

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

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:  
Thursday by 9:00 am. Call,  
leave a note, or e-mail to  
churchoffice@heritagecrc.org.

OFFICE HOURS:  
Wednesday: 8:30 am—12:30 pm  
Thursday: 8:30—12 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

**NURSERY**  
**May 12:** Barb Razenberg & Ellen Byle  
**May 19:** Ruth Wagner & Gary Broekhuizen

**COFFEE SERVERS**  
**May 12 & 19:** Matt & Lisa Durian, Bob & Barb Razenberg, Bill & Ruth Vroegop  
**May 26 & June 2:** Phil & Barb Nieboer, Ken & Judy Fletcher, Dick & Nadine VanDam

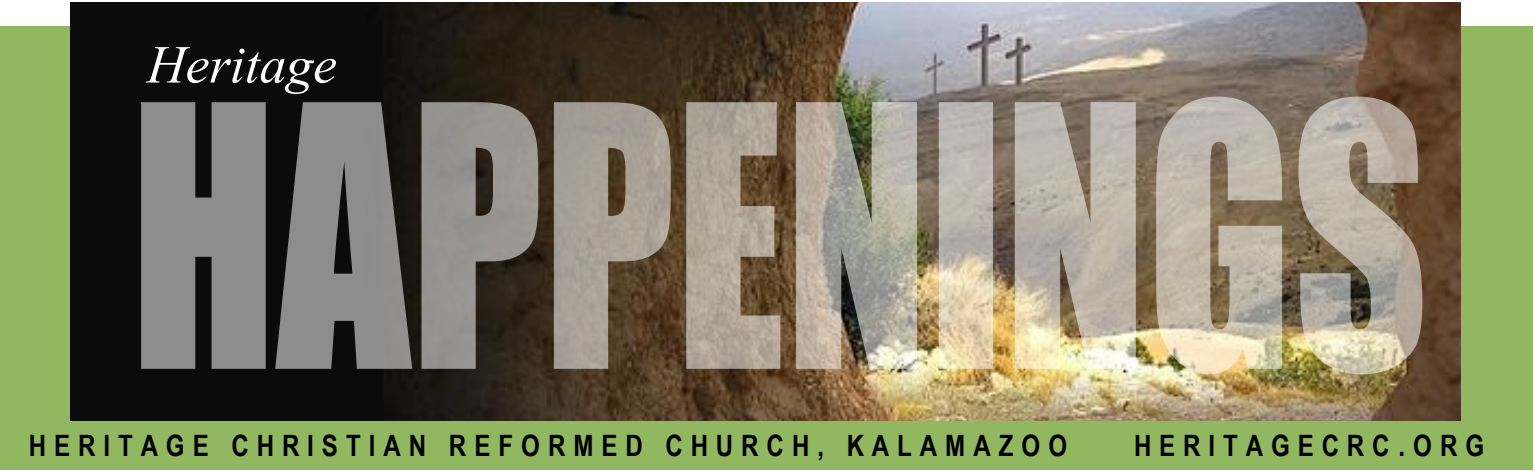
**PRAYER LINE MINISTRY:** Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

**PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY:** prayerline@heritagecrc.org

**SERVICE MINISTRY:** May: Judy Wieringa

**MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:** May 12: Pat Schewe May 19: Paul Booden  
PM: Gary Broekhuizen

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
12 9:30 am Pastor Simon “The Journey of Joy” Philippians 1:1-11  5 pm Pastor Simon “This Is Sure To Be” Matthew 6:5-13	13	14 Admin Board Meeting 3:30 pm	15 P.U.S.H. Prayer Meeting 7 pm	16	17	18
19 9:30 am Pastor Simon “A Complete Joy” Philippians 2:1-11  5 pm Pastor Simon “The Only One” Isaiah 45:1-8; I Cor 8:1-16	20	21 Shepherding Elders 7 pm	22	23	24	25
26 9:30 am Pastor Simon “Rejoice in the Lord!” Philippians 3:1-11  ~No Evening Worship~	27  MEMORIAL DAY	28	29	30	31	1  Mobile Food Initiative Centerpoint 8 am set up 9 am food delivery
2 COMMUNION ASCENSION 9:30 am Pastor Simon “Who Is This King of Glory?” Psalm 47 ~POTLUCK~ 5 pm Pastor Simon “Unbound by Time” Psalm 90	3	4 Council Meeting 7 pm	5	6	7	8



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What’s up in Worship

**Summer in the Psalms:** Every summer seems to have a soundtrack. Even when you hear just a few simple bars of “that song” you are automatically transported back. This Summer, join us as we focus in on a summer “playlist” together by setting our hearts to the Psalms. The series begins June 2, 2019!



