HERITAGE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH, KALAMAZOO HERITAGECRC.ORG

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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: 8:30 am—1:30 pm Thursday: 8:30 am—12:30 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

NURSERY: September 11: Tara Razenberg & Heather Tuin

September 18: Barb Razenberg & Evie Wenke

COFFEE SERVERS: Sept 11: Rick & Donna Lingbeek, Pat & Carol Schewe, Norbert & Joy Hegelmann Sept 18/25: Harold & Phyllis Triezenberg, Teri Wagner, Norm & Bonnie Langeland

HEARTLAND HEALTHCARE CENTER

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

September 11: Garv Broekhuizen & Phyllis Triezenberg

September 18: Simon Tuin & Judy Wieringa

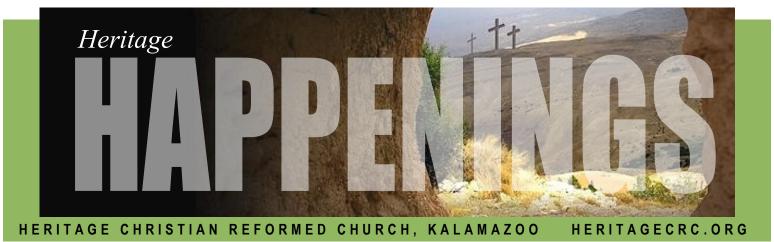
PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY: prayerline@heritagecrc.org

SERVICE MINISTRY: September: Judy Wieringa

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY: Sept 11: Pat Schewe Sept 18: Paul Booden

PM: Gary Broekhuizen

		Tim. Gary Brook				
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
9:30 am Pastor Simon "Set Free to Live Free: No idols" Exodus 20:4-6 5 pm Pastor Simon	12	13 Kalamazoo Classis Meeting at Calvary Community		G.R.O.W. Bible Study 9:30—11 am	16	17
"The Officers and Order of the Church" 1 Thessalonians 5:12-13						
9:30 am Pastor Simon "Set Free to Live Free: Don't Take God's Name in Vain" Exodus 20:7 5 pm Rev. Phil Kok	19	Coffee break Bible Study 9:30—11 am Shepherding Elders 3 pm Admin Board Meeting – 7 pm	P.U.S.H. Prayer Meeting 7 pm	G.R.O.W. Bible Study 9:30—11 am	23	Mobile Food Initiative at Prairie Ridge 8 am set up 9 am food drop
9:30 am Pastor Simon "Set Free to Live Free: Remember the Sabbath" Exodus 20:8-11 5 pm Pastor Simon "The Sacraments: A Means of Grace" Genesis 17:7	26	Coffee Break Bible Study 9:30—11 am Council Meeting 7 pm	28 Book Club 2 pm	G.R.O.W. Bible Study 9:30—11 am	30	OCTOBER
2 COMMUNION 9:30 am Pastor Simon "Set Free to Live Free: Honor your Father & Mother" Exodus 20:12 5 pm Rev. David Armstrong	3	Coffee Break Bible Study 9:30—11 am	5	G.R.O.W. Bible Study 9:30—11 am International Student Luncheon at WMU Please drop off food by 10:30 am	7	8



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What's up in Worship



Celebrations

Birthdays

Bonnie Colvin ~ September 13 Cassidy Bruinwood ~ September 16

Anniversaries

Bill & Kathy Cobern ~ September 13 Roger & Jackie Croy ~ September 15 ~ 54 years!

Stay in touch... did you know Kelsie Bruinwood is now a freshman at Calvin College in Grand Rapids? If you would like to send her a note of encouragement or just to say hello, you can find her at::

> Kelsey Bruinwood 355 Hevns Hall Grand Rapids, MI 49546-4411

September 11, 2016



Thank you...

Thank you to all those who made our annual Fall Carnival yesterday a success. Thank you for the donations of food items, of your time, and of yourself to

reach out to our neighbors!

Thank you to our church family for all the many cards, thoughts and prayers as we celebrated our 60th wedding anniversary. Also, thank you for all the love and concern showed during Phil's recent illness. All the credit goes to our faithful Phil & Barb Nieboer Savior.

Ministry

Ladies: Coffeebreak begins Tuesday, September 20 and we will be studying 1 Samuel from the "Discover the Bible" series. Please read the book of 1 Samuel to be refreshed. Invite a friend to join us. We are looking forward to another great year! Please see Phyllis Triezenberg or Barb Nieboer if you have any questions.

Men's Bible Fellowship will gather around the table again on Wednesday, September 14 at 8 am. Please study lesson 4.

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Ministry Continued...



High School Catechism with Pastor Simon will start next Sunday, September 18. This year's focus is on the Heidelberg Catechism and its relevance for life in our times. See you there!

Our Children's Sunday school will also start next Sunday, September 18. Any questions can be directed to Barb Razenberg.

