



THE LORD

PSALM 23:1

is MY

SHEPHERD

I *Shall*

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NIEKERK CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

May12, 2019

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Morning Worship Service – 9:30 am

Preparatory Graduate Sunday

Prelude

Welcome to Worship

*The Lord's Greeting

*Mutual Greetings

***King of My Heart**

***Awesome Is the Lord Most High**

~Little Lambs is dismissed~

Preparatory

Prayer

Offering: Positive Options

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***Oceans**

Children's Message

Scripture: **Psalm 23** – page 859

Message: **"Right Paths"**

Prayer of Application

***Step By Step**

*God's Blessing

***Cornerstone**

*Postlude

* Invites those who are able to stand

Worship Participants:

Pastor Jason Pierce

Organist – Karen Lucas

Pianist – Kristi Driscoll

WORSHIP SERVICE NOTES

Today is preparatory for the Lord's Supper which will be served next week Sunday morning.

Evening Worship Service – 6:00 pm

Prelude

Welcome to Worship

*The Lord's Greeting

*Mutual Greetings

***Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise** – Gray Hymnal 460

***You're Worthy of My Praise**

Offering: Positive Options

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God's Law

Prayer

***Seek Ye First** – Gray Hymnal 209

Scripture: **Matthew 22:15-22** – page 1538

Message: **“Give to Caesar What Is Caesar's
and to God What Is God's”**

Prayer of Application

***Take My Life (I Am Yours)**

*God's Blessing

***Father, We Love You** – Gray Hymnal 634

*Postlude

* Invites those who are able to stand

Worship Participants:

Pastor Darren Kornelis

Organist – Karen Lucas

Pianist – Kristi Driscoll

Today, we also congratulate the high school graduates: Dan DeKam, Leah Douma, Jacob Heeres, Laura Helder, Kendra Koopman, Ben Slenk, Annalise Timmer, Elizabeth Timmer and Kimberly Van Houten. Cake and refreshments will be served after the morning service in the Fellowship Center.

Next week Sunday morning we look forward to Dan DeKam's Profession of Faith and Communion.

Deacons' Offering Report: Loose money in today's offering is for Positive Options. Next week's offering is for the Benevolent Fund. Last week's envelope collections totaled \$8,008. Our weekly budget requirement is \$11,841.

Little Lambs meets during the morning worship service for children age 3 and 4 years of age. Lesson: Barnabas; leaders: Jacob Heeres, Lisa & Cody Kragt

Nursery Attendants: THANK YOU!

Today:

AM Pat Texer, Laura Bosch, Annalise Timmer, Tami Sneller
PM Char Janssen & Dawn Folkert

Next Week:

AM Elizabeth Timmer, Marcy Brower, Shane & Rachel Plaggemars
PM Renee Texer & Kaylin Van Dyke

THIS WEEK AT NIEKERK

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	10:45 AM	Morning Fellowship
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Tuesday	9:00 AM	Ladies Craft Day
Wednesday	11:00 AM	Senior (65+) Singles
Thursday	6:30 PM	Niekerk C vs Community RCA
	8:30 PM	Niekerk B vs Providence CRC
Friday	9:00 AM	Hand2Hand Packing
	9:00 AM	Moms with Tots

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Little Lambs. *Today is our last day.* A HUGE thank you goes to the leaders and helpers who made this program successful.

Niekerk News Reminder. It's that time again to gather information for the June newsletter. Please submit reports, thank you notes, volunteer lists and all other news by next Sunday, May 19. The Niekerk News mailboxes are in the bottom right hand corner of each mailbox section or send an email to secretary@niekerkcrc.org. Thank you!

Widow & Widower's Dinner: The Deacons and their spouses invite you to join us Wednesday, May 22, for an evening of food, fun and fellowship at the Trestle Stop Restaurant in Hamilton. Dinner will be served at 6:00pm. The private room will be open at 5:30pm, so come early to visit. RSVP by signing up on the sheet at the Information Center.

Profession of Faith Class. If you are interested in making Profession of Faith this summer, sign up at the Information Center today. A four-session class will be held on Sundays after the morning service on June 2, 9, 16 and 23. Dates are flexible for those who may have to miss a week.

