

September 16, 2018

Order of Worship

Song Service - 5:50 PM
Psalter 179: all

Morning Worship - 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 397:1, 2, 3, 4
Reading of the Law
Reading of Scripture
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 230:4, 5
Sermon
Prayer
Psalter 124:1-3, 6-8 & Lord's Supper
Prayer
Psalter* 304:1, 3, 6
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 397:7

**Please stand if you are able*

Sermon:

The Rose of Sharon

Scripture: Song of Solomon 2
Text: Song of Solomon 2:1

Evening Worship - 6:00 PM

Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 238
Reading of Scripture
Psalter 402:4, 6
Installation & Psalter 372
Apostle's Creed
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 131
Sermon
Prayer
Psalter* 125:1, 2, 3, 4
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 420:3

Sermon:

Come with me from Lebanon

Scripture: Song of Solomon 4
Text: Song of Solomon 4:8

Church Family

Homebound:

Mrs. Ann Baas
Mrs. Barb Kwekel
Mr. & Mrs. Neal & Jo Markwat
Mrs. Esther Richards
Mrs. Mina Van't Hof

Remember in Prayer:

Mrs. Arleen Boven
Mr. Bob Nordyke
Mr. Tim LaRocque

New Address & District:

Dan & Dawn Vlietstra (District 4)
1469 146th Ave.
Dorr, MI 49323

Mrs. Judy Syswerda underwent knee replacement surgery in the past weeks and is recovering well at home.

Consistory Members

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	Henk Kleyn (Secretary)	616.780.9426
	William McQuade	317.440.5447
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	Ron Rittner	616.485.2344
	Andy VandenToorn	616.644.9112
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	John Beute (Vice-Chair-Deacons)	616.218.9335
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	David Pronk	616.299.4611
	Eric Wielhouwer	616.364.3071

Calendar

"The Lord willing" James 4:15

September 16 – (Today) 4 PM Youth Group Meeting at church.
Snack: Pops and Prince

September 18 – (Tuesday) Elders Meeting at 6 PM with full Consistory beginning at 7:30 PM. *We will meet in our church due to other events taking place at PRTS.*

September 19 – (Wednesday) 7:15 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

September 25 – (Tuesday) 9:45 AM Ladies Bible Study. Coffee is at 9:45 with study starting at 10 AM. All ladies are welcome.

September 26 – (Wednesday) 7:15 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

Other News

The women of Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary invite the women of our church to join them for an evening hearing Nancy Kingma speak on **Grief: Infertility, Miscarriage, Stillbirth and Newborn Death**. Nancy is a licensed therapist and nurse, and has been Bereavement Services Coordinator at Spectrum Health and Helen DeVos Children's Hospital. Learn how to find comfort if you have experienced these losses, or support others as they bear these burdens. Join us on **Tuesday, September 18, 7:30 PM** at PRTS, 2965 Leonard St. N.E. Refreshments to follow. For questions, call Mary at 616-581-3185.

From the Nursery Committee: We are in need of additional volunteers (adults and helpers) to help with the children in the nursery. If you would be willing to serve in this way, please contact Betsy Timmer at timmer.betsy@gmail.com by September 30. Thank you!

The Men's Group Bible Study plans to begin another season on **Saturday, October 6 at 7:30 AM**. We will meet on the first Saturday of each month in the cafeteria at PRTS. We hope to continue our study of Ephesians. Coffee and refreshments will be served at 7:15 AM.

If you are interested in the opportunity to host a missionary family from Kazakhstan for two months, please see the bulletin boards.

"Shew us thy mercy, O LORD, and grant us thy salvation. I will hear what God the LORD will speak: for he will speak peace unto his people, and to his saints: but let them not turn again to folly."

Psalm 85:7-8

Congregational Life

- Today, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services.
- This morning, the celebration of the Lord's Supper will take place in our midst. Those who are full or associate members in our congregation may sit at the Lord's Table. Regular attendees and visitors who are confessing members in good standing in a recognized church, desiring to partake of the Lord's Supper with us for the first time, are asked to meet briefly with the consistory before this morning's service. The 2nd pew on both sides of the main sanctuary will be open and reserved for those who have difficulty walking to the table, and for overflow if needed.
- This evening, Dr. David Murray will be installed to the office of Professor of Theology.
- Next Sunday, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services.
- We welcome into full membership, Dan & Dawn Vlietstra and their baptized children, Calvin, April, Mariah, Caleb and Jesse. May the Lord bless them among us.
- If you are interested in taking the New Members Class or the Confession of Faith Class, please contact Pastor Macleod this week.
- The Tuesday morning Ladies Bible Study will resume on **Tuesday, September 25**. We plan to meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month. Please contact Jeanette DeBlaay if you are interested in attending so we can be sure to have enough books.
- We look forward to starting a new season of Evening Ladies Bible Study. All women ages 16+ are invited to join. We will be meeting at church every other Wednesday from October – March. Our first meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, October 10 at 7 PM**. This year we will be studying *Abigail: Living with the Difficult People in Your Life*, along with *The Power of Words*, both by Nancy DeMoss Wolgemuth. Please contact Martha Markwat if you plan to join the study so a book can be ordered for you.

Nursery		
Today	Room A	Room B
Morning	Julie Spaans	Rene VanderHart
	Lauren Bilkes	Josephine Haab
Evening	Kathy Pols	Tammy Timmer
	Jeanette DeBlaay	Emma VanderBoon
Next Week		
Morning	Jane Rinzema	Karen VanderSloot
	Trienna Moerdyk	Hermien Theron
Evening	Mary Cogbill	Heidi Braam
	Joni Murray	Louisa Haab

Ushers		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Mark Arnoudse	Steve Kleyn
Next Week	Bill Moerdyk	Henry Boven

Offerings			
	First Collection	Second Collection	Collection Boxes
Today	General	Building	FRMI
Next Week	General	Benevolent	TBS

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616.299.3369 or jlbeeke@yahoo.com

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