



CALEDONIA CRC - ADULT EDUCATION
Fall/Winter 2018
Sundays at 11:00am in the Choir Room

- September 9:** **A Historical Look at Baseball in West Michigan**
Richard Harms, a Baseball Archivist will give a presentation detailing the history which included black teams, a world champion indoor baseball team and the local women's team, the Grand Rapids Chicks.
- September 16:** **God's Creation Viewed Underwater**
Kelli Walkotten, a professional photographer will share her work capturing God's amazing creation under the sea.
- September 23:** **Prison Ministry**
Bob Arbogast, pastor of Celebration Fellowship will share the unique ministry of pastoring a prison church in the Ionia State Prison. Celebration Fellowship is supported by our Faith Promise Missions.
- September 30:** **Interpreting Christ's Great Commission in 2018 - Panel Discussion**
Christ left this world with very specific instructions to "Go and make disciples of all nations." How do you respond? Discuss with a panel of individuals about how they are called to live out the Great Commission.
- October 7** **Masculinity, Militarism and Power in American Christianity**
Mrs. Kristin Du Metz, Professor of History, Calvin College will examine evangelical ideas about masculinity, power, and authority over the past 50 years. This reveals connections between evangelical voters and the politics of Donald Trump raising significant questions about how Christians might respond as faithful followers of Christ in the context of contemporary politics.
- October 14:** **Camp Life at Ao-Wa-Kia**
Ross and Bethany Hopkins will offer a time of Q&A and share highlights about their first year serving as missionaries at Camp Ao-Wa-Kia

- October 21:** **Missions Report - Tom and Donna Cnossen**
Faith Promise supported missionaries, the Cnossens will share about their ministry and work through Northern Canada Evangelical Missions.
- October 28:** **NO ADULT EDUCATION - OFF FOR WINTER BREAK**
- November 4:** **Reforming our Understanding of the Reformation**
Dr. David Rylaarsdam will teach facts about the Reformation that may surprise you and help you to live your faith wisely.
- November 11:** **Suicide - How do We See it?**
Dr Anthony Fryling from Pine Rest will share statistics and answer questions such as : Does faith help keep persons from committing suicide? How do Christians view suicide and what can Christians do when confronting suicide?
- November 18:** **Untangled: Guiding Teenagers Through the Seven Transitions into Adulthood.** Michelle VanderHeide, MSW will review the above book by Lisa Damour, PHD. Topics include: The seven developmental stages that turn adolescents into thriving adults and will offer parents tips to deal with anxiety, substance use, moods, media, and more.
- November 25:** **NO ADULT EDUCATION - OFF FOR THANKSGIVING BREAK**
- December 2:** **World Renew**
Harry and Phyllis Kuipers, active volunteer participants of World Renew will share their experiences and challenges in helping persons who've survived disasters.
- December 9:** **A Look at Abraham Kuyper - His Life and Influence**
Dr James Bratt, Calvin College professor of history will discuss, "Who was the Dutch theologian, Abraham Kuiper?" What has been his influence on evangelical Christianity?
- December 16:** **Grade Inflation** Have you wondered if the grades your children receive are a true indication of their learning or an honest picture of their academic ability? Join the discussion on this current hot topic in education