**Beginning next Sunday evening** we will begin working our way through the Belgic Confession highlighting God’s attributes. Please plan to join us!

**Public Profession of Faith:** The Shepherding Elders are pleased to announce that next Sunday we will hear Jack Bruinwood’s public profession of faith. We praise God for this milestone of faith in Jack’s life and in the life of this congregation!

Celebrations Birthdays...

Hanna Taibu ~ May 14  
Shania Taibu ~ May 16



Ministry



**Growing Hope Globally** (formerly Food Resource Bank): There are only 5 weeks left to feed “Daisy”. There are three weeks in September and 2 weeks in December. Check out the display board in the Narthex and sign up to help today!

**Profession of Faith?** Have you reached a point in your spiritual journey where you feel God calling you to publicly profess faith in Christ and become a professing member in His church? If you are interested in doing your profession of faith, or would like an opportunity to explore what it means to become a professing member, please contact Pastor Simon.

**Potluck coming soon!** Join us on Sunday, June 2 immediately following morning worship for a time of fellowship and delicious food. Please bring a dish to share. Table service and drinks will be provided.



**Faith-Promise Commitment slips** will be accepted throughout the month of May (extras can be found at the Information Center). If you have not already done so, please place in the offering basket during any service this month. Our current commitment is \$10, 580. The generosity of giving this past year is greatly appreciated!

**P.U.S.H. Prayer meeting** is this Wednesday, May 15 at 7 pm. Please join us for a time spent in prayer with our Heavenly Father.



# Ministry Continued

**Attention Ladies:** Tuesday, May 21 is the date for lunch at Das Essenhaus and shopping in Shipshewana. Please sign up at the table in the Narthex if you plan on attending this fun event. If you have any questions, please see Phyllis Triezenberg or Barb Nieboer.



# COUNCIL NEWS

Here is the list of those who are willing to serve:

Shepherding Elder (3 needed):  
Bob Razenberg, Ken Fletcher, Ron Stryd  
Shepherding Deacon (2 needed): John Bruinwood, Rick Lingbeek, Jonathan Mejeur

Today using the Casting of Lots the names of those affirmed as nominees will be placed in a basket and, following a time of prayer, office-bearers will be selected and announced to the congregation. The congregation will then be asked to affirm the slate of nominees by a voice vote. The installation of new office-bearers will take place at the morning service on Sunday, May 19.

Please keep this process in prayer as we place those nominated before God’s throne and ask the Holy Spirit to lead us in the ministry of Heritage Christian Reformed Church.



# Missions & Missionaries...

**Loaves & Fishes wish list:**  
**May:** Low or no-salt canned vegetables  
*Please place your donations in the grocery cart in the fellowship hall*

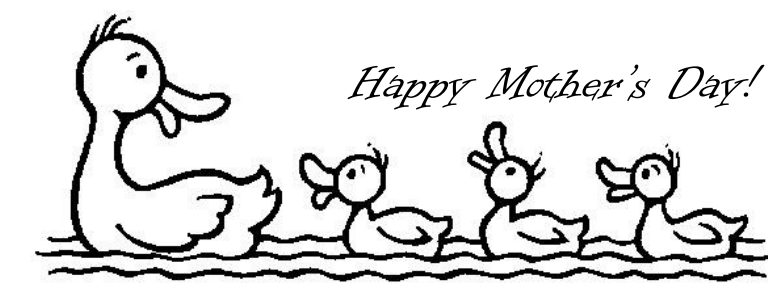
**Emails or Letters to Missionaries...**  
Nick & Stephanie Finch ~ Sovann Neth  
Bruce & Ruth Fletcher ~ David Heath  
Ken & Judy Fletcher ~ Jairo Solano  
*If you do not have a copy of our missionaries' email addresses, both their most current newsletter and email addresses are on the Missionary table next to the mailboxes*

