HERITAGE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH, KALAMAZOO

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**SUNDAY WORSHIP** @ 9:30 AM (Nursery provided) SUNDAY EVENING @ 5:00 PM

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:** Wednesday at noon. Call, leave a note, or e-mail to churchoffice@heritagecrc.org.

Summer OFFICE HOURS: Wednesday: 7:30 am—12:30 pm Thursday: 7:30 am—12:30 pm

### **Volunteer Schedule...**

NURSERY: July 3: Teri Wagner & Ruth Mather

July 10: Carol Schewe & Sue Mejuer

COFFEE SERVERS: July 3: Dave & Carol Bonselaar, Sue Mejeur, Fred & Pam Gould July 10/17: Dave & Kathy VanderMeer, Gary & Dorothy Broekhuizen (10th), Ken & Ellen Byle (17th), Bonnie Colvin

#### **HEARTLAND HEALTHCARE CENTER**

(Services begin at 3:30 pm & last approximately 30 minutes)

July 3: Simon Tuin & Marilyn Stremler

July 10: Harold Triezenberg & Phyllis Triezenberg

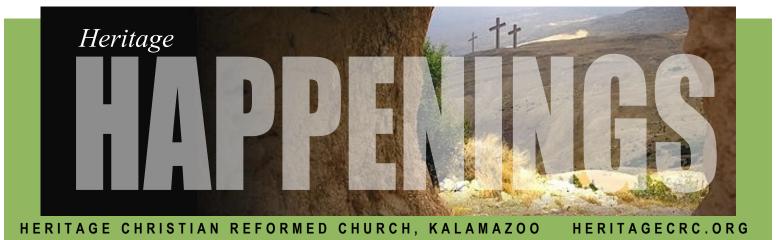
PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY: prayerline@heritagecrc.org

**SERVICE MINISTRY: July:** Joy Hegelmann

**MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY: July 3**: Lisa Durian July 10: Pat Schewe

PM: Gary Broekhuizen

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3 COMMUNION 9:30 am Pastor Simon "Remember" Psalm 77  No Evening Worship	4 Zith July	5	6	7	8	9
9:30 am Rev. Larry Spalink "Why Not Japan?" Acts 17:24-28  5 pm Pastor Simon "The Holy Christian Church" Matthew 16:18; 1 Peter 2:9-10	11	<b>12</b> Administrative Board Meeting 7 pm	13	14	15	16
9:30 am Rev. Fritz Kruithof 5 pm Mr. Ron Lugten	18	19	Shepherding Elders 3 pm  P.U.S.H. Prayer Meeting 7 pm	21	22	Mobile Food Initiative Prairie Ridge Elementary 8 am set up 9 am food drop
9:30 am Pastor Simon "Joy in Your Presence" Psalm 16 5 pm Pastor Simon "The Assembly of the Redeemed" Psalm 95	25	<b>26</b> Council Meeting 3 pm	<b>27</b> Book Club 2 pm	28	29	30



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## What's up in Worship

Next Sunday morning we welcome Larry Spalink, missionary to Japan, to our pulpit. We pray God's blessing on Larry as he leads us in worship.

Pastor Simon will be on vacation July 11—19 visiting family out West. Please pray for safe travels for the Tuin family. If a need arises while Pastor Simon is away, please contact your district elder.

**Just a reminder** that due to the Holiday weekend, there is no evening worship here tonight.

# **Impact Kalamazoo**

- Impact is in need of snack donations (please see display in the Fellowship Hall) and needs to borrow coolers for the week. If you have a cooler that Impact can use, please label the cooler with your name and place in Dave's office no later than Sunday, July 10. Also needed are water coolers. If you have one that Impact can borrow, please place in Dave's office by Sunday, July 10.
- This summer Heritage Youth will once again be attending Impact Kalamazoo. Our students will be serving the community and sharing the gospel across the city of Kalamazoo. This summer Impact is looking for work site leaders. If you have some construction trades knowledge and are will to donate your time during the week of July 1-15, please contact Dave Ericks.

# **Celebrations**

**Birthdays** Bonnie DeHaan ~ July 3 Roger Croy ~ July 6



# **Ministry**

The BLESS Group still needs helpers and cookies for the month of July. Please sign up at the table in the Narthex if you can help with either of these items. We had 25 kids attend the Bless Group last week! If you have any questions, please see Gretchen Vanders.

### Thank you

A big thank you to our church family for all the cards, concern and prayers in the passing of our Pat & Carol Schewe brother in law.

Thank you so much for the prayers and support that you give to Back to God Ministries International. Because of faithful friends like you, we can continue to share the Gospel around the world in 10 major languages, reaching nearly every nation in the world. We remain committed to discipling people and strengthening the church. We use all kinds of media to reach people with the Good News of Jesus Christ. While we still use radio, television and printed materials like the Today Devotional, we are also using all kinds of new technologies too, like websites, blogs, podcasts, and Facebook. Thank you for your support!

Thank you to my church family for the love and prayer support that followed me on my recent trip to Costa Rica. It was an amazing experience. Thank you once again for the financial support as well; without your love and support I would not have been able to make this journey.

