

Welcome to Haven Reformed Church!

We invite you to join us every Sunday for our 9:30 a.m. worship celebration! Feel free to take a Bible and/or any literature from our lobby table that you could use yourself, or to hand out to others.

Questions? Desire prayer? Please chat with an elder, any member, or any staff after the service.

Ministry Participants

Allegan Medical Care Center Volunteers:

Dec 26: Judy Cotts-Sheryl Veldhoff

Jan 2: Judy Cotts-Becky Kempkers

Children in Worship:

Jan 13: Beth Stoel

Jan 20: Nancy De Good

Coffee Servers:

Dec 23: Trish Overbeek

Dec 30: Ken & Flavia Prins

Greeters:

Dec 23: Larry & Diane Kempkers, Cal & Sylvia Klokkert

Dec 30: Terry & Emily Lezman, Blaine & Amber Lugten

Ushers:

Dec 23: Ken Prins, Phil Knoll, Travis Bouwman

Dec 30: Wayne & Joyce Blauwkamp, Tom & Anita Bos

Love INC Life Skills Hospitality Hosts:

Dec 27: No Meeting

Jan 3: No Meeting

Nursery: (for infant through 2 years old)

Congregation Care Concerns:

If you have any personal or family concerns, please call one of the following:

Rev. Ron VerWys, Congregation Care 616-886-7616

Phil Knoll, Commissioned Pastor 269-751-8521

Scott Davis, Director of Youth Ministries 616-990-7774

Bob Moore, Pastoral Care elder 269-751-4881

Norm Jurries, Pastoral Care elder 616-834-1156

Haven's Mission Statement:

*HRC exists to enable people to know Jesus Christ,
to grow in Him, and to show Jesus to others.*

Haven's Prayer Page

We unite our hearts in prayer on behalf of our church family and friends...

Please keep in your prayers:

***Marcia Elgersma:** as she is recuperating following a recent surgery on her foot.

***Tom & Anita Bos' daughter:** Mary Grile after 10 years her breast cancer has metastasized to her lung and spine.

***Muriel Smart's daughter:** is at home and continues her recovery. You can keep current on her status via her Caring Bridge account.

***Janet Clements:** continues her regimen of chemo-treatments and is dealing with some of the side-effects that go with it.

***Amber Lugten:** will be consulting with her doctor as to what he recommends next for her.

***Ken Meyer:** is home but is having dialysis treatment three times a week. In his weakened condition he is vulnerable to infections, so he can't have any visitors at this time.

Our Shut-ins:

Irma Babinski @ Rest Haven, Maplewoods

Janet Dykstra @ Rest Haven Cottages on 32nd #15.

Elaine Van Doornik @ Rest Haven Cottages #4

Ruth Rigterink @ American House of Holland.

Winna Sal @ Atrium Inn in Zeeland #205

Alma Gunneman @ Royal Park Place in Zeeland #275

Homebound:

Minnie Sloothaak

Hermina Veldhoff

Doug Sprik

Tippy Overbeek

***Winter Weather** As winter approaches, we wanted to remind everyone of our Weather Cancellation Policy.

Weekly Cancellations: If school is cancelled then all events on our campus are cancelled. If school is let out early because of weather, all our events are cancelled.

If there is a Winter Storm Warning posted one hour prior to an event here on our campus that event is cancelled.

Sunday Cancellations: in case of inclement weather the Vice President & Pastor will determine whether to cancel service.

If Sunday service is cancelled it will be announced on Channel 8 & 13 as well as the facebook page.

Haven Reformed Church



~ Dec 23 9:30 a.m. ~

“And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us”

John 1:14

Pastor John

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Sunday Worship Celebration

Dec 23, 2018 9:30 a.m.

Order of Worship

Organ Prelude Paul Connelly

Advent Wreath

*Opening Songs # 648 "Love Devine, All Loves Excelling"

256 "Love Has Come!"

*Greeting One Another

"Just A Little Christmas"

Reflections on Love

Come and see – Bring your gifts

*Hymn #281 "What Child Is This?"

Prayer of Blessing

*Closing Hymn # 262 "Away in a Manger"

*Benediction

*Dismissal / Postlude

[*=Please stand if you are able]

This Week at Haven (Dec 24-30, 2018)

Tuesday:.....Dec 25

9:30a.m Christmas Day Service

Sunday:.....Dec 30

9:00a.m Blood Pressure & Sugar Clinic

9:30a.m Pastor John is preaching

Here to assist you . . .

- ♦ **Hearing** assistance devices are available for you to borrow during the course of any of our services.
- ♦ **Literature** about Haven, as well as ministry and devotional materials, are on the lobby tables.
- ♦ **Our Morning service** is simulcast on a TV in the Fellowship Hall.
CD and/or DVD reproductions of the services are available, contact the office (269.751.7321)

Haven Announcements:

**If you have something you'd like to share all announcements are to be in the office to Gloria no later than Wednesday 2:00p.m.*

Christmas Day Service Dec 25 at 9:30am~ Pastor John will be preaching

Church office is closed Dec 25

Monday Noon Bible Study Beginning Jan. 7 we will not only have a new time, but also a new study. We will begin with a Ray Vander Laan video series called "A Clash of Kingdoms" Paul proclaims Jesus as Lord). If you would like to join us for this study please call Judy Cotts 269-751-5004 to order a study guide, or just come and we can order one that arrives in a few days. Looking forward to seeing old and new faces!

MINISTRY OPPORTUNTIES:

Kids in Worship Our snack makers were amazing this fall! Children in Worship is yet again hoping for volunteers to provide snacks for our worship time together. We love both homemade and purchased treats! We have approximately 12 children. Sign up and more information is on the back tables.

Hand2Hand We at Haven are reaching 50 kids at Hamilton El. With food items each week, through your giving, Hungry for Christ, and the Hand2Hand organization. In this Christmas season please pray that they may feel the love of Jesus Christ in their lives through these generous donations. Thank you again~ Sharon Stoel

COMMUNITY:

Thank you: for the overwhelming number of personal need items you collected in your reverse offering! These many, many items will be given to those who are currently experiencing a need. A special thank you goes out to Bill and Lynn Parsons for collecting and delivering the donations to the Personal Needs Pantry at Hamilton Reformed Church. Your faithful, continual support is greatly appreciated.

Sermon Notes

Last Week's offering: \$8,358.00 (12/9/18 \$3,450.00)
Needed to meet our budget: \$5,896.00

✚ **Information** ✚
Please – if you want to know more about our Consistory (church leadership team) or our staff, you can look at our website. And just a reminder for Haven members: our church directory and photos are on the website too. You need an email address, and for first time users register through our office. (www.havenchurch.com)
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