

Heritage CRC

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SUNDAY WORSHIP:@ 9:30 AM

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:
Thursday by 9:00 am. Call,
leave a note, or e-mail to
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OFFICE HOURS:
Wednesday: 8:00 am —1:00 pm
Thursday: 8:00 am —1:00 pm

Connecting with our Community

Please continue to reach out via phone or e-mail to our church community.



Thank you for your faithful support through your tithes and offerings. If you mail your contributions, the mailbox is checked each day of the week.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
21	22	23	24	25	26	27 8 am Mobile Food Initiative
28 9:30 am Pastor Simon "Doing What is Right" Romans 13	1 March	2	3	4	5	6
7 9:30 am Pastor Simon "Pursuing Peace" Romans 14-15:13	8	9 7 pm Admin Board	10	11	12	13 11 AM Memorial Service for Eileen Brussee
14 9:30 am Pastor Simon "A Christ-centered Life" Romans 15:14-33	15	16 7 pm Shepherding Elders	17	18	19	20

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HAPPENINGS

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Volume #20, Issue 8**February 25, 2021****Sermon Series on Romans****Series: "Romans: The Gospel of God's Grace"**

The book of Romans is the Apostle Paul's longest and most theological letter. It's main theme is freedom in Christ - why we need it, how it is achieved and what it looks like in everyday life. This week's sermon title - "Doing What Is Right". Romans 13.

**Celebrations...****Birthdays...**

John Bruinwood ~ February 28
McKena Razenberg ~ February 28
Ken VanDenBerg ~ March 2

**Easter Is Coming!**

Help beautify our sanctuary and order a flower in memory of a loved one. The flowers may be taken home after our Easter morning worship. The order forms are on the round table in the narthex. You can order Lilies, Daffodils or Tulips. **Order forms with payment must be returned by Sunday, March 7.** Thank you!

**Announcements****Safety Items**

- Please wear a mask when entering and exiting the building. Masks may be removed when seated in the sanctuary.
- It is essential that 6 feet of physical distancing be observed when entering the church prior to the service and during the time of fellowship after the service.
- Please continue to enter the building at the front entrance or the Fellowship Hall.
- Hand sanitizer and masks are available at each entrance.



NEW MEMBERS CLASS! This class will be held Sunday, February 28 from 10:45-12pm for those interested in knowing more about Heritage CRC. Those seeking to transfer membership from another CRC or a church with a Reformed background are encouraged to attend. We would love for you to join us! Talk to Pastor Simon or contact him at pastorsimon@heritagecrc.org if you are interested.

thank you

I want to thank everyone for the cards, prayers and help received since my surgery. It was all very much appreciated. Rick Lingbeek

Nominations for Elder and Deacon

Shortly, it will once again be time to give our thanks for those who have served the Lord and His Church so faithfully and elect members to serve on the Council as either an elder or deacon. The deadline for submitting nominations is Sunday, March 21. As we begin this process please consider the following requests:

- 1.) Pray the Holy Spirit will raise up the nominees we will need for the office of administrative elder (1), administrative deacon (1), shepherding elders (2), and shepherding deacon (2).
- 2.) Submit to Bob Razenberg, Council Clerk, the names of those you believe are qualified and gifted to be called to serve in either office. Prior to nominating an individual, please ask them if they are willing to serve.

What’s Up in Worship

Video Recording

A video recording of the morning worship service will be posted to our church YouTube page either on Sunday or Monday. Here is the link to our YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCutET663hVzpPohBMiCXEQA>. If you haven’t already done so, be sure to subscribe to our YouTube channel and click the notification bell to receive updates whenever a new video becomes available.



Help feed Daisy! This is the “Adopt-A-Cow” project through Growing Hope Globally. *There are only a few slots left*, check out the display in the Narthex and sign up to “help feed Daisy”. The cost is \$40/week or \$170/month.

Offering Schedule

- Feb. 28: General Fund & Building Fund
Loose Change: Kal. Loaves & Fishes
- Mar. 7: General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance
Loose Change: Kuyper College
- Mar 14: General Fund & Ministry Shares
Loose Change: Hospice Care of South West Michigan
- Mar 21: General Fund & Faith Promise
Loose Change: Resonate Global Mission

Offerings (deposited for Feb. 21, 2021)

- Benevolence Fund ~ \$154.00
- Building Fund ~ \$2,225.00
- Christian Ed Assistance ~ \$320.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$581.00
- General Fund ~ \$9,234.00
- Growing Hope Globally ~ \$250.00
- Memorial Fund ~ \$100.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$550.00
- Park Village Pines ~ \$102.00
- Wycliffe Bible Translators ~ \$20.00

Mobile Food Initiative is this *Saturday, February 27.*



8 AM at Centerpoint Church.

See you there!

CRC Announcements

GROUNDWORK: A NEW FAMILY - In his second word from the cross Jesus shows deep compassion for his mother. Join our Groundwork conversation on John 19:23-27 to discover what Jesus’ great concern for his family shows us about his humanity and uncover the profound theological implications that arise from this earthly concern. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork’s weekly emails for future episodes.

GIVE WITH A WILLING HEART - Check out this week’s kids’ devotion at www.kidscorner.net. As a kid, you don’t have a job that pays you loads of cash. So, how can you give? Once you begin looking for ways to give, you will find many opportunities! Listen now at kidscorner.net and subscribe to KC’s weekly emails for all the new content.

FAMILY FIRE - FAMILY FIRE is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

Follow the CRC on Social Media - Have you connected with the CRC on social media? Follow these accounts for timely resources, CRC news, encouraging blogs, and details on upcoming events and opportunities. Facebook - facebook.com/CRCNA; Twitter - twitter.com/CRCNA; Instagram - instagram.com/CRCNA. We are excited to connect with you and your church—and to feature your ministry stories on our accounts!

World Renew

Join Us for Disaster Response Services Sunday 2021 - Next week, consider joining our church to give a gift to the work of World Renew in responding to disasters like Hurricane Harvey. Thanks to World Renew, communities impacted by such storms have the support required to respond to needs after the storm, create a plan of repair, and rebuild together. When we give to this work, we remind beloved children of God that they never walk alone.



Volunteer Schedule...

- PRAYER LINE MINISTRY:**
Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher
- PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY:**
prayerline@heritagecrc.org

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:
Feb 28 - Gary Broekhuizen
March 7 - Lisa Durian
March 14 - LillieAnn Durian
March 21 - Paul Booden

Prayer line Reminder: If your email address has changed, you wish to have your or a friend's email added to the Prayer Line, or you wish to no longer receive Prayer Line emails, please send an email request to: jerry.oele@yahoo.com or prayerline@heritagecrc.org

