



Profession
of **FAITH**

NIEKERK CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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Morning Worship Service – 9:30 am

Communion

Profession of Faith – Daniel DeKam

Prelude

Welcome to Worship

*The Lord's Greeting

*Mutual Greetings

****The Old Rugged Cross***

****It Is Well***

Profession of Faith

****King of My Heart***

****In Christ Alone***

****I Will Rise***

Offering: The Benevolent Fund

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Prayer

Scripture: **2 Samuel 9** – page 480

Message: **“Eating at the King’s Table”**

Prayer of Application

Communion

*God's Blessing

****Behold the Lamb (Communion Hymn)***

*Postlude

* Invites those who are able to stand

Worship Participants:

Pastor Darren Kornelis

Organist – Karen Lucas

Pianist – Kristi Driscoll

WORSHIP SERVICE NOTES

This morning includes a celebration of the Lord's Supper. All who have openly shared their need for forgiveness of sin, their faith in Jesus, and their desire to follow him as Lord are welcome to celebrate with us at the Lord's table.

Evening Worship Service – 6:00 pm

Prelude

Welcome to Worship

*The Lord's Greeting

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***10,000 Reasons**

***Forever**

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God's Law

Prayer

***Speak O Lord**

Scripture: **Deuteronomy 6:20-25** – page 284

Text: **John 1:14** – page 1647

Message: **“Whose Truth?”**

Prayer of Application

***Teach Me, O Lord, Your Way of Truth** – Gray Hymnal 276

*God's Blessing

***Shine, Jesus, Shine**

*Postlude

* Invites those who are able to stand

Worship Participants:

Pastor John Ouwinga

Organist – Marge Boeve

Pianist – Kristi Driscoll

Deacons' Offering Report: Loose money in today's offering is for the Benevolent Fund. Next week's offering is for Summer Bible Club. Last week's envelope collections totaled \$10,244. Our weekly budget requirement is \$11,841.

Nursery Attendants: THANK YOU!

Today:

AM Elizabeth Timmer, Marcy Brower, Shane & Rachel Plaggemars

PM Renee Texer & Kaylin Van Dyke

Next Week:

AM Bethany Van Houten, Anita Windemuller, Sara & Maria Heeres

PM Abby Helder & Brenda Van Dyke

THIS WEEK AT NIEKERK

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	10:45 AM	Morning Fellowship
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	9:00 AM	Moms with Tots
	6:00 PM	Executive Meeting
Tuesday	9:00 AM	Ladies Craft Day
	1:00 PM	Red Cross Blood Drive
Thursday	6:30 PM	Niekerk C vs The Foundry
	8:30 PM	Niekerk B vs Bethel CRC *Request Field
Friday	9:00 AM	Hand2Hand Packing

COUNCIL NOTES

This past Monday, May 13, Pastor Jason graduated from Western Seminary. His Classical examination is scheduled for next Tuesday, May 21. His examination for ministerial credentials in the RCA will be handled by Zeeland Classis. His examination is not open to the public or members of Niekerk CRC to attend.

Once Pastor Jason passes his examination an ordination service will be held at Niekerk CRC during the evening service of June 9. Please keep him in your prayers as he prepares for the examination this coming Tuesday and for confidence it will go well!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Niekerk News Deadline Today. Please submit reports, thank you notes, volunteer lists and all other news today. The Niekerk News mailboxes are in the bottom right hand corner of each mailbox section or send an email to secretary@niekerkcrc.org.

Widow & Widower's Dinner: *It's the last day to sign up!* The Deacons and their spouses invite you to join them this Wednesday 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.

Red Cross Blood Drive. This week Tuesday from 1:00 to 7:45pm is the blood drive at Niekerk. To register for this event, go to www.redcrossblood.org.

Pastor Jason's Ordination and Installation will be Sunday, June 9, during the evening service. In celebration, a light supper will be served after the service in the Fellowship Center. Please sign up at the Information Center so preparations can be made for the meal.

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.

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.

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 Still Needed! Sign up to help 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!

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.

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

Bravo Community Church Sonshine Thrift Store. Come see the newly renovated store on Saturday, June 1, from 10am – 2pm. The pig roast starts at noon.

Hand2Hand and Meijer Simply Give. H2H receives FREE food once a month from a ministry in Hamilton called Hungry for Christ Food Ministries. We pass these food items on to the children who receive Hand2Hand. *Friday, May 31, is a special double match day!* This means a donation of \$10 will become \$30! The Meijer Simply Give program runs from May 12-June 22. At the 16th Street Meijer location you can purchase a donation card that will go directly to Hungry for Christ through the Meijer Simply Give program. All you need to do is pick up one of the Simply Give cards and tell the cashier how much you would like to donate. Hungry for Christ will then use the donation cards to purchase food items at Meijer. Thank you for supporting hunger relief.

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! The Heights of Hope 5K and 1.5-mile Run/Walk will be 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.

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

Church Assistance Program. Postpartum depression or other perinatal mood or anxiety disorders (PMAD) can occur during a woman's pregnancy or until two years after birth. These are illnesses as real as any other medical conditions. If anxiety, sadness, scary or disturbing thoughts are making it difficult for you or a loved one to fully experience the joys of motherhood, call our CAP 616-455-6210 or 1-800-442-0809 for free and confidential support.

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

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 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 Ordination & 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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