

September 23, 2018

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## Order of Worship

### Song Service - 5:50 PM

Psalter 306:1, 4  
Psalter 292:1, 5

### Morning Worship - 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer  
Votum and Salutation\*  
Psalter\* 348  
Reading of the Law  
Reading of Scripture  
Psalter 24  
Pastoral Prayer  
Offertory  
Psalter\* 328  
Sermon  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 256:1, 2, 5  
Benediction\*  
Doxology - Psalter\* 163:2, 3

### Evening Worship - 6:00 PM

Silent Prayer  
Votum and Salutation\*  
Psalter\* 268  
Reading of Scripture  
Apostle's Creed  
Psalter 61  
Baptism & Psalter\* 425:5  
Pastoral Prayer  
Offertory  
Psalter\* 187  
Sermon  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 83  
Benediction\*  
Doxology - Psalter\* 197

*\*Please stand if you are able*

Sermon:

**Implications of Heavenly  
Citizenship**

Scripture: Philippians 3:17-4:9  
Text: Philippians 4:1-4

Sermon:

**Freely by His Grace**

Scripture: Romans 3  
Text: Romans 3:24a  
Lord's Day 23

## Church Family

### Homebound:

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

### Updated E-mail Address:

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I would like to thank the church family for all the prayers, cards, calls and other tokens of love that were sent my way during my recent illness. Thank you especially to Dr. Jerry Bilkes for the phone calls and care. *"Be Thou My Vision."* *Tim LaRocque*

We would like to thank everyone for their outpouring of love with prayers, cards, phone calls and meals. We have truly felt everyone's concern, and it is much appreciated! Psalm 16:1.

*Arleen & Curly Boven*

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## Consistory Members

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# Calendar

"The Lord willing" James 4:15

**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) 7:00 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

**September 26** – (Wednesday) 8:15 PM Confession of Faith.

**September 30** – (Sunday) 4 PM Youth Group Meeting at church.  
Snack: Haaksma and Murray

**October 2** – (Tuesday) 7 PM Dorcas Guild/Mission Evening.

**October 3** – (Wednesday) 7:00 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting.

**October 6** – (Saturday) 7:30 AM Men's Group Bible Study in the cafeteria at PRTS. Coffee and refreshments will be served at 7:15 AM.

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

**October 9** – (Tuesday) Elders Meeting at 6 PM with full Consistory beginning at 7:30 PM. We will meet in the boardroom at PRTS.

**October 9** – (Tuesday) 7 PM All ladies are invited to a baby shower for *Samuel*, son of Greg & Maybel Oliver. This will be held in our church basement. If you would like to go in on a gift, or would be willing to sign up to bring food, please contact Kimberly Kleyn.

## Other News

- The Guatemala mission team is excited to welcome Jose Louis and Orfa Meza, the directors of Camp Canaan in Guatemala. We will be hosting a dessert evening on **Tuesday, October 2 at 7 PM** to allow them to share the work of the camp, and to meet past, present and future mission team members. The congregation is invited to share with us in this exciting time and to learn of the blessed work that God is doing among the children of Guatemala through this camp. A free will offering will be taken to support the construction the mission team hopes to do next year, the Lord willing.

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"Be still and know that I am God:"

Psalm 46:10

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## Congregational Life

- Today, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services.
- This evening, the sacrament of *Holy Baptism* will be administered to *Enoch Kevin*, son of Benjamin & Rebekah Hicks, *Aria Grace*, daughter of Mark and Melanie Moerdyk, and *Samuel Gregory Pigar*, son of Greg & Maybel Oliver.
- Dr. Jerry Bilkes is preaching in Providence Reformed Church in Grand Rapids today.
- Next Sunday, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services.
- The Confession of Faith Class will begin this week **Wednesday, September 26 at 8:15 PM**. We will meet in the consistory room after the prayer meeting. Please speak with Pastor Macleod by today if you wish to attend.
- The Weekly Prayer Meeting will meet at **7:00 PM** beginning this week. Please note the time change.
- 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.
- 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. Men of all ages are encouraged to attend. If you have any questions, please see William McQuade or Dwight Prince.
- *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](mailto:timmer.betsy@gmail.com) by **next Sunday, September 30**. Thank you!



<b>Nursery</b>		
Today	Room A	Room B
Morning	Jane Rinzema	Karen VanderSloot
	Trienna Moerdyk	Hermien Theron
Evening	Mary Cogbill	Heidi Braam
	Joni Murray	Louisa Haab
Next Week		
Morning	Kim Kleyn	Esther DeMeester
	Makenna Pronk	Ella Klaasen
Evening	Nicoline Theron	Rebekah Hicks
	Hannah Karel	Marijna Theron

<b>Ushers</b>		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Bill Moerdyk	Henry Boven
Next Week	Pete VanStrien	Sam Moerdyk

<b>Offerings</b>			
	First Collection	Second Collection	Collection Boxes
Today	General	Benevolent	TBS
Next Week	General	Denominational	Come Over & Help

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