

## Gathered to Worship

Prelude

Welcome and God's Greeting

Songs of Praise: #380 (PH)

"Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound"  
"All the People Said Amen"

## Relying on Grace

Sunday School Songs

Prayer

Songs of Worship:

"Every Praise"  
"Thank You Lord"

*(children ages 3 - Kindergarten are dismissed for Children's Church)*

## Giving with Thanks

Offertory Prayer

Offering:

Offertory:

Roseland Christian Ministries  
Roseland Team

## Hearing God's Word

Scripture:

Luke 24:1-12, Romans 8:38-39 *(pp. 1047, 1119)*

Sermon:

**REMEMBERING RESSURECTION**

Prayer

## Blessed to Serve

Benediction

Song of Response and Praise:

Postlude

"Mighty to Save"

## Leading us in Worship

Worship Leader:

Dr. Greg Schuringa

Sermon:

Rev. Joe Huizenga

Organ:

Donna Erdman

Piano:

Jan Slinkman

Bass:

Carter Bulthuis

Guitars:

Matt Bulthuis, Mike Printz

Sunday School Song Leader:

Randy Huisman

Guest Musicians:

Roseland CRC Praise Team

*(PH-Psalter Hymnal; WC-Worshiping Church- in pews; LH-Lift Up Your Hearts Hymnal-not in pews)*

## God Calls Us to Worship

Prelude

Welcome and God's Greeting

Song of Praise: #199 (LH)

"Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain"

## We Express Our Faith and Gratitude

Profession of Faith:

*Our World Belongs to God* Article 41

Prayer

Song of Worship:

"You Are My King" (Amazing Love)

Offertory Prayer

Offering:

Many People's Church

## God Speaks to His People

Scripture:

John 20:11-18 (*p. 1074*)

Sermon:

**SEEING GOD**

Prayer

## We Go Out with God's Blessing

Song of Response: #247:1,3 (WC)

"The Day of Resurrection"

Benediction

Doxology: #373:4 (PH)

"Beautiful Savior"

Postlude

## Leading us in Worship

Worship Leader:

Rev. Matthew Lanser

Sermon:

Rev. Mike Moore

Piano:

Donna Erdman

*(PH-Psalter Hymnal; WC-Worshiping Church- in pews; LH-Lift Up Your Hearts Hymnal-not in pews)*

## Today at Faith

**This morning** we welcome Pastor Joe Huizenga and members of the Roseland CRC church family to worship as the first part of a day of Mission Emphasis. We're thankful for the partnership in ministry that we have with Roseland CRC and Ministries!

**Tonight** we welcome to our pulpit, Rev. Mike Moore who has pastored a campus ministry at Loyola University for the past nine years. The church, Agape & Ecclesia, is a college church that focuses on developing leaders and planting congregations. In 2018 he was sent out to plant a new congregation in Chicago. He also serves on staff with Resonate, CRC's Global Mission agency, and directs the Masters in Theology and Mission at Northern Seminary (Lisle, IL). Welcome to Faith Elmhurst, Mike!

**Reading the Gospel of Luke:** For this week, the Children/Family reading plan reads Luke 23:44-49. Reading Plan A focuses on Luke 21-22, and Reading Plan B reads Luke 17-20.

## Upcoming Worship at Faith

- May 2, 7:00 PM: National Day of Prayer service
- May 5, 9:30 AM: Mission of the Church Sunday; Baptism
- May 12, 9:30 AM: Children's Church singing for Mother's Day
- May 19, 9:30 AM: Gratitude for Graduates
- May 26, 6:00 PM: Memorial Day Weekend Hymn Sing

## Prayer & Praise

**If you have prayer needs**, please visit room 14 on the south side of the sanctuary after the morning service.

**Judy Doornbos** went to be with her Lord on Easter Sunday. We extend our Christian sympathy to her fiancé' Mark Teune and her family and friends.

**Karen Tazelaar** went to be with her Lord this past Monday. We extend our Christian sympathy to her mother-in-law **Gertrude Venhousen Tazelaar** and her family and friends. A funeral was held on Friday.

Keep **Stephanie Groenewold** in prayer as she continues to recover from surgery a couple weeks ago.

Pray for strength and recovery for **Eric Johnson** as he undergoes rehab at Park Place.

