total. Your pledge can be dropped off at church and put in Tyler Cook's mailbox, mailed to Second CRC, or put in the offering plate in the lobby.

Stock the Pantry: For August the requested items are macaroni and cheese, and/or canned meat. Donations can be dropped off at church or directly at TrueNorth.

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