

Faith Christian Reformed Church

Worship Service: 9:30 am

Oct. 31, 2021

Sermon Notes

Bible Reading – Luke 1:5-25

Message: **Gracious Silence**

Prelude

God Gathers His People

Welcome

*God Greet Us

*We Greet Each Other (waving)

*Call to Worship

*Opening Songs – *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* (LUYH #776 v. 1-2, 4)

Reformation Song

Confession and Assurance

Song of Response – *His Mercy is More*

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message

(Walk-Out Worship - children age 3-K go downstairs; masks required)

Prayer of Illumination

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Prayer

We Respond to God's Word

*Song of Response – *Not What My Hands Have Done* (LUYH #624)

Announcements

Prayer of the People

Offering: Trinity Christian College

God Sends Us with His Blessing

*Blessing

*Sending Song – *I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace*

(LUYH #690 v. 1-3)

Message: Dr. Kyle Dieleman

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Welcome

October 31, 2021

We're glad you've joined us today, either in person or via live stream. The east overflow is reserved for those who wear masks and wish to sit among others with masks.

This Week

Today:

9:30 am Worship
11:00 am Church School
11:00 am Adult Church School

Mon:

6:30 pm Prayer Group (via Zoom)
7:00 pm Women's Bible Study Fellowship

Tues:

7:00 pm Elders

Weds:

6:30 pm GEMS girls club

Fri:

6:30 pm STIR

Our Church Family

Neal M is home following successful surgery to remove a growth on his pituitary gland, and has had some immediate improvements to his health. Continue to pray for him as he recovers.

Neal & Nancy M's son-in-law, Javed B, is hospitalized to remove fluid on his heart and to receive a port for his ongoing treatments. The family appreciates our ongoing prayers as the road ahead remains challenging with his cancer diagnosis.

Jim & Jane R's daughter Natalie, 25, was diagnosed with a benign brain lesion. We share in the Rosendale's relief that it wasn't worse, and pray for God's ongoing protection for Natalie.

Karen B fell, resulting in 3 fractured ribs and a punctured lung. She is experiencing more confusion which could be from pain meds. May God give strength and stamina to Bernie and protection for Karen.

Announcements

This morning Dr. Kyle D, member of Faith Church and History Professor at Trinity Christian College, will preach for us. Pastor Chris is off today. We will celebrate communion next Sunday.

Card Ministry will be meeting on Thursday, November 4, at 7:00pm. Please call or text Chris S by Tuesday morning if you are coming so that enough supplies are prepared.

Our church internet has been upgraded. The new Faith Public wifi password is available in the outer office.

Exam Treat Bags for our 7 college and post-college students will be assembled in 3 weeks. Donations (gum, snack packs, chips, cookies, etc.) are being accepted in the church office, or put monetary gifts in Jan B's mailbox. Call Jan if you didn't get an email confirming you are on the list. (708-532-8300 or tpfaithcrc@sbcglobal.net).

Adult Church School: Join us today at 11am in the sanctuary as we view session 2 of *Season 2 of The Chosen* "**Come & See: I Saw You**". If unable to attend, use this link: <https://studios.vidangel.com/the-chosen/>

Orland Park Christian Reformed Church will have a 50th anniversary celebration on Dec. 5 at 4 pm. We are invited to join them for the worship service and the coffee hour to follow. A panel discussion will include members of Faith CRC and New Life Church, daughter churches of OPCRC, and Christ Community Church, a new joint ministry venture.

Opportunities to Serve

Today

Walk-out Worship

Sue H, Jack W

Librarian

Donna A

Open & close church – Oct.

John D & Jeff D

Offerings – Last week

General Fund:

Bethshan:

Next week

Mary Beth F, Alivia G

Nancy T

Next week

Benevolence