# Offering Schedule

- May 12: General Fund: Ministry Shares  
Loose Change: Elim Christian Schools
- May 19: General Fund: Faith Promise  
Loose Change: Benevolence Fund
- May 26: General Fund: Building Fund  
Loose Change: Rehoboth
- June 2: General Fund: Christian Ed Assistance  
Loose Change: Jesus Loves Kzoo

# Offerings (deposited for May 12)

- Back to God Ministries ~ \$181.65
- Building Fund ~ \$340.00
- Christian Education Assistance ~ \$220.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$365.00
- General Fund ~ \$6,344.00
- Growing Hope Globally ~ \$40.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$235.00



# Requested Announcements

**Musical Performance:** Disney’s FROZEN Jr. musical will be presented by the 8th grade cast of Kalamazoo Christian Middle School. Come see them perform along with our very own Connor Tuin on Tuesday, May 21 at 7 pm at Comstock Community Auditorium (2107 North 26th Street, Kalamazoo, 49048). This event is free. A free-will offering will be taken to defray costs.



**Alternatives Annual Walk for Life:** is planned for Saturday, June 8. Our annual walk is a great way for people of all ages to show they value life! The walk is at Grace Spring Bible Church, 8643 Gull Road, Richland, MI 49083. Form more information or to sign up go to [alternativescc.org](http://alternativescc.org).

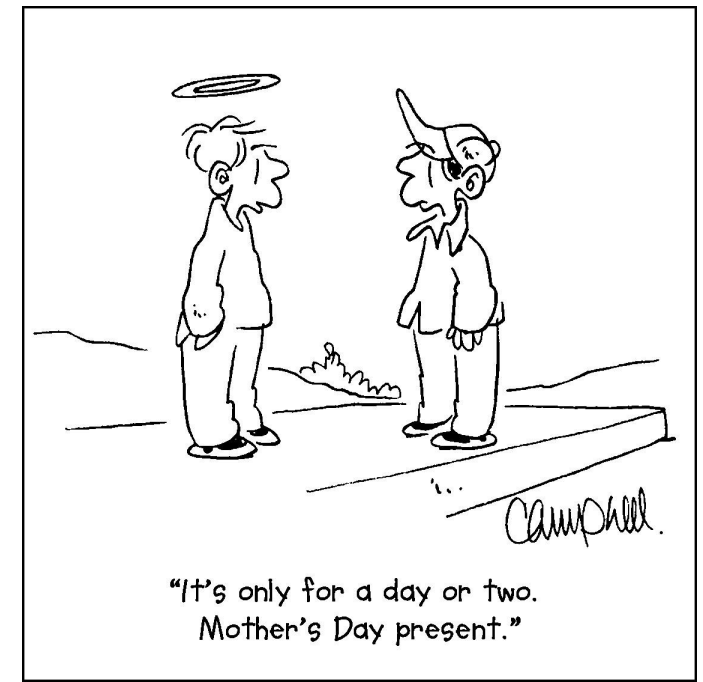
**Comet Booster Club Golf Tournament** is Monday, June 24, 2019 at The Moors Golf Club. Registration begins at 11:30 am and tee-off is at 12:30 pm. The format is a 4 person scramble, but singles and partial teams are welcome as the committee will pair up teams. Don’t miss this fun day of golfing and prizes! RSVP to Dave Doorn at [dave.doorn@hp.com](mailto:dave.doorn@hp.com). The price is \$125.00/player. All proceeds go to the Kalamazoo Christian Booster Club and will be used towards the current projects of the Middle School gym and new walkways at the High School track and baseball field. We appreciate your support and look forward to this awesome event.





## Family Faith Formation Tip

It’s important for your kids to know that adults need God’s help too. In age-appropriate ways, share your concerns with your kids. Are you nervous about that presentation at work? Ask you kids to pray for you. Then tell them later how God answered those prayers.



THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane

