# July 19, 2020

### Join us in outside at 9:30 or Join us online by watching the livestream

(Livestream Instructions: the video will begin at 9:20.

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 \*Songs of Praise – "Glorious and Mighty" & "My Savior, My God"

# **Depending on God**

Congregational Prayer Children's Meditation

### **Receiving God's Word**

\*Song of Preparation – "O Praise the Name (Anástasis)" Scripture Lesson: 1 Chronicles 29:10-13; Matthew 6:9-13 Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 52 Q & A 128

Q. What does the conclusion to this prayer mean?

A. "For the kingdom and the power and the glory are yours forever" means: We have made all these petitions of you because, as our all-powerful king, you are both willing and able to give us all that is good; and because your holy name, and not we ourselves, should receive all the praise, forever. Message: "The Disciples' Prayer: A Closing Hymn" Praver

### **Departing as Witnesses**

\*Song of Response – "Behold Our God" \*Blessing from God \*Parting Hymn – "The Blessing" Musicians:

Musicians: Wendy Kops, Sydney Wagenmaker, Steve Wagenmaker Children's Meditation: Zach Van Wyk Pastor Douglas MacLeod

#### WORSHIP

### Sunday Worship, July 19

This Sunday we offer an outdoor worship service and the service is being live-streamed. The live streaming begins at 9:20 and the service itself will begin at 9:30. Bring a lawn chair or choose to remain in your car and listen on the radio at 99.5 FM. We continue with the series of messages on the Lord's Prayer from Matthew 6:9-13, and from 1 Chronicles 29:10-13, with a message "The Disciples' Prayer: A Closing Hymn."

# Student Ministries Update for Outdoor Worship on Sunday, July 19:

For the time being we continue to 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 student be in need the front lobby doors, under the portico, will be unlocked so you can
  access the bathroom/changing station located just off the lobby. We ask that you wipe down the changing
  station with the provided Clorox wipes after use.
- We will have Children's Activity Bags, with coloring pages, worksheets available, and worship guides, available for students when you are greeted at the lower parking lot entrance. 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 will 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:

July 19 – Resonate World Mission	July 26 – TrueNorth 'Tools for School'	
August 2 – Wellspring Adult Day Services	August 9 – Young Life	August 16 – Hand to Hand

# OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Wayne Vogel is healing following gall bladder surgery last Monday.

Rog Rauwerda had intestinal surgery Wednesday in Grand Rapids and expects to be in the hospital through the weekend.

**Rev. Charlie DeRidder,** a former pastor of Second CRC, had a mild heart attack a week ago. He received a stent for a partially blocked artery, and he is expected to make a good recovery.

Pray for **Becky Riddle**, who was diagnosed with cancer, and **Jacob Finner**, Becky's son, who may be moving to Hesperia to live with relatives.

Former long-time member of Second Church, **Paul Cook** (brother-in-law to **Joni Boeskool**) passed away on July 15. Pastor Doug led a graveside service for him on Saturday.

Yesterday, **Jay Lindell** (Young Life Church Partnership Program Director) was put to rest in a private graveside funeral. We pray with **Zach Van Wyk**, and the greater Young Life community as they mourn his death.

Change of address: **William Sneller**, 2121 Raybrook St SE, DeVos Center Room 138, Grand Rapids MI 49456. Phone number: (616) 885-4545

Thank you, Second Church friends, for the cards, kind words, and prayers at the time of Cathy's mom's death. Our family rejoices that our mom is whole, in the presence of the Lord, and free from suffering.

With grateful hearts, Cathy and Doug MacLeod

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### From the July 15 Council meeting:

-- The Council is grateful for the financial support of the congregation over the past financial year.

-- The Council approved applying our initial investment earnings (\$9,444) to the income for 2019-2020. Our end of the year accounting shows we were \$5,652 short of expenses.

-- It was also approved that beginning with this fiscal year and on an annual basis, our General Fund budget will receive 4% from our Vanguard investments as income.

-- The 2020-21 General Fund operating budget was approved.

-- New Council members were approved: Gary Breuker 1-year term as Admin Deacon: Mary Boven 3-year term as Shepherding Elder: Rachel Pinkston 3-year term as Service Deacon.

-- Council Officers for 2020-21 are: Jason DeKuiper – Chair; Tyler Cook – Clerk and Vice-Chair; Gary Breuker – Treasurer.

-- A resignation from Council was received from Administrative Deacon Jon Wolffis.

#### **Ministry Shares**

In the past year our church has provided \$56,169 towards our regional (Classis Muskegon) and denominational (Christian Reformed Church) shared ministry. Jeffrey Bolt, the Director of Advancement writes to us: "You are a Blessing! Thank you for your church's gift to ministry shares. Your gift makes it possible for us to share God's story of grace, hope and love. We could not impact the world through missions, media, and church development without your incredible and faithful support. To learn more about the work you support visit<u>crcna.org/ministryshares</u>. "

#### Second Church's New Website:

Our new website has made its debut and can be viewed at: <u>https://secondcrcfremont.org/</u> Some portions remain in progress, but we expect we will have it fully functional by next week.

#### 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 <u>office@secondcrcfremont.org</u>, 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**

Thank you for your support of Christian Education for the children of Second Christian Reformed Church. Each year we are amazed at the level of financial commitment that both parents and non-parents have for the cause of Christian education.

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 \$16,050 in pledges towards our budget goal of \$28,000. Your pledges are still most welcomed and will be added to the total.

We ask that you prayerfully consider your contribution to our Faith Promise fund in the coming year so we are able to continue to financially support our seven missionaries. 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.

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

The offering received for Insight Pregnancy Services was \$110.

**Stock the Pantry**: For July the requested items are cereal, pancake mix, and syrup. Donations can be dropped off at church or directly at TrueNorth

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