

June 11, 2017

MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

God Calls Us to Worship

Prelude

*Welcome and God's Greeting

*Song of Worship: #2:1,2,4 (WC)

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

God Renews Us By Grace

Confession and Assurance—Ministry of Music:

"Lord, I Need You"

Prayer

*Song of Worship: #5 (WC)

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

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

Offertory Prayer

Offering:

Timothy Tuition Assistance Fund

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Scripture:

Mark 1:9-11 (p. 990)

Sermon:

FOLLOW THE KING: THE PICTURE AND THE GAME

Prayer

God Meets us in the Sacrament

*Song of Preparation:

"How Deep the Father's Love for Us"

Celebrating the Lord's Supper

Song of Worship: #833 (LH)

"There is a Redeemer"

(this song will be sung during the passing of the bread)

Song of Thanksgiving:

"10,000 Reasons"

*(during this song an offering for our **Benevolent Fund** will be taken*

—as God has met us in our need, we meet others in their need!)

God Blesses Us to Bless Others

*Benediction

*Doxology: #9:4 (WC)

Postlude

"Sing Praise to the Father"

LEADING US IN WORSHIP

Worship Leaders: Pastors Lanser and Schuringa Organ: Donna Erdman

Sermon: Pastor Greg Schuringa Piano: Jan Slinkman

Guitars: Matt Bulthuis, Mike Printz Violin: Kristen Voss

Ministry of Music: Randy Huisman, Mike & Carla Printz

**Please stand if you are able*

(WC-Worshipping Church- in pews; LH-Lift Up Your Hearts Hymnal-not in pews)

We Enter His Presence

- Prelude
*Welcome and God's Greeting
*Song of Praise: #353:1,2,4-6 (WC) "For the Beauty of the Earth"
*Profession of Faith: Our World Belongs to God, Article 44
Children's Message
Prayer
*Song of Worship: #256 (LH) "They'll Know We Are Christians"
Offertory Prayer
Offering: Zuni CRC

We Listen

- Scripture: Genesis 1:26-28 (p. 2)
Sermon: **RECOGNIZING THE IMAGE OF GOD**
Prayer

We Are Sent to Serve

- *Song of Response: "When Hands Reach Out"
(sung to the tune of #593 (WC))
*Benediction
*Doxology: #53:1 (WC) "Let All Things Now Living"
Postlude

LEADING US IN WORSHIP

- Worship Leader: Pastor Matthew Lanser
Sermon: Rev. Mark Stephenson
Piano: Donna Erdman
Guitar: Matt Bulthuis
*Please stand if you are able
(WC-Worshiping Church; LH-Lift Up Your Hearts Hymnal-not in pews)

TODAY AT FAITH

This morning, on Trinity Sunday, we'll be reading Mark 1:9-11. On one level, this text shows us Jesus' commissioning to fulfill God's plan to save His people. On a deeper level, these verses give us a glimpse of the mystery and fullness of our Triune God, and they invite us to draw closer to God.

This morning we have an opportunity to celebrate the Lord's Supper or Communion. May the Lord meet us in a special way in this sacrament, reminding and assuring us of His love and grace. In our Communion celebration, first the bread and then the wine will be distributed by Faith CRC elders. As Jesus unites all believers through His work, we will eat and drink each element in unison, when indicated by the pastor. For those who want grape juice instead of wine, it can be found at the center of each tray. If you are a guest this morning, and a professing member of Jesus in another Bible-believing church, you are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table today. If you have not professed Christ as your Savior in His Church, we ask that you not partake of the sacrament, and encourage you to talk to a pastor or elder about what it means to belong to Jesus so that you can join God's people at the table in the future.

This evening in worship we will focus on recognizing the image of God in all people, including all of us who live with various disabilities and long-term challenges. Rev. Mark Stephenson, Director of Disability Concerns for the CRC, will bring the message.

UPCOMING WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS AT FAITH

June 11, 6:00 PM: Guest Pastor Rev. Mark Stephenson

June 18, 9:30 AM: Children's Church participates in worship for Father's Day; Greetings from Missionary Stan Kruis

June 18, 6:00 PM: Guest Pastor Rev. Stan Kruis

PRAYER & PRAISE

If you have prayer needs, please visit room 1 on the north side of the sanctuary after the morning service.

Judy Rispens has been undergoing chemo recently for a recurrence of cancer. She'll be beginning a new type of chemo treatment this week. Please pray that this new round of treatment is effective, and that Judy experiences minimal side effects.

Phyllis Van Kampen spent much of this past week in Park Place in rehab after hip surgery. She hoped to be home by this weekend.

Barb Wieringa continues to undergo hip rehab at Brookdale in Lisle.

Remember to pray for those who are unable to join us in worship. Today we think of **Sis Bosman** who lives in Lacey Creek, 4200 Lacey Rd. Downers Grove.

"Thank you to the congregation for the many cards, prayers and words of encouragement during my surgery & recovery from my broken leg. Thank you also to Rev. Lanser for his visits. It's a joy to be in the family of God."

Gert Tazelaar

Our denomination, **The Christian Reformed Church in North America**, is holding its annual **Synod** this week from June 9-15. Synod is the annual meeting in which representatives from the churches gather to process denominational business and provide guidance for the churches on a variety of matters. **Al De Los Santos** and **Chuck Slinkman** from Faith are serving as delegates at Synod this year. Please keep these meetings in your prayers this week.

OFFERINGS

Today: AM: Timothy Tuition Assistance Fund. **PM:** Zuni CRC.

June 18: AM: Elmhurst Presbyterian Church (PADS). **PM:** Calvin Seminary.

June 25: AM: Timothy Tuition Assistance Fund.

