

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

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 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.

Sunday, March 17, 2024

Preparation for Worship

“Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!”
John 1:29

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

*The Call to Worship

Leader: Praise the LORD. Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD.

All: Let the name of the LORD be praised, both now and forevermore.

Leader: From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets, the name of the LORD is to be praised.

All: The LORD is exalted over all the nations, his glory above the heavens.

Leader: Who is like the LORD our God, the One who sits enthroned on high, who stoops down to look on the heavens and the earth?

All: He raises the poor from the dust and lifts the needy from the ash heap. Praise the LORD. (Psalm 113:1-7)

*Song of Praise

All Creatures of Our God and King Screens

*God’s Greeting

*Songs of Praise

I Love You, Lord Green 78

My Jesus, I Love Thee Green 79:1,2,4

WE CELEBRATE REDEMPTION

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Profession of Faith The Apostles’ Creed

Song of Response

In Christ Alone Screens

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Scripture 1 Peter 3:8-22 (p. 1272)

Sermon **“The Power & Responsibility of Hope”**

Guest Preacher: Mr. Joey DeKoekkoek

Prayer of Application

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

*Song

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less Screens

Prayers of the People

Heritage Happenings

Tithes - General Fund & Faith Promise

Offerings - Resonate Global Mission

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.

WE GO OUT WITH NEW HOPE

*The Benediction

*Doxology

Praise the Savior Gray 400:1,3,4

*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.