**Lois Rusthoven** continues to recover following heart surgery. Please keep her in prayer as she's likely to be at inpatient rehab for a number of weeks.

**Harma Slinkman** will be having shoulder surgery on Tuesday.

**Sylvia Tazelaar** started hospice care this past Wednesday. She will remain at The Holmstad in Batavia where she has been the past few weeks.

**Judy Veldsema** had several heart stents put in last week, and continues to experience severe back pain. She'll be at ManorCare in Hinsdale for several weeks of rehab.

**Barb Vroom** had successful hip replacement surgery last week. Please pray for recovery and therapy for the next few weeks.

Remember to pray for those who are unable to join us in worship. Today we think of **Jack & Marlene Vos** who lives in Elmhurst.

Happy Birthday to **Theresa Folkerts** on May 8 and **Terry Vander Naald** on May 30!

## Offerings

Today: AM: Roseland Christian Ministries. PM: Many People's Church.

May 5: AM: Faith Promise Missionaries. PM: Back to God International.

May 12: AM: Timothy Tuition Assistance Fund. PM: Unity Christian School.

May 19: AM: Faith General Fund. PM: New Leaf Resources.

## Announcements

**Today is the last day of Sunday School!** We'll be following the regular schedule of singing and a lesson, dismissing at 11:45.

**Youth and Young Adult Worship Night:** All 6<sup>th</sup> graders through young adults are invited to join us tonight for a meal, fellowship and worshipping God through song and prayer (7:15 -9:00 PM).

**Serving on a Committee at Faith CRC.** Committees at Faith empower, encourage and support our ministries. Whether it's Music, Youth Ministries, Evangelism, Discipleship, or other aspects of church life, good and engaged committee membership is key to ministry health. Perhaps this is a way for you to serve in the church you weren't aware of. If you are interested in this possibility, please reach out to Niki in the office or Pastors Greg or Matthew and we can help you! A new ministry year starts in June, so this is the perfect time to get involved on a committee!

**Join the Welcome Team:** Do you want to be part of making Faith a welcoming community? Do you enjoy meeting new people? Every Sunday morning, we have people assigned to actively welcome our guests. This involves greeting guests, answering any questions they have, and helping them feel at home at Faith. Each team member is responsible for about one Sunday every two or three months, and everyone picks their own schedule. If you're interested in joining this team, contact Pastor Matthew.

**Senior Bible Study will meet this Tuesday, April 30 at 2:15 PM.** Please note that we will be meeting one hour later than our usual time on this afternoon. We'll be studying Revelation 13-17 (Lesson 6 in the study guide).

**Music and the Mind!** On Friday, May 3 at 10:00 AM, Mary Helen Ekstam from Journey Life Programs will show us how to use music to enhance one's mind, body and spirit. Come join us for a fun and spirited program guaranteed to get your toes tapping and your heart singing! Contact Cathy Bulthuis, 630-935-1849, or [cathy@smartgate.com](mailto:cathy@smartgate.com) with questions. Sign up in the narthex.

**Faith CRC SpringFest will be this Saturday from 3:30 – 7:00 PM!** Lots of fun activities are being planned. For the kids: Pony rides, petting zoo, bounce house, and more. Back by popular demand - Reptile Show! For the adults: great food, shopping, and silent auction. You won't want to miss out on this fun day!

**We are still looking for Volunteers for Springfest.** If you are willing to donate your time to help at Springfest a sign-up sheet can be found in the narthex.

**We are currently looking for auction items for Springfest Saturday, May 4!** If you are willing to donate sports tickets, restaurant gift cards, services (i.e. babysitting, cooking etc.) or brand new, unused items, please contact Chris Slinkman at [Chris.Slinkman@gmail.com](mailto:Chris.Slinkman@gmail.com) or Corey Van Dyk at [vandyk.corey@gmail.com](mailto:vandyk.corey@gmail.com) or 224-267-5465.