International Student Luncheon: We will be helping provide lunch for the International Students at Western Michigan again on Thursday, October 6. Please sign up on the table in the Narthex if you can provide a salad, casserole (meat or vegetarian), fruit or drink. (Disposable pans will be available for your use next week.) Thank you.

Eat Bread to Raise Dough:

Please join Bible League International Volunteers on Tuesday, October 4, from 4:00-8:00 pm at the West Main Panera Bread. A percentage of the sales during that time will go to Bible League. At time of purchase, show the flyer distributed through the churches (see Barb Nieboer, Bonnie Colvin, or Carol Schewe).





Missions & Missionaires...

Loaves & Fishes wish list:

September: canned meat

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

Emails or Letters to Missionaries...

Gary & Dorothy Broekhuizen ~ Jerry An John & Kim Bruinwood ~ David Heath Gene Brussee ~ Joseph Mutebi

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

Sept 11 General Fund: Ministry Shares

Loose Change: Park Village Pines

Sept 18 General Fund: Faith Promise

Loose Change: Calvin Seminary

Sept 25: General Fund: Building Fund

Loose Change: Back to God

October 2: General Fund: Christian Education

Loose Change: Kzoo Deacons Conf

Offerings (for September 4)

Benevolence Fund ~ \$100.00 Building Fund ~ \$55.00

Calvin College ~ \$247.00

Christian Education Assistance ~ \$185.00

Faith Promise ~ \$80.00

Fall Carnival ~ \$510.00

General Fund ~ \$4,816.00

Kalamazoo Gospel Mission ~ \$15.00

Ministry Shares ~ \$110.00 Miscellaneous ~ \$25.00

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Wings of God ~ \$25.00



Requested Announcements

Prairie Edge Church Christian Ed Tuition Assistance Families are proud to sponsor our 5th Annual Holiday Bazaar. It will be on Saturday November 12, 2016 from 9am – 2pm. We have extended our early bird special till October 1, 2015 for 25.00 for 6ft table or 30.00 for 8ft table. After this time the cost will be \$30.00 for 6ft table and \$35.00 for 8ft table. We still have openings and looking for new vendors, so if you are interested or know of someone who sells home-made goods or a home-based business, please contact Cheryl Yonkers on her cell on (269) 547-4533 or email pecrcholidaybazaar@gmail.com and we can get a vendor contract to you.

East Martin Christian Reformed Church, (510 118th Avenue, Martin, Michigan) warmly invites you to join with us on Sunday evening, September 25 at 6 pm as we welcome world renown musicians, Scott Griffin and Alan Tripp, the musical duo Captivating Keyboards. This is a must see show for all ages. Having performed at such places as: Instituto de Bellas Artes of Chihuahua. Mexico, Bill Gaither's Fall Family Festival in Indiana, the Maranatha Bible Conference in Michigan, Word of Life campuses in New York and Florida, and the former Crystal Cathedral in California. Scott and Alan blend numerous musical genres together with creative energy and spontaneous fun. This concert is sure to bring joy to all. Come join us for a fun-filled, God glorifying evening of music and worship. A free will offering will be received during the concert.

And if you miss Captivating Keyboards at EM-CRC check them out here: Back by popular demand, sponsored by Bible League Volunteers, is Captivating Keyboards. Scott and Alan together perform on piano and organ in an enjoyable and entertaining mix of Christian, patriotic and popular songs. They previously appeared in Kalamazoo for Bible League, and more recently performed with the Singing Crusaders at their 2016 spring concert. It will be held at Covenant United Reformed Church located at 3724 Lovers Lane, on Thursday, September 29, at 7:00 pm. Light refreshments will be served at 6:30 and an offering will be received for Bible League work in Africa.

Kalamazoo Christian Schools is pleased to announce their 4th Think Big Event will take place on Wednesday, October 12th featuring Gov. Mike Huckabee, a minister with an inspiring message of Living Out Your Faith. The event will begin with a dinner at the Kalamazoo Country Club at 4:45 pm then Gov. Huckabee will speak at Valley Family Church at 7:15 pm. Purchase tickets to either event by going online only to https://ThinkBigKalamazoo. EventBrite.com Gov. Huckabee will speak to the 7-12th grade students the next morning for a special chapel.

Park Village Pines invites you to attend the free seminar "The Power of Estate Planning Basics" which will be held from 6-7:30 pm on their campus in the Oakview Terrace Training Room at 2920 Crystal Lane in Kalamazoo on Thursday, September 22. Jack VanSlambrouck, a partner with the local law firm of Miller Canfield, will share what every person should know about estate planning matters such as trusts, wills, powers of attorney, tax matters and more. A light meal will be provided and there will be a question and answer time with no solicitation during the evening. Space is limited, so to reserve your spot at this seminar please call Allison Phelps at (269) 364-6062 by September 19.



