

# *Drenthe Christian Reformed Church*

THE LORD'S DAY  
September 10, 2017

"Teach me, O LORD... give me understanding..." (Psalm 119:33-34).  
With a new school year underway, may we grow not only in knowledge and skills but in faith toward God and love for others.

## **WORSHIP NOTES:**

Next week Sunday, September 17 we will celebrate with Nate & Jenny Elzinga as Olive Elzinga will be baptized during the morning worship service.

A SPECIAL THANKS to all who contribute and enrich our services today.

## **CHURCH MATTERS:**

ED UNIT CUSTODIAN: Kathy Kiekover, after 16 years of serving the church as custodian of the Ed Unit, is retiring from her duties. We thank her for her service and are now looking for an individual or individuals to take over as custodian of this building. Please contact Hank Steenwyk for more information if you are interested.

Bulletin announcements should be given to **Lisa Russcher** by **8:00 AM (NOTE TIME CHANGE)** on Thursday. Please call 688-5481 or e-mail [office@drenthecrc.org](mailto:office@drenthecrc.org). Thanks!

## **OUR CHURCH ACTIVITIES:**

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP TEACHERS: There will be a meeting **TODAY** in the basement following the morning service.

This is the Day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. Today is the **KICK OFF FOR THE SUNDAY SCHOOL**. Come join us in rejoicing and being glad together. Please return to the sanctuary right after the morning service. We would like to get started at **10:50 AM** with singing followed by

Chris Morrison from the Holland Rescue Mission. Students will sit with their teachers near the front. Parents and guests, please fill in around them.

*Patti Brander and Dave Kraak*

**TEEN CLUB PARENTS:** Please plan on attending the parents meeting **TODAY at 5:30 PM.**

**YOUTH GROUP PARENTS:** Please come to the Ed Unit tonight **after church** for a brief meeting on this year's youth group.

**FOODS RESOURCE BANK CELEBRATION:** Join other FRB supporting churches for a celebration on **Wednesday, September 13** at Niekerk CRC. There will be a meal Family Night Meal at **5:30 PM** followed by fellowship and a presentation about the Foods Resource Bank program.

**HERITAGE CADETS FALL KICK-OFF:** This year we will be attending the Discover Nature Center for the Birds of Prey Presentation on **September 13 at 7 PM.** Please let Tim Hoogland know if you plan on attending so he can send in Drenthe's headcount for drinks/snacks for the kick-off. Thanks!

**KNOTTING QUILTS:** Ladies please join us to knot quilts on **Thursday, September 14 at 1:00 PM.**

**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP** begins next **Sunday, September 17.** Parents there is information about this coming year in your mailbox and an invitation for each child in your family. Please contact Afton Busscher with any questions/concerns.

**FUNDRAISER FOR THE SUSAN BROWER:** On **Tuesday, September 19 from 4-8 PM** join us at Vitales in Zeeland for a fundraiser in support of Mitch & Susan. Vitales will donate 15%... bring coupon! More copies of the coupon are available on the back table.

**SHARING FROM OUR ABUNDANCE:** For those of you wishing to share your fresh garden vegetables with members of the congregation and community, there is a table located outside the West entry on Sunday where this can happen. Please feel free to place any extras in this location as well as taking what you might like for your own use.

AUCTION ITEMS REQUESTED: If you have items you are willing to donate for the **Harvest Auction on Saturday, September 30** please contact Jackie Ponstein, Patti Brander, or Lisa Russcher by **TODAY** if you wish the item to be published in the Auction Booklet. Thank you!

### **REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

PARKVIEW AFC HOME BOOK SALE will be Friday and Saturday, September 15 and 16 at Waypoint Community Church, 3041 – 96<sup>th</sup> Ave, Zeeland. Sale hours are Friday – 12-7 PM & Saturday – 9 AM-2 PM. Bring your books to Parkview anytime, drop them off at Waypoint Church on Thursday, September 14 – 1-5 PM. Also there is a box by the back door of church (under the coat rack) where you can donate books or call George for pick-up, 772-9251. DONATE OR BUY SOME BOOKS!!

Winning At Home is hosting a **LEGACY LUNCHEON** to honor couples who have been married 50 years or more. The event is free and takes place on Tuesday, October 3 at Immanuel Church (325 104<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Holland). Punch will be served at 11:30 AM and the luncheon will begin at noon. A brief program will follow including an encouraging word from Dan Seaborn. Reserve your seats with Lisa Berghorst at 616-772-1733, ext. 116.

HURRICANE HARVEY RELIEF: Donations will be accepted in the parking lot of Bentheim Reformed Church for the victims of Hurricane Harvey on Thursday, September 14<sup>th</sup> – Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. See the back table for a list of needed items and more information.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Our annual fundraising dinner for RTLMI Ed Fund will be on **Tuesday, September 26<sup>th</sup>** at the Pinnacle Center in Hudsonville, MI. Guest Speaker: Kirk Walden.

