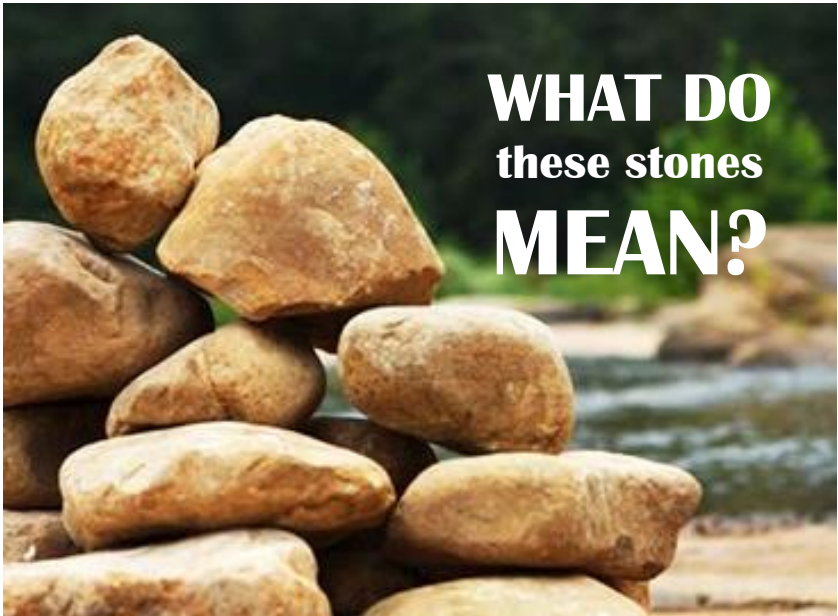


NIEKERK CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH



**WHAT DO
these stones
MEAN?**

July 1, 2018

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Morning Worship Service – 9:30 am

Prelude

Welcome to Worship

*The Lord's Greeting

*Mutual Greetings

***10,000 Reasons**

***Unbroken Praise**

Offering: The Health Pantry

~PLEASE SIGN AND PASS THE FELLOWSHIP REGISTER~

Prayer

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

Children's Message

Scripture: **Joshua 4:1-7** – page 334

Deuteronomy 27:1-8 – page 312

Message: **"Memorial Stones"**

I. River Stones

II. Standing Stones

III. Altar Stones

Prayer of Application

***We Will Remember**

*God's Blessing

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

*Postlude

* Invites those who are able to stand

Worship Participants:

Pastor Ron Noorman

Organist – Karen Lucas

Pianist – Laura Elzinga

WORSHIP SERVICE NOTES

Deacons' Offering Report: Loose money in today's offering is for the Health Pantry. Next week's offering is for Good Samaritan Ministries. Last week's envelope collections totaled \$11,278.

Evening Worship Service – 6:00 pm

Prelude

*Welcome to Worship

*The Lord's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

***The Heavens Declare Your Glory** – Gray Hymnal 429

***Glorified**

Prayer

Offering: The Health Pantry

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***Come to the Savior Now** – Gary Hymnal 535:1,2,4

Scripture: **Luke 19:1-10** – page 1632

Message: **“By the Foot or By the Heart”**

I. The Complaint

II. The Effect of Jesus

III. The Explanation

Prayer of Application

***Mighty to Save**

*God's Blessing

***To God Be the Glory** – Gray Hymnal 473:1,2

*Postlude

* Invites those who are able to stand

Worship Participants:

Pastor Ron Noorman

Organist – Marge Boeve

Pianist – Laura Elzinga

Nursery Attendants: THANK YOU!

Today:

AM Elizabeth Timmer, Jenn Schierbeek, Shane & Rachel
Plaggemars

PM Laura Helder & Deb Schierbeek

Next Week:

AM Kimberly Van Houten, Carol Keen, Lori & Ashley Klaasen

PM Melinda Kryger & Trisha Texer

THIS WEEK AT NIEKERK

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	10:45 AM	Morning Fellowship
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	5:30 PM	Hockey Rock
	6:00 PM	Elder & Deacon Meetings
	7:00 PM	Council Meeting
Saturday	4:30 AM	Mission Trip Send Off

YOUTH MINISTRIES

Boston Trip Participants: Please remember we will be leaving the church parking lot promptly at 4:30am on Saturday, July 7th. If you have any questions or concerns leading up to the trip, please contact Laura or Jamie.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

We extend our sympathy to **Jim and Nancy Means** in the passing of Nancy father, William Jessick, who passed away on Monday, June 25. A family service will be held at a later date.

