

## Gathered to Worship

Prelude

Welcome and God's Greeting

Song of Worship:

"Your Name"

## Relying on Grace

Confession and Assurance and Commissioning

Prayer

Song of Worship: #585:1,2,4 (LH)

"With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring"

## Giving with Thanks

Offertory Prayer

Offering:

Faith Promise Missionaries

## Hearing God's Word

Scripture:

Psalms 33:1-12 (p. 549)

Sermon:

**A BLESSED NATION**

Prayer

## Blessed to Serve

Song of Response: #416:1,3,4 (WC)

"Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory"

Benediction

Doxology: #325:1,2 (PH)

"Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

Postlude

## Leading us in Worship

Worship Leader:

Dr. Greg Schuringa

Sermon:

Dr. Derke Bergsma

Organ:

Donna Erdman

Violin:

Kristen Voss

Guitar:

Mike Printz

*\*Please stand if you are able*

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

## God Calls Us to Worship

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Welcome and God's Greeting

Song of Praise:

"Here I Am to Worship"

## We Express Our Faith and Gratitude

Profession of Faith: Heidelberg Catechism Q & A 86 (*p.44 in the back of the PH*)

Prayer

Song of Worship: #448 (PH)

"Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies"

Offertory Prayer

Offering:

My Brother's Kitchen

## God Speaks to His People

Scripture:

Matthew 5:14-16 (*p. 958*)

Sermon:

**THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD**

Prayer

## We Go Out with God's Blessing

Song of Response: #121:1,2,4,5 (WC)

"Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts"

Benediction

Doxology: #124 (WC)

"I Love You Lord"

Postlude

## Leading us in Worship

Worship Leader:

Dr. Greg Schuringa

Sermon:

Dr. Dave Armstrong

Piano:

Ruth Hopp

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

## Today at Faith

**This morning** we welcome Faith CRC member Dr. Derke Bergsma to the pulpit! Also in worship, we'll commission our high school students for their summer service project in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.

**This evening** Dr. Dave Armstrong will be preaching and the service will be followed by our July ice-cream social in the Fellowship Hall.

## Upcoming Worship Highlights at Faith

July 1 PM: Ice Cream Social After Worship

July 15 AM: Baptism Sunday

## Offerings

Today: AM: Faith Promise Missionaries. PM: My Brother's Kitchen.

July 8: AM: Timothy Tuition Assistance Fund.

PM: CareNet Pregnancy Services.

July 15: AM: Lampstand Ministries. PM: Elmhurst Walk-in Ministries.

July 22: AM: Faith General Fund. PM: P.A.D.S. of DuPage County.

July 29: AM: Timothy Tuition Assistance Fund.

PM: Horizon Community Church.

## Prayer & Praise

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

**Jerry and Carole Wieringa** have moved. Please make the following address change to your church directory for the Wieringas. 450 Raintree Ct. 2K Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

**Dick Brichta** continues to undergo therapy and rehab at Lexington Health Care of Elmhurst.

Congratulations to **L CPL Dan Tobin and Rachel Ramiento** who were united in marriage on June 16 in California. Please note their address change in your church directory: 42211 Stonewood Rd #75, Temecula, CA 92591

Remember to pray for those who are unable to join us in worship. Today we think of **Kathy De Vries** who lives in Rolling Meadows.

**Happy Birthday** to **Betty Klaassens** (87) on July 4, **Doris Bergsma** (89) on July 5, **George Vos** (88) on July 8, **Kathy De Vries** (82) on July 9, **Gert Tazelaar** (Mrs. Ray) (91) on July 14, **Eric Johnson** (87) and **Marcy Laning** (87) on July 18, **Grace Bolt** (93) on July 23, **Al Rispens** (89) on July 25 and **Ken Van Byssum** (80) on July 27.

## Announcements

**Summer hours for the church office** will be Monday-Thursday from 9:00 AM until noon. Questions, prayer requests and announcements can be sent to [office@faithelmhurst.org](mailto:office@faithelmhurst.org) or 630-279-1776.

**Children's Church** will be on a summer break until September.

**Prayer for High School Puerto Vallarta Trip:** Fourteen students and leaders will be heading to Mexico July 7-14 to encourage the local church and minister to street children. We will be facilitating VBS with the children, leading worship services and doing light construction work for the church. Please pray for safety, learning, fellowship and mutual encouragement with the Mexican believers and team.

**We'd love more student volunteers for the nurseries.** Students entering 4th grade to high school are invited to volunteer. If you're not already on our list, please contact Joy Koopmans, 616-610-0259 or [faithcrcnursery@gmail.com](mailto:faithcrcnursery@gmail.com)).

Bob Wieringa's sudden and tragic passing has left a **vacant elder position for the 2018-19 church year**. At its last meeting, Council decided to hold a short congregational meeting on July 15 to elect a new elder for the remaining year of Bob's term. Prior to the recent elder elections in May, Don Oostman and Ted Vander Naald had been nominated by the Council as candidates for the position of elder but were not chosen by lot. Both Don and Ted have agreed to serve for this one-year vacancy if called upon; therefore, at the meeting following the morning service, the congregation will be asked by voice vote to affirm its endorsement of these candidates then one name will be drawn from the basket. Council is asking for your prayers for this election process as well as your continued prayers for the Wieringa family. If you have questions, please speak with an elder or deacon.

**The Missions Committee** will meet after morning worship today in room 4/5.

**Meet Me @ the Park** – come and join other women and children for a morning of fun and fellowship. We'll be meeting at Eldridge Park at the playground by the pond on select Fridays throughout the summer from 10:00 AM until noon. Our dates for the summer are July 13 & 27 and August 10. Invite your friends and neighbors.

## This Week at Faith

### Today

The Missions Committee will meet at 10:45 AM in room 4/5.  
Ice Cream Social following the 6:00 PM worship.

### Wednesday, June 27

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

### Saturday, July 7

The Gathering Serve trip leaves for Mexico at 9:00 AM.

## Serving Faith Church

**Welcome Team:** Herm Vander Naald

**Next Week:** Al De Los Santos

**Kitchen:** Jim & Kathleen Lindemulder, Byron & Cathy Plate\*

**Next Week:** Gary & Lisa Vander Naald, Val Hoving & Mary Huizinga\*

**Library:** Nancy Boer, Sharon Herlien **Next Week:** Jeri Cook, Laurie Wieringa

**Audio Visual:** Steve David, Mike Speelman, Ryan David

**Next Week:** Steve DeBoer, Colin Middel, Mary Huizinga

**Nursery Hostess:** Emily Frank **Next Week:** Joy Koopmans

**Infant Nursery:** Liz Boonstra, Liz Tabb

**Next Week:** Dorothy Allen, Heather Turner, Emily Turner

**Toddler Nursery:** Charis Engel, Cindy Vander Naald

**Next Week:** Rachel Kinnas, Jen Bernahl, Hailey Bernahl

**PM Nursery:** Laura Lanser, Olivia Schuringa

**Next Week:** Pat Tobin, Joy Koopmans