

# Welcome to Second Church

*April 30, 2023*

## Worship Outline

- \* *Come, Worship God*
- \* Welcome/Call to Worship/God's Greeting/Passing the Peace
- \* *O Praise the Name (Anástasis)*
- National Day of Prayer
- \* *Across the Lands*
- Prayer/Offering
- Children's Blessing
- \* *My Soul Finds Rest*
- Sermon: "Christian Character Honesty"  
Leviticus 19:35-37 page 116  
Matthew 26:57-66 page 964
- \* *Before the Throne of God Above*
- \* Blessing from God
- \* *Take My Life and Let It be*
  
- \* *Please Rise in Body or Spirit*

## Serving Us in Worship

- Pastor:** Dave Brower
- Praise Team:** Michele Van Soelen, Jud Afman, Jon Mellema, Annelise Hyrns, Sydney Wagenmaker, George Vogel
- Tech:** Ben Mellema, Jason Snyder, Jeff Breuker,
- Nursery:** Grace Cook, Jane VanOstenberg
- Children's Ministries:** Jane Wolffis, Ben Mellema, Stephanie DeKuiper
- Greeters:** Jud and Evie Afman
- Next Week:** Dave and Chris Breuker

*We Seek to Know Christ  
And Make Christ Known*

### For Our Guests:

- We offer Nursery (up to 3 years old) & Kids' Ministries (PrK-4th grade, dismissed during worship) on the lower level during worship. Sunday School (grades 5-12) & Kid's Choir (grades 1-4) is offered following worship.
- Join us following the service for a time of fellowship and refreshment in the church lobby!
- Stop by our Welcome Center for more information on Second Church and to grab a coffee mug gift.

## Second Christian Reformed Church

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## Upcoming Events:

**Sun April 30, 2023**

9:05am pre-service prayer

9:30am worship service

2pm MCF—Bob Broekema

5pm GEMS service@Trinity CRC

**Tues, May 2**

9:30am Fellowship Comm.

**Wed, May 3**

4pm Worship Committee

**Thurs, May 4**

7pm a time of prayer

## Prayer Requests:

Pray for the family of **Debbie Mellema**, John Mellema's sister-in-law, who passed away Thursday afternoon.

Pray for **Andrian, Maryna, Danilo, and Timofey Platzer.**

## Announcements:

**NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER** – We invite you to gather with us and pray on Thursday, May 4 at 7:00 PM here at church.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING, MAY 17, 2023**—Our annual Congregational Meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 17, 2023, at 7 pm. The council is seeking the approval of the following council members. Bryan Van Soelen as elder, Jody Cook and Bob Hayward as deacons. John Mellema and Ken Wolffis will be extending their terms for one more year and Dave Poel will be completing a two year term. The council will be going to 11 members this year, 5 elders and 6 deacons because we could not fill the elder position. The 2023/2024 budget will be presented for approval.

**Women's Getaway:** Ladies, mark your calendars for **Saturday, July 29th**, as you will not want to miss out on a morning of fellowship, small group and contemplative study about [Finding Joy in the Chaos: Exploring Gratitude!](#) For more information, chat with our Planning Committee members (**Jody Cook, Heather Love, Alvera Kidder, Gretchen Kronsbein, Jane VanOstenberg, Bette Wagenmaker**) after service!

## Offerings and Financial Updates:

Contributions to the General Fund, Christian Ed, or Faith Promise can be given in worship, mailed to church, or through the online giving portal on our website.

Special Offerings: Today: Wellspring Adult Day Services  
May 7: Young Life

Last week's General Fund Giving: \$ 7,894

General Fund YTD over (short): \$ (56,846)

