HERITAGE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH, KALAMAZOO HERITAGECRC.ORG

Heritage CRC 2857 South 11th Street Kalamazoo, MI 49009 (just south from Stadium Drive)

Phone: 269.372.3830 Prayer Line 372.3830 x 5 churchoffice@heritagecrc.org

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

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: Thursday by 10:00 am. Call, leave a note, or e-mail to churchoffice@heritagecrc.org.

OFFICE HOURS: Wednesday: 10:00 am—2:00 pm Thursday: 10:00 am—2:00 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

NURSERY: May 27: Nadine VanDam & Ellen Byle

June 3: Joyce Truscott & Teri Wagner

COFFEE SERVERS:

May 27/June 3: Rick & Donna Lingbeek, Norbert & Joy Hegelmann, Gary & Dorothy June 10/17: Harold & Phyllis Triezenberg, Norbert & Joy Hegelmann, Broekhuizen Gary & Dorothy Broekhuizen

HALLMARK LIVING

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

May 27: Jim Triezenberg & Marilyn Stremler

June 3: Herm Vanders & Ellen Byle

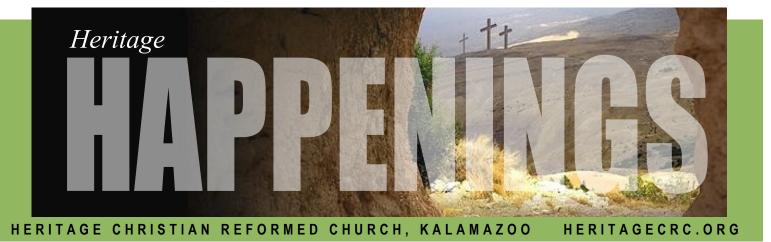
PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY: prayerline@heritagecrc.org

SERVICE MINISTRY: May: Judy Wieringa/**June**: Gretchen Vanders

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY: May 27: Ferrel Stremler June 3: Lisa Durian

PM: Gary Broekhuizen

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
9:30 am Pastor Simon "How Majestic" Psalm 8 ~No Evening Worship~	DAY	29	30	31	1	2
3 COMMUNION 9:30 am Pastor Simon "The Unshaken Life" Psalm 15	4	5	6	7	8	9
5 pm Pastor Simon "How Am I Right With God?" Philippians 3:1-11						
9:30 am Pastor Simon "To Know the Shepherd" Psalm 23	11	Admin Board Meeting 3:30 pm	13	14	15	16
5 pm Pastor Simon "Faith, Fruit and Gratitude" Galatians 3:10-14						
9:30 am Pastor Simon "When I Kept Silent" Psalm 32 5 pm Pastor Simon "Visible Signs of Invisible Grace" Romans 4:11, 10:17	18	19 Shepherding Elders 3 pm		21		Mobile Food Initiative Centerpoint Church 8 am set up 9 am food delivery

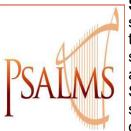


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What's up in Worship

Upcoming Summer Series...



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 today.

There is **no** evening worship tonight here at Heritage CRC.



Celebrations

Birthdays

Jack Wenke ~ May 31 Kathy Cobern ~ June 1

Anniversaries

Jerry & Trudy Oele ~ May 27 Nick & Ann Nieboer ~ June 1 ~ 62 years! Norm & Bonnie Langeland ~ June 2 ~ 52 years!



At the Information Center...

- June Birthday/Anniversary Calendars
- June Prayer Guides from the Christian Reformed Church.

Ministry items...

Join us on Sunday, June 10 immediately following morning worship for a time of food & fellowship. Please bring a dish to pass. Table service and drinks will be provided.





Office hours: Sue will be working Tuesday, June 5 instead of Thursday, June 7. And her summer hours will begin on May 30: 8:30 am—12:30 pm (Wednesdays and Thursdays).

