

## SERMON NOTES



# HERITAGE

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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### Welcome to Heritage Church!

We're glad you've come to worship with us! We hope you will experience a warm welcome as we worship God together and embrace the truth of Jesus Christ as our Savior and Lord. We are glad to have you with us and look forward to welcoming you back again soon.

If you would like to know more about what it means to become a follower of Jesus Christ, we encourage you to talk with our pastor or pick up the "Two Ways to Live" pamphlet at the information Center or available at [twowaystolive.com](http://twowaystolive.com)

To learn more about Heritage, check out our website or consider attending a class designed to introduce you to who we are and why we are here. Please email us at [churchoffice@heritagecrc.org](mailto:churchoffice@heritagecrc.org) or call the church office to let us know of your interest.

### Our Mission

To introduce people to Jesus Christ,  
to help them grow to be more like Him,  
and then to reproduce the process in others.

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Sunday, January 18, 2026

Preparation for Worship

*“Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ, that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you, our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.”* Based on Psalm 19:14

Prelude

### **WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD**

\*The Call to Worship

\*Songs of Praise

*How Great Is Our God*

Screens

*How Great Thou Art*

Gray 483:1,3,4

\*God’s Greeting

\*Song of Praise

*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

Gray 486

### **WE CELEBRATE REDEMPTION**

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

God’s Will for our Lives ~ Responsive Reading PH p. 1017

Song of Response

*Let It Be Said of Us*

Screens

### **GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD**

Series The Journey of Faith: Abraham

Scripture Genesis 15:1-21 (p. 14)

Sermon “**Trusting God In The Gap**”

Prayer of Application

### **WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD**

\*Song

*Standing on the Promises*

Green 410:1,3,4,5

Prayers of the People

Heritage Happenings

Tithes - General Fund

Offerings - Kalamazoo Christian Schools

*If you are a visitor with us please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering but free to do so. Please take a few moments to complete the Connection Card and place it in the offering basket located by the sanctuary doors.*

Moment for Mission - Eric & Penny Schering, Pacific Island Ministries

### **WE GO OUT WITH NEW HOPE**

\*The Benediction

\*Doxology

*Be Thou My Vision*

Screens

Postlude

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\*You are invited to stand in body or in spirit

***Bold italicized text*** is read together by the congregation and plain text by the leader. Most songs are found in the hymnals and all of the words will be on the front screens.