**Faith CRC's Annual Congregational Meeting will be held Sunday, May 5 after the morning worship service.** All professing members are encouraged to attend. One purpose of this meeting is to seek congregational endorsement of Council's budget for the June 2019 - May 2020 fiscal year. The budget is a covenant commitment made by our members to support our church's mission and operating expenses. Council encourages both faithful service and giving in recognition that God is the "Great Giver" who has given the life of His Son for our salvation. **We will also elect new elders and deacons to serve our Council.** The nominees for the office of Elder are Al De Los Santos, Jon Rauwerda, Randy Van Dahm, Herm Vander Naald, Ted Vander Naald, John Veldsema, and Brad Wieringa. Council will be asking the congregation to vote for four elder nominees to replace the retiring elders. The nominees for the office of Deacon are Calvin Hoving, Jay Lumkes, Nathan Middel, Brad Miedema, Byron Plate, Justin Vander Naald, and Ryan Vander Naald. Council is asking the congregation to vote for four of the deacon nominees to replace the retiring deacons. Photos of the nominees can be found in your church mailbox today, so you can connect names with faces. The congregation is encouraged to complete proxy ballots for the election of elders and deacons if they cannot attend the meeting. Proxy ballots need to be signed by the voting member and turned in to any Council member by the start of the meeting to be counted. They can also be brought to our church office and placed in the Council Clerk's mailbox. Please pray that our meeting, along with the commitments and decisions made, be in accordance with God's will for Faith.

**Celebrate Life!** Are you saving your coins and crumpled bills in your "Life Is Beautiful" baby bottle? Do you feel like you should write a check (made out to Caring Network) to add to those coins and bills? There is still plenty of time to sign up and take a baby bottle home with you! Pick up and return to the basket in the Fellowship Hall. Bottles are due Mother's Day, May 12.

**Young Adult Meal:** Join us May 12 after evening worship from 7:15 to 8:45 PM. Please RSVP with what soup, salad or dessert you're bringing.

**The Cadet Father/Son camp out** is set for May 17 - 19. Fathers & sons of all ages are invited. More information will follow.

**My Brother's Kitchen:** Join us in the Lawndale neighborhood on May 18 (9:00 AM - 1:00 PM) to serve lunch and build relationships with those in chronic poverty. All youth, young adults and families welcome! RSVP to Jonathan.

**VBS Outreach:** All are invited, especially families participating in VBS, to help pass out VBS door-hangers in the neighborhood. Please meet Jonathan in Rooms 1-3 at 11:00 AM on May 19. We'll be passing out flyers from 11:15-11:45 AM and then share a light lunch back at church.

**Graduates:** If you are graduating this year we would like to hear from you! Please email us at [office@faithelmhurst.org](mailto:office@faithelmhurst.org), with your graduation details and future plans so we can acknowledge High School Graduates in morning worship and all graduates in the bulletin on May 19.

**The Faith Book Club** has selected *The Greatest Generation* by Tom Brokaw for discussion at their next meeting. From military heroes to community leaders to ordinary citizens, the author profiles men and women who served their country with valor, then came home and transformed it. We will meet on May 21 at 7:00 PM at Park Place. Newcomers welcome!

**Everyone is invited to the Annual Memorial Day Hymn Sing** on Sunday, May 26, at 6:00 PM. Recording artist, minister, and former solo artist from Moody Bible Institute, Burt Kettinger, will be the director for this evening of patriotic and hymn selections. John Innes and Donna Erdman will be on the piano and organ. Refreshments will be served after the hymn sing. Don't miss this night of worship and fellowship!

**Young Adult Campout:** Join us for camping at Red Oak campground in Baraboo, WI from June 7-9. You're welcome to come and go as you please. Camping supplies are available to borrow. Contact Jonathan Barney or Kayla Middel ([vanderzeekayla@gmail.com](mailto:vanderzeekayla@gmail.com)) with any questions.

**VBS – ROAR!** Join us from June 17-20 from 9:00 - 11:30 AM for a week to remember of worship, games, science station, Bible teaching and drama! Free for children aged four through 5th grade. Register online today.

**The Rush Creek Cadet Council is having an All-Michigan Camporee,** Wednesday, July 10 – Saturday, July 13, 2019. This is not to be confused with the International Camporee that will be held the Summer of 2020. Cadets, Counselors, Dads, or other interested adults, from outside of Michigan are invited to attend. Cadets must be 9 years old by July 1, 2019. If interested contact Lambert Bronger, 630-665-9422. Registration dead line is May 1, 2019.