SEPTEMBERFEST ARTS AND CRAFT SHOW sponsored by Hudsonville Christian School will be held on Saturday, September 16, from 9am-3pm at the Hudsonville Fairgrounds. Admission is \$2, and a food booth is available for refreshments and lunch. 170+ booths represent a wide variety of products from the finest local vendors. This is a juried show with only handcrafted items with dozens of selected new vendors. Check us out on facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/HudsonvilleSeptemberfest>.

## **THIS WEEK IN DRENTHE:**

### **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 – Education Year Kick-off**

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| 9:30 AM  | Morning Worship – Rev. Aaron Greydanus |
| 10:50 AM | Sunday School Kick-off                 |
| 10:50 AM | Worship Center Teachers Meeting        |
| 5:30 PM  | Teen Club Parents Meeting              |
| 6:00 PM  | Evening Worship – Rev. Aaron Greydanus |
| 7:15 PM  | Youth Group Parents Meeting            |

### **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13**

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| 5:30 PM | Foods Resource Bank Celebration at Niekerk CRC |
| 6:30 PM | Cadet Kick-off – Discover Nature Center        |

### **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

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| 1:00 PM | Knotting Quilts |
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### **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 - NEWSLETTER ITEMS DUE**

### **DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR**

- September 26 – Making Pig-in-the-blankets
- September 30 – Harvest Auction

# ASSISTING IN WORSHIP

TODAY - September 10

NEXT WEEK - September 17

PREACHING  
PASTOR

AM: Rev. Aaron Greydanus  
PM: Pastor Doug Hoeve

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SOUND SYSTEM

Rick Brander

Kel Busscher

VIDEO SYSTEM

Dave Arendsen

AM: Alex Hoogland  
PM: Cindy Hoeve

ACCOMPANIST

AM: Kim Mast  
PM: Sara Hoeve

AM: Kim Mast  
PM: Paul Ter Beek

SONG LEADER

PM: Ed Vander Zwaag

PM: Andy Brink

GREETERS

AM: Erwin/Alnora Mast  
Joyce Mast & Beth Immink

AM: Doug/Jolynn Patmos & family  
Seth/Jackie Ponstein & family

PM: Mel/Winn Nykamp  
Stan/Alysce Roelofs

PM: Dennis/Julie Russcher  
Doug/Dawn Russcher & family

WORSHIP  
CENTER

East Kim Busscher  
West Jessica Brander

NURSERY

AM: Bonnie Brower  
Kerry Hoogland  
Erin Russcher

AM: Larry Ver Strate  
Carol Ver Strate  
Jolynn Patmos

PM: Megan Vander Zwaag  
Jacob Haan

PM: Doreen Vander Veen  
Ari Greydanus

OFFERING

AM: General Fund  
PM: Teen Challenge

AM: Drenthe Cadets  
PM: World Missions

USHERS FOR SEPT

AM: Luke Haan, Mark Rigterink, Chad Lindblad, Dennis Russcher  
PM: Ryan De Kleine, Dale Hoeve  
Alternates: Duane Ter Haar, Ken Van Dyken

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Morning Worship Service - September 10, 2017

Rev. Aaron Greydanus

## **THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE TO WORSHIP**

PRELUDE

Kim Mast

WELCOME

\* SONG: *"Lord, I Need You"*

\* CALL TO WORSHIP Isaiah 40:28-31

\* OPENING PRAYER

\* THE LORD'S GREETING

\* MUTUAL GREETING

\* SONG: *"Hear the Call of the Kingdom"* v.1-3

## **WORSHIP THROUGH COMMISSIONING AND DEDICATION**

COMMISSIONING

SONG: *"For the Cause"* v.1-5

## **WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING**

HEALTHY CHURCH UPDATE Ken Van Dyken

PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

OFFERING General Fund

Please pass the Guest Registry so we can welcome our visitors.

## **WORSHIP THROUGH HEARING**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Luke 14:25-33

SERMON **"THE COST OF FOLLOWING CHRIST"**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

\* SONG: *"Breathe On Me"*

## **THE SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE TO WORSHIP**

\* PARTING BLESSING

\* SONG: *"My Friends, May You Grow in Grace"*

POSTLUDE

\* Please stand at this time if possible.

# *Drenthe Christian Reformed Church*

Evening Worship Service - September 10 2017

Pastor Doug Hoeve

## **THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE TO WORSHIP**

PRELUDE

Sara Hoeve

WELCOME

\* SONG *"They'll Know We Are Christians"*

v.1-4

\* CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 111:1-4

\* OPENING PRAYER

\* THE LORD'S GREETING

\* MUTUAL GREETING

SONG SERVICE

Ed Vander Zwaag

## **WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSING**

\* OUR TESTIMONY

The Apostles' Creed (pg. 813)

\* SONG *"When Peace like a River"*

v.1-4

## **WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING**

PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

OFFERING

Teen Challenge

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## **WORSHIP THROUGH HEARING**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Colossians 3:1-17 (pg. 1834)

SERMON

**"ARE YOU HIDDEN"**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

\* SONG *"All People That on Earth Do Dwell"*

v.1-4

## **THE SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE TO WORSHIP**

\* PARTING BLESSING

\* SONG *"Take My Life and Let It Be"*

Psalter 288:1,6

POSTLUDE

\* Please stand at this time if possible.