The Congregation is invited to witness the marriage of Mike Roelofs and Heidi Faris on Friday, July 6, at 6:00pm at Niekerk.

Josh Wedeven arrived safely Monday night in Nairobi at 10pm Kenyan time. Pray for unity in Christ and prepared hearts.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There is NO Women's Summer Bible Study meeting this week. Enjoy the holiday—and we'll see you next week!

The Congregation is invited to see the youth group off from the parking lot at 4:30am on Saturday, July 7.

Boston Mission Trip. If you want to keep up with the youth while they are in Boston, check out their blog!
<https://niekerkcrcyg.blogspot.com/>.

Pictorial and Phonebook Updates. Check your information in the phonebook and the pictorial and send any changes to Julie Mulder at secretary@niekerkcrc.org. If you were unable to have your picture taken at church, feel free to send an updated photo.

Hockey Rock! What a great night to be outdoors! We had 75 Hockey Rockers! Pastor Mike from Ebenezer led us in devotions. We were able to give away lots of prizes, and basketball and nine square was busy. A special thank you to our youth group and young adult volunteers!

When you need help, God is with you. What a fun night at Summer Bible Club! We had a full group of students this past Tuesday night. The lesson for the night taught us about Daniel interpreting Nebuchadnezzar's dream. Daniel explained how God's Kingdom is the ultimate Kingdom and that whenever you need help, God is with you. The rest of the night included creating sculptures in crafts, hitting whiffle balls outside, and eating cake and ice cream at snacks. Thanks again to all who helped make the night a success!

Congregation Meeting. On Wednesday, July 11, there will be an informational meeting at 7:00pm.

Recently you received a letter from the **Holland Division of Bible League International Volunteers**. Please read this letter carefully and prayerfully consider supporting their "Bring God's Word to Latin America" project to provide Bibles, biblical resources, and training to waiting believers all across Latin America. Please respond on or before July 15. Together we can strive to end the global Bible famine, help people meet Jesus and change lives for Him! Thank you for making an eternal difference. Carolyn Rietman and Nancy Roelofs.

Mark your calendars for the **Heights of Hope 5K and 1.5 Mile** on Thursday, August 16, at 6:30pm! Come join our community for an evening of running/walking, a pig roast and ice cream and great door prizes! To register or volunteer, please visit www.heightsofhope.com.

Church Assistance Program. When things go wrong in your life, it may feel like your whole world is falling apart! News and social media can compound this feeling. Being overwhelmed by stress can cause us to feel more pessimistic about our own lives and prospects. It can become almost impossible to think clearly and find solutions to your problems. If you're struggling with negative feelings, your CAP can help. Call 616-455-6210 or 1-800-442-0809 for free and confidential support.

Collecting 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	Daryl Van Dyke	Scott Sybesma
Brandsen-Grotenhuis	Jerry Zeerip	John Timmer
Haan-Janssen	Tim Leep	Joel Kryger
Jones-Leep	John Janssen	Mike Schierbeek
Louwerse-Plaggemars	Rog Sneller	Ryan Texer
Prince - Shoemaker	Steve Slenk	Scott Van Dyke
Slenk-Tjarks	Cal Schierbeek	Zeb Driscoll
Tucker-Zeerip	Carl Helder	Todd Sneller

Pastor Schedule for July and August:

July 8	Pastor Wayne Brouwer AM Pastor Bill Vander Werp PM
July 15	Pastor Wayne Brouwer AM Sem. Jason Pierce PM
July 22	Pastor Steve Vander Molen AM Pastor Bill Vander Werp PM
July 29	Pastor Steve Vander Molen PM
August 5	Pastor Steve Vander Molen AM Pastor Bill Vander Werp PM
August 12	DeMyron Hayes
August 19	Pastor Steve Vander Molen PM
August 26	Pastor Ren Broekhuizen

Dates for Your Calendar:

July 7-15	Boston Mission Trip
July 9	Hockey Rock
July 10	Summer Bible Club Women's Bible Study
July 11	Red Cross Blood Drive Congregation Meeting
July 15	Communion AM
July 16	Hockey Rock
July 17	Summer Bible Club Women's Bible Study
July 22	SBC Service PM
July 24	Summer Bible Club Women's Bible Study
July 31	Summer Bible Club Women's Bible Study
August 16	Heights of Hope 5K
August 19	Outdoor Service PM

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