Nursery Volunteers Needed. Thursday, May 30, is Ascension Day and the nursery is in need volunteers for this service starting at 6:30pm. Contact Renee Texer at 616-443-9911 or by email at reneetexer@gmail.com if you are willing to help.

Women's Summer Bible Study. It's time for girls and women of ALL ages to sign up for Women's Summer Bible Study 2019!! We will be meeting Tuesday mornings in the basement All Purpose Room from 9:30am –10:45am. We will study the book *Jesus Always Bible Study: Following God's Direction* led by Char Janssen. The book cost is \$4 per person (free if you are 7-8 Club or Youth Group). Bring a friend! A signup sheet is at the Information Center. Dates are: June 11, 18, 25; July 9, 16, 23, 30 and August 6.

Help Wanted: Summer Bible Club 2019. This summer begins our 25th season of SBC and we need your help! Please consider helping with crafts, recreation, being a walk along friend, serving snacks, or baking snacks. All ages are welcome. Sign-up sheets are located at the Information Center. Any questions? feel free to ask Beth Vander Meulen.

Hockey Rock Volunteers Needed! We are getting ready for this summer and we need your help! Every volunteer makes an impact in these children's lives. Consider helping with set-up and tear down, food servers, prayer group leader, game assistants, crafts or a DJ/Announcer. Sign up at the Information Center today!

What does a **Hockey Rock** game assistant do? They do lots of smiling, lots of talking with kids, watching games, playing games like ladder golf, pool, air hockey, and Nu'kem. They also help kids with skates, crafts and many other fun activities! If you can do some of these things, please sign up as a game assistant.

Hand2Hand. We are collecting 15oz canned Chili and 8.5 oz Jiffy corn muffin mix for the month of May.

Church Sign Donation Match. The Donations Committee has received notice of an anonymous donor that has come forward to match any monies donated up to \$10,000. Monthly updates on monies raised will be in the Niekerk News.

Save the Date for the Heights of Hope 5K and 1.5-mile Run/Walk, Saturday, August 17. Join us for an evening celebrating our community with a pig roast, ice cream, music, prizes, and plenty of inspirational moments! Race and volunteer registrations open soon.

Prayer Requests and Health Concerns. Contact your District Elder or Pastor Darren (559-909-2939) with any requests or updates.

Church Assistance Program. Anxiety disorders in kids can be particularly disabling, some may experience fear or nervousness to the point where they avoid places and activities. Voicing their emotions is often a major hurdle too. But through our CAP, a therapist can help your child or teen recognize, evaluate and change their anxious thoughts. Call 616-455-6210 or 1-800-442-0809 to schedule an appointment.

Pop Cans! The Youth Group is still collecting pop cans! Please help them by bringing in your rinsed cans.

Elder and Deacon Districts:

A-Bowman	Doug Wedeven	Scott Sybesma
Brandsen-Grotenhuis	Bob Steenwyk	John Timmer
Haan-Janssen	Paul Bulthuis	Joel Kryger
Jones-Leep	John Janssen	Mike Schierbeek
Louwerse-Plaggemars	Rog Sneller	Dean Koopman
Prince - Shoemaker	Steve Slenk	Scott Van Dyke
Slenk-Tjarks	Mark Hop	Shane Plaggemars
Tucker-Zeerip	Carl Helder	Joe Texer

Dates for Your Calendar:

- May 19 Communion AM
- May 20 Moms with Tots
Executive Meeting
- May 21 Red Cross Blood Drive
- May 24 Hand2Hand Packing
- May 27 Memorial Day
- May 30 Ascension Day Service 6:30pm
- May 31 Hand2Hand Packing
Moms with Tots
- June 3 Elder & Deacon Meeting
Council Meeting
- June 9 Pastor Jason's Installation PM
- June 10 Hockey Rock
- June 11 Women's Summer Bible Study
- June 17 Hockey Rock
- June 18 Summer Bible Club
Women's Summer Bible Study
- June 19 Senior (65+) Singles
- June 24 Hockey Rock
- June 25 Summer Bible Club
Women's Summer Bible Study

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