Thank you

A sincere thank you to everyone at Heritage Church for the love you have shown to us. We greatly appreciate the many prayers, gifts, and financial help. You have made us feel very welcome and supported us in many ways. Special thanks to Pastor Simon for guiding us and for helping to make Little Alex's baptism so meaningful. Thank you also to the Bruinwood's and Teri Wagner for their time and efforts in providing Sunday school each week for Aman and Raynah. We have certainly learned what it means to be a part of the family of God. Blessings to all of you!

Asghar, Anum, Raynah, Aman & Alex

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Ministry...

Severe Weather Cancellation: In the event of severe weather and Sunday services are cancelled, closing information will be posted on Channel 3 WWMT as well as WOODTV 8 at least 1-hour prior to the worship service start time. You can also sign up to receive text or email alerts from Channel 3, WWMT. Go to

WWMT website. Click on School/Business/Church Closing Alerts. Then sign up to receive texts on your phone or email alerts for Heritage Christian Reformed Church.



From the Council...

Meeting of May 22, 2018

- 1) Pastor Simon Tuin opened with devotions and lead the meeting in prayer. The council then sang together, "Christian Hearts in Love United."
- Following a group reading of the "Covenant of Officebearers" the council spent time reviewing various schedules and ministry responsibilities.
- 3) The Shepherding Elders shared a verbal report.
- 4) The Shepherding Deacons shared a verbal report.
- The work of the Administrative Board was reviewed and approved. This included a recommendation to remove the replace the parking lot and driveway for an estimated total cost of \$175,000. Following much discussion, it was determined that more thorough documentation is needed before submission to the congregation for approval. The motion was tabled for further study and resubmission at the July meeting. The Board also shared that a letter will be sent to the congregation outlining the steps being taken to increase security in the building in the event of an emergency.
- 6) The April financial report was reviewed and appreciation expressed for the financial support of the congregation for their tithes and offerings.
- 7) Pastor Simon provided a detailed report of his activities for the past two months.
- 8) The next Council meeting is Tuesday, July 24, 2018.
- Elder Bill Vroegop closed the meeting with prayer.

Missions & Missionaries...

Loaves & Fishes wish list:

May: No or low-salt canned vegetables **June**: Healthy Snacks—granola bars, fruit snacks,

trail mix & string cheese

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

Emails or Letters to Missionaries...

Pat & Carol Schewe ~ Joseph Mutebi Helen Selles ~ Jairo Solano Ferrel & Marilyn Stremler ~ Larry Spalink

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 27
General Fund: Building Fund
Loose Change: Benevolence Fund
General Fund: Christian Education
Loose Change: Jesus Loves Kzoo
June 10
General Fund: Ministry Shares
Loose Change: Luke Society
June 17
General Fund: Faith Promise
Loose Change: Dordt College

Offerings (deposited for May 20)

Adopt a Cow ~ \$120.00
Building Fund ~ \$60.00
Christian Education Assistance ~ \$135.00
Elim Christian Services ~ \$279.00
Faith Promise ~ \$495.00
General Fund ~ \$3,821.00
Kalamazoo Building Hope Campaign ~ \$1,940.00
Ministry Shares ~ \$171.00

2017-18 Faith Promise year-end distribution: In April or May of each year all funds remaining in the fund for evangelism training or evangelism activities or our members is distributed to various missions. This year, \$416.43 was sent to Kalamazoo Gospel Mission Building Hope Campaign; \$250 to Hospital of Hope in Mango, Togo, West Africa (Jennifer DeKryger); and \$150 to Pacific Island Ministries (Eric Schering).

Requested Announcements

Take me out to the ballgame! Kalamazoo Christian's annual Tiger game day is set for Thursday, June 28. Charter bus(es) will leave Kalamazoo Christian High School at 8:30 am, drop you off at the entrance to Tiger Stadium for 1:08 pm game. You will return to KCHS at approximately 8 pm. Sub sandwich, snacks, beverages, prizes, fun and action are all included! Please call or email Connie VanDerSlik at 269-381-2044 or cvanderslik@kcsa.org.





