

October 1, 2017

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## Order of Worship

### Song Service - 5:50 PM

Psalter 285: all

### Morning Worship - 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer

Votum and Salutation\*

Psalter\* 37

Reading of the Law

Reading of Scripture

Psalter 326

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

Psalter\* 52

Sermon

Prayer

Psalter\* 81

Benediction\*

Doxology - Psalter\* 204:2-4

*\*Please stand if you are able*

Sermon:

### All Things Are Yours

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 3

Text: 1 Corinthians 3:21-23

### Evening Worship - 6:00 PM

Silent Prayer

Votum and Salutation\*

Psalter\* 51

Reading of Scripture

Psalter 388

Apostles' Creed

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

Psalter\* 297

Sermon

Prayer

Psalter\* 398:1-2

Benediction\*

Doxology - Psalter\* 378:3

Sermon:

### The Day He Loosed My Burden

Scripture: Luke 13:10-17

Text: Luke 13:16

## Church Family

### Homebound:

Mrs. Ann Baas  
Mrs. Barb Kwekel  
Mrs. Esther Richards  
Mrs. Mina Van't Hof  
Mrs. Marian VerHage

### Remember in Prayer:

Mart Bazen  
Ella Joy Dykstra  
Minnie Van Kempen

### Serving our country:

Dan & Sarah Arnoudse family and Josh Hulst.

*New phone for Tom & Willie Karel: 616-379-5195*

Our sister, Minnie Van Kempen fell Monday afternoon and broke her leg between the knee and hip. She came through surgery on Tuesday. She has a long recovery ahead. Please remember her in your prayers.

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## Consistory Members

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## Calendar

*"The Lord willing" James 4:15*

**Today** - (Sunday) 4 PM Youth Group meeting at church.

**October 3** - (Tuesday) 7 PM Dorcas Guild meets. Our project for the month is to prepare hygiene kits for the hurricane victims. See the calendar in your mailbox for details.

**October 4** - (Wednesday) 7:15 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

**October 4** - (Wednesday) 7 PM Evening Ladies Bible Study.

**October 6 & 7** - (Fri-Sat) Youth group will be fasting for 24 hours to raise funds for the Nakekela HIV/AIDS Clinic in South Africa, a ministry supported by Word & Deed. Signed permission forms should be in **today**. Contact Corbin or Will with questions.

**October 7** - (Saturday) 7:30 AM Men's Group Bible Study in the cafeteria at PRTS. Coffee and refreshments will be served at 7:15 AM. We will be studying the book of Ephesians. This first week will be introduction and overview. Again, we encourage men of all ages to attend. If you have questions please contact Billy Mc Quade, Mark Moerdyk or Dwight Prince.

**October 10** - (Tuesday) 9:45 AM Ladies Bible Study. Coffee is at 9:45 AM with study starting at 10 AM. All ladies are welcome.

**October 10** - (Tuesday) Elders meeting at 6 PM with full Consistory beginning at 7:30 PM. We will meet in the boardroom at PRTS.

**October 11** - (Wednesday) 7:15 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

**October 14** - (Saturday) 7 PM Informal meeting at Mel Trotter Mission led by Chris Engelsma.

## Other News

*Word & Deed* - Hurricane Harvey recently caused flooding and devastation in Houston, Texas. Word & Deed is undertaking relief efforts by partnering with the Orthodox Presbyterian Church (OPC), which has set up a response team to plan and carry out relief efforts. The focus is on assisting members of the church, but also on providing assistance to the broader devastated communities in the name of Christ. Donations are welcome. It is anticipated that volunteer teams from Canada and the US will be needed to assist in the rebuilding effort. Please let Word & Deed know if you are interested [office@wordanddeed.org](mailto:office@wordanddeed.org) or 1-866-391-5728 and visit our website at [wordanddeed.org](http://wordanddeed.org) or "Word & Deed North America" on Facebook for updates. Please pray for the people of Houston & many others suffering from recent disasters.

## Welcome

Thank you so much for coming to worship God with us today. We hope and pray that you will be blessed among us and that you also will be a blessing to us. If you have any prayer needs or if you'd like to know more about our church, one of our pastors or elders would be very happy to speak with you. If you are visiting with us please sign the guest book on the podium in the narthex.

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"Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth;"

*Matthew 5:5*

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## Congregational Life

- Today, Dr. Jerry Bilkes will lead our worship services.
- The Sunday School & Catechism classes (Beginners-7<sup>th</sup> Grade) are asked to meet upstairs this morning for a combined opening. The Psalter of the month is #355 all verses. Please review with your child(ren).
- Pastor Macleod hopes to return home this Tuesday.
- Next Sunday, Seminarian Kenneth Hutton will lead our morning worship service and Pastor Macleod will lead our evening service.
- Pastor Joel Overduin, of our Vineland FRC, has declined calls from the Langley and St. George Free Reformed Churches.
- There will be a *Ministerial Retreat* held on October 12-13 at Elmhurst Inn, Ingersoll, Ontario. May the Lord bless our pastors at this retreat and throughout their ministry.
- *FRCNA Publications Committee Position*: The Publications Committee of the FRCNA is looking for an individual willing and able to store FRCNA publications (books) and ship orders to customers when received. Interested individuals can find more information posted on the bulletin boards. For the past ten years these duties were fulfilled by Mr. Rae Vandersleen of Bornholm FRC but he has asked to be relieved of this work in the near future. We wish to express our gratitude to Mr. Vandersleen for faithfully serving the Committee and our denomination during these past ten years.



<b>Nursery</b>		
Today	Room A	Room B
Morning	Lauren Bilkes Amanda Venlet	Betsy Timmer Marijna Theron
Evening	Melanie Vander Boon Trienna Moerdyk	Gabby Karel Bekah Huckstead
Next Week		
Morning	Arleen Boven Hannah Kleyn	Aileen Rittner Anita Wielhouwer
Evening	Renee Langerak Julie Spaans	Laura Hults Lily Rittner
October	Mother in Charge	Lisa Van Strien

<b>Ushers</b>		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Sam Moerdyk	Joel Markwat
Next Week	Jim Vander Graaf	Steve Kleyn

<b>Offerings</b>			
	First Collection	Second Collection	Collection Boxes
Today	General Fund	Seminary Fund	Fellowship Chapel
Next Week	General Fund	Benevolent Fund	Guatemala Mission

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