PM: Rehoboth Christian School.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Faith CRC Council approved a motion to allow the Director of Youth Ministries, Jonathan Barney, and his family to move into the church-owned house adjacent to the church property. The DYM salary will be adjusted to offset this new housing benefit. The arrangement will be reviewed annually. If anyone has specific questions, they can be directed to your district elder or deacon.

Two more VBS crew leaders are needed for this week! Even if you can only do a day or two, that would still be helpful. Join us in sharing God's love with the children that attend. We have 100 already registered and need 2 more crew leaders (12 or older) to guide and transition their group from one activity to another. No preparation is needed on your part. Contact Jonathan, 630-280-8046 TODAY!

The Walk for CareNet will be held on Saturday, June 17, 2017. This is a fundraiser for CareNet Pregnancy Service of DuPage. You can sign up to walk or pledge your financial support at the table in the Fellowship Hall today. Please prayerfully consider helping with the fight against abortion and helping the victims of abortion. Any questions call Lambert Bronger, 630-655-9422.

A CPR Training Class will be offered at Faith on Friday, June 23 from 6:30 - 9:30 PM or Saturday, June 24 from 8:30 - 11:30 AM. This is a great opportunity to renew your existing CPR certificate or acquire one for the first time. You will also learn how to use the church AED device. The class will be taught by Betty Jo Rispens and you need only attend one session. If you are a leader in any of the programs at Faith you are encouraged to take advantage of this free opportunity. Please RSVP to Betty Jo, 708-287-3813 or rispens3@att.net and let her know which class you would like to attend before June 11.

Did you forget to pick up your sub sandwiches? They are in the freezer ready and waiting for your dining pleasure. Also, left behind at the Taco Dinner, is a nice crock pot. Please check the kitchen asap, or it will be donated by June 15.

Chicago Christian Counseling Center is sponsoring a 10 week support group for women who have suffered the trauma of childhood emotional, physical, sexual, or spiritual abuse/neglect. The group is facilitated by Julie Woodley, MA, Founder/Director of Restoring the Heart Ministries, trauma counselor, film director, speaker and writer – all for the Glory of God! The group will meet on Tuesdays from 7:00 – 9:00 PM in Naperville, beginning on June 20. Please see the poster in the Fellowship Hall for more info or contact info@chicagochristiancounseling.org.

The Middle School Catechism Class will be collecting aluminum cans throughout the summer. The money from the cans will be donated to *Feed My Starving Children*. Please help us by saving your cans and dropping them off in tightly tied bags at the house.

Faith Book Club is reading *Deep Undercover: My Secret Life and Tangled Allegiances as a KGB Spy in America* by Jack Barsky for their September 13 meeting. Excellent summer reading!

YOUTH NEWS

Registration for VBS is available online at www.faihelmhurst.org: Join us at the Maker's Fun Factory this week, June 12 - 15! Invite your friends and neighbors to this FREE program!

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

TODAY

Children's Church will meet during the second half of morning worship.

The Sermon Discussion Group will be taking a summer break and will resume in September.

MONDAY, JUNE 12

Vacation Bible School begins at 9:00 AM.

TUESDAY, JUNE 13

Vacation Bible School from 9:00 – 11:30 AM.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14

Men's Prayer Group will meet from 7:00 - 8:00 AM.

Vacation Bible School from 9:00 – 11:30 AM.

THURSDAY, JUNE 15

Vacation Bible School from 9:00 – 11:30 AM.

Vacation Bible School Program and Ice Cream Social at 7:00 PM.

SERVING FAITH CHURCH

Welcome Team: Dave Printz, Sara Swanson

Next Week: Al De Los Santos, Jack Vos

Greeters: Jim & Charis Engel, Brent & Linda Van Dyk

Saratoga Driver: Bob Nicodem **Next Week:** Corey Van Dyk

Kitchen: Bob & Linda Loerop, Gerrit & Lori Wieringa*

Next Week: Jim & Kathleen Lindemulder*, Byron & Cathy Plate

Library: Jeri Cook, Laura Miller

Next Week: Kathleen Glaubke, Laurie Wieringa

Audio Visual: Steve De Boer, Mike Speelman, Ryan De Boer

Next Week: Todd Lindemulder, Mary Huizinga, Jonah Vander Naald

Nursery Hostess: Allison Vander Naald **Next Week:** Joy Koopmans

Infant Nursery: Dorothy Allen, Trudy Voss, Grace Lindemulder

Next Week: Mary Huizinga, Bethany Voss, Zavien Baron

Toddler Nursery: Mindy Slinkman, Ashley Van Byssum, Paige Hoving

Next Week: Rachel Baron, Val Hoving, Eli Baron

PM Nursery: Julie Speelman, Pat Tobin

Next Week: Joy Koopmans, Sharon Rozendal

2017 – 2018 ELDER/DEACON DISTRICTS

Church Members:

1. A – Bo
 2. Br – D
 3. E – G
 4. H – Huin
 5. Huis – K
 6. L – Mie
 7. Mil – R
 8. S – Taz
 9. Taz – Van K
 10. Van T – Ve
 11. Vos – Z
- Out of Town

Elder/Deacon team:

- Ron Tazelaar/Darrell Stodola
Pete Holtrop/Spencer Anderson
Len Turnbull/Jonathan Huizinga
Matt Bulthuis/Matt Tazelaar
Rich Vroom/Peter Groenewold
Bob Wieringa/John Tazelaar
Greg Lanenga/Corey Van Dyk
Dave Voss/Adam Zarek
Ray Middel/Scott Piersma
Bern Slinkman/Chris Slinkman
Jim Engel/Jon Kinnas
Don Miller/Al De Los Santos