Tara Razenberg

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A farewell celebration
is set for Dave & Alli Ericks on
Sunday, July 24 following our
morning worship. We will grill
burgers and hot dogs. Buns and
condiments will be provided. If
you are willing and able, please
bring a salad or dessert to
share. See you there!

**Old Pillow Cases Needed!** McKena Razenberg is collecting old pillow cases for her upcoming trip to Africa. If you have any that you would wish to donate, please place them in the box in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you!

#### **Proclamation Brass:**

This past Monday Heritage CRC became the new rehearsal facility for Proclamation Brass, a ministry of Christ-followers who serve God through a variety of Godhonoring brass music. They will be practicing at our church every Monday from 7-9pm. If you happen to stop by the church on a Monday evening, stop by and say hello!



Jesus Loves Kalamazoo! The JLK Catalyst week is planned for July 9-16, 2016! JLK started in 2008 and has grown to become a movement that unites the Body of Christ in Kalamazoo to share the love of Jesus to our community. This will be our 3rd year participating in JLK but this year we are not serving as the host coordinators for a site. Instead, we are encouraging our members to sign up to volunteer and serve at a designated Prayer & Grill Sites. Go to http:// jesusloveskzoo.org/ to fill out a volunteer registration form. They are also accepting donations to support this ministry effort. This can also be done online or check out the printed list available in the lobby. Please join us in praying for this opportunity and consider where God might be calling you to get involved.

### **Missions & Missionaires...**

Loaves & Fishes wish list:

July: Canned Fruit

Please place your donations in the grocery cart in the fellowship hall

### **Emails or Letters to Missionaries...**

Chad & Jenny Scheel ~ Van Ankum family Emma Schering ~ Kathleen Lauder Pat & Carol Schewe ~ Jerry An

If you do not have a copy of our missionaries' email addresses, both their most current newsletter and email addresses are on the Missionary table next to the mailboxes

## **Offering Schedule**

July 3	General Fund: Christian Education
•	Loose Change: Benevolence Fund
July 10	General Fund: Ministry Shares
•	Loose Change: World Renew
July 17	General Fund: Faith Promise
•	Loose Change: Bethany Chr Serv
July 24	General Fund: Building Fund
•	Loose Change: Bethany Chr Serv

### **Offerings** (for June 19 & June 26)

Adopt a Cow ~ \$120.00
Building Fund ~ \$550.00
Christian Education Assistance ~ \$25.00
Dordt College ~ \$122.00
Faith Promise ~ \$680.00
Flowers ~ \$21.00
General Fund ~ \$5,643.00
Heritage Breakout Youth ~ \$50.00
Memorial Fund ~ \$150.00
Ministry Shares ~ \$215.00
Wycliffe Bible Translators ~ \$210.00



### **Requested Announcements**

**Summer Concert Series** at Twin Lakes Reformed Church (5475 Ravine Road, Kalamazoo, MI 49009):

- ⇒ Saturday, July 30: Jim Hendricks
- ⇒ Saturday, August 20: Blackwood Legacy
- ⇒ Saturday, August 27: HIS Harmony

All concerts start at 7 pm. There is no charge for the concerts. However, a free-will offering will be received at each event. If you have any questions please call 269-382-1158 or www.twin-lakes.rcachurches.org.

Celebrate the 4th of July with us at the Christian Reformed Conference Grounds! On Monday, July 4 we will be hosting the Big Band of Praise in our Worship Center. The concert will begin at 7 pm and we hope you will join us in giving this group a huge Conference Grounds welcome for their very first time in concert at the Grounds! No tickets are needed for this concert however a freewill offering will be taken to help defray the costs of our concert series. You will want to come early and enjoy a delicious dinner of BBQ ribs served in the Sunshine Room from 5-6:30 pm. See you there! For more information about the Conference Grounds, please visit our website: www.crcg.org.

Worship on the Waterfront for Sunday, July 10 welcomes back NewWorldSon to the Grand Haven Waterfront Stadium from 7-8:30 pm. (Note the time change.) This Canadian band brings a blend of pop, soul, jazz and gospel to the Christian music with inspired lyrics and world class musicianship. There is no cost, nor any tickets needed to attend W.O.W. Check out our website at www.worshiponthewaterfront.org.

Looking for a great part time job? Kalamazoo Christian Schools is always looking for substitute bus drivers. If you are interested and would like more information, please contact, Lisa Bosch, Transportation Supervisor. You can call Lisa at 269-762-2094 or email her at lbosch@kcsa.org. For an application email Connie VanDerSlik at cvanderslik@kcsa.org.

### Food Resource Bank

invites you to special event featuring guests from India!

Come meet Balo!





Come meet Noni!

And come to hear about community changes happening through the India-Patharkhmah & Umsning programs! Please join us on July 25 at 7 pm at Third CRC (2400 Winchell Avenue, Kalamazoo). Feel free to invite a friend! Light refreshments will be served. For more information contact Rachel Brink at 616-283-0694 or Rachel@foodsresourcebank.org.