**Men's Retreat – Save the Date:** Join us from October 4-6 for a weekend of fun, fellowship, food and faith-building. More details coming soon!

**Service opportunity for Faith Church!** The Evangelism Committee has received a request from the United Community Concerns Association to assist their clients with donations of toothpaste and dental hygiene products (floss, mouthwash, denture tablets or toothbrushes are welcome) to be distributed at the Mobile Food Pantry. There will be boxes marked UCCA in the Fellowship Hall from April 28 until May 19 for your contributions. This is the same organization that we have donated bath soap to in the past. Their clients are deeply appreciative of the love shown to them through our generous contributions!

**Loerop-Honduras.** Consider being “helping hands” and donating children’s chewable vitamins to La Ceiba, Honduras. Adding chewable vitamins to children’s meager diets helps their overall health. Place your donations in the container marked Loerop-Honduras by the Fellowship Hall piano by Cinco de Mayo (May 5).

**Review Faith CRC’s Facebook Page.** If you haven’t given our church’s Facebook page a review yet, please do! It will help spread the word about our worship services, ministries, and special events. If you feel the page deserves a 5 star review, that will make our page more likely to get engagements so more people will know what we’re all about. If you don’t feel you can give a 5 star review, please let us know how to improve it! Thank you!

## Youth News

**Youth and Young Adult Worship Night:** All 6<sup>th</sup> graders through young adults are invited to join us tonight for a meal, fellowship and worshipping God through song and prayer (7:15 – 9:00 PM).

**Cadets and Jr. Cadets** will be going to Saratoga Grove for a sing-a-long and a pizza party this Wednesday, May 1. We will leave Church at 6:30 PM. Wear your uniform. We will be back at Church at 8:30 PM.

**Asylum Games Night:** All 6-8th graders are invited to join us from 6:30-9:30 PM on May 3 for a night of games, pizza and snacks! Feel free to bring your own and invite your friends! RSVP for food purposes.

**The Gathering Senior Night:** Join us to hear seniors give share some of their faith journey and a night planned by them on May 5 from 7:00 – 9:00 PM.

**Asylum End of Year Party:** Join us for a meal, end of year party and to hear leader's testimonies from 7:00 – 9:00 PM on May 19.

## This Week at Faith

### Today

Catechism, 10:45 - 11:45 AM

Sunday School, 10:45 - 11:45 AM

Sermon Discussion Group, 11:00 AM

Mission Emphasis Potluck Luncheon, 11:45 AM

Youth & Young Adult Worship, 7:00 PM

### Tuesday, April 30

Senior Bible Study, 2:15 PM

### Wednesday, May 1

Men's Prayer Group, 7:00 - 8:00 AM

Bible Study Fellowship, 9:00 AM

Cadets & Jr. Cadets, 6:30 - 8:30 PM at Saratoga

### Thursday, May 2

National Day of Prayer Service, 7:00 PM

### Friday, May 3

Music and the Mind, 10:30 AM

Asylum Game Night, 6:30 - 9:30 PM

### Saturday, May 4

Springfest, 3:30 PM

## Serving Faith Church

**Welcome Team:** Jen David **Next Week:** Sandy Turnbull

**Kitchen:** Brad & Kathy Miedema\*, Logan & Bonnie Van Proyen

**Next Week:** Spencer & Rebecca Anderson\*, Henry & Becky Vander Naald

**Library:** Chuck Slinkman **Next Week:** Nancy Boer, Sharon Herlien

**Audio Visual:** Dan Kooyenga, Logan Van Proyen, Chris Slinkman

**Next Week:** Todd Lindemulder, Mike Speelman, Colin Middel

**Nursery Hostess:** Sarah Schuringa **Next Week:** Susan Middel

**Infant Nursery:** Ruth Flikkema, Harma Slinkman, Niki Tazelaar

**Next Week:** Mindy Slinkman, Julie Speelman, Paige Hoving

**Toddler Nursery:** April Kieft, Joy Koopmans, Emma Dillon

**Next Week:** Melanie Lumkes, Laura Van Kampen, Andrew/Jenny Lumkes

**PM Nursery:** Sue Boonstra, Marta Veenstra

**Next Week:** Bethany Voss, Hannah Schuringa

## **Faith Ministry Contact Information**

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