

Heritage CRC

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SUNDAY WORSHIP:@ 9:30 AM

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:
Thursday by 8:00 am. Call,
leave a note, or e-mail to
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OFFICE HOURS:
Wednesday: 8:30 am —12:30 pm
Thursday: 8:30 am —12:00 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

COFFEE SERVERS:

Oct. 30 & Nov. 6 Bill & Kathy Coburn/Judy Wieringa, Heather Tuin,
Sue Florian

Nov. 13 & 20 Dave & Kathy VanderMeer/Mike & Cheri Gavin

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

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SERVICE MINISTRY: Judy Wieringa/Kathy VanderMeer

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:

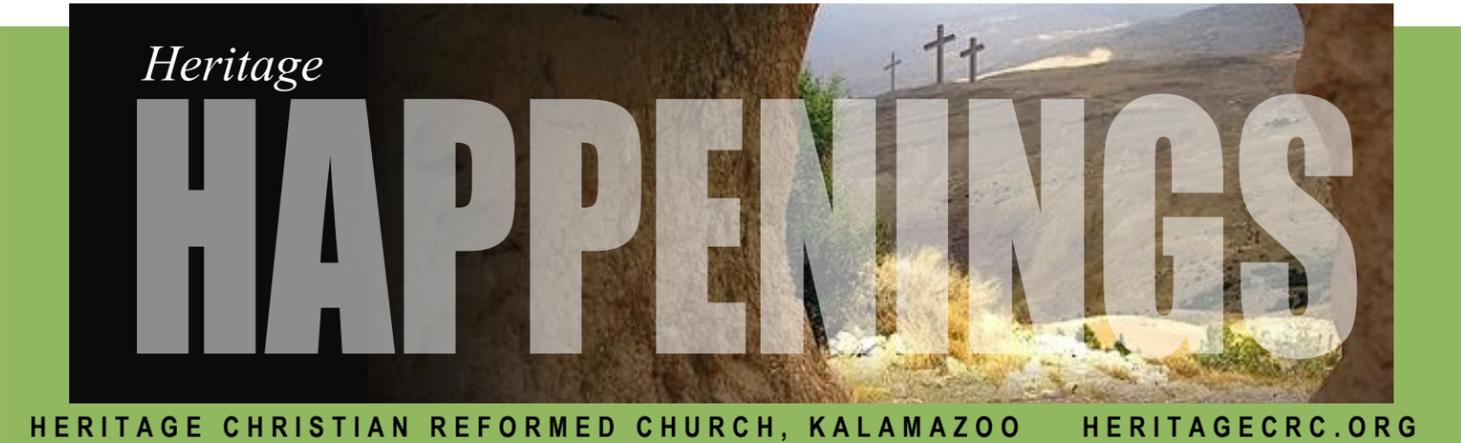
October 30 - Gary Broekhuizen

November 6 - Lisa Durian

November 13 - LillieAnn Durian

November 20 - Paul Booden

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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30 9:30 am Pastor Simon "I Am Not My Own" 1 Corinthians 6:12-20	31	1 9:30 am Coffee Break	2 8 am Men's Bible Study 10 am THE STORY Bible Study	3 9:30 am GROW Group	4	5
6 Communion Sunday 9:30 am Pastor Simon "Undivided Devotion" 1 Corinthians 7:1-40	7	8 7:00 pm Admin Board	9 10 am THE STORY Bible Study	10 9:30 am GROW Group	11	12
13 9:30 am Pastor Simon "How Love Impacts Our Freedom" 1 Corinthians 8:1-13	14	15 9:30 am Coffee Break 3:30 pm Shep Elders	16 10 am THE STORY Bible Study	17 9:30 am GROW Group	18	19 8 am Mobile Food Initiative



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What's up in Worship

The Church's One Foundation. If Paul were to write a letter to the churches of the early 21st century, it might be a lot like 1 Corinthians. The city of Corinth was caught up in the spirit of the world. Sadly, this worldly spirit had crept into the church and created significant conflict among the believers. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, Paul writes 1 Corinthians to address the problems while laying a foundation for a biblically and spiritually healthy church. Join us as Pastor Simon continues with his series about 1 Corinthians. This Sunday's sermon title is "I Am Not My Own" based on 1 Corinthians 6:12-20.



Dear Friends at Heritage, Thank you for your prayers and support of the ministry of the Hospital of Hope. The Kingdom work continues every day as seeds of truth are sown into the lives of our patients and their families. God does the work of opening their hearts and little by little God is establishing his Kingdom. We look forward to being with you at Heritage on March 12. Blessed by you, Jennifer, Will, Grant, Luke & Drew DeKryger.

Celebrations...

Birthdays...

Ed Finch ~ November 1
Ann DeMaagd ~ November 2 - 105!
Kevin Byle ~ November 5



October is pastor appreciation month! We give thanks to Pastor Simon and his family for all they do for our church family. A few ideas to show your appreciation: a note, a phone call, some cookies, treat him to lunch or a round of golf, etc.

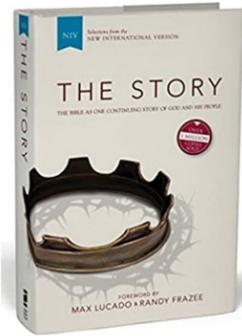


Help needed to decorate the Church for the Christmas Season. November 25th and 26th, details in the weeks ahead. Ideas and input are welcome for this fun filled time.

THE STORY Bible Study:

God goes to great lengths to rescue lost and hurting people. That is what The Story is all about: the story of the Bible, God's great love affair with humanity.

Pastor Mike Vandenberg leads this Bible study on Wednesdays at 10:00am at the Church. All are welcome to join us.



Small groups meeting this coming week:

- Tuesday - Coffee Break, 9:30 am
- Wednesday - Men's Bible Study, 8:00 am
The STORY Bible Study, 10 am
- Thursday - GROW Group, 9:00 am



Reformation Hymn Festival: You are invited to a free musical event that will explore the history and doctrines of the Reformation through the great hymns of the faith, accompanied by talented instrumentalists and singers from area churches. Come join your voices with ours as we rejoice in a salvation that is by grace alone! Saturday, November 5th, at 6:30PM at North Park Reformed Church.

Offering Schedule

- Oct. 30 General Fund
Loose Change: Kalamazoo Gospel Ministries
- Nov. 6 General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance
Loose Change: Park Village Pines
- Nov. 13 General Fund & Ministry Shares
Loose Change: Reach the Forgotten Jail Ministry - formerly Forgotten Man Ministries
- Nov. 20 General Fund & Faith Promise
Loose Change: Wycliffe Bible Translators

Offerings (deposited for Oct. 23, 2022)

- Benevolence Fund ~ \$100.00
- Building Fund ~ \$60.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$200.00
- General Fund ~ \$4,415.00
- Kalamazoo Christian ~ \$145.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$75.00

Grace and Truth Counseling Workshop

Need space for you and your kids to Rebuild due to separation or divorce? Join a therapist led 5-week session for support while you map out a new blueprint for your future. Separate classes for kids and parents. All five Tuesdays of November, 6-7:30 pm at Centerpoint Church. These sessions are led by Lydia Boonzayer and Melanie Bugnaski, LLPC therapists. For more information and to sign up go to <https://forms.gle/sFWgxxq5AQD6Jinx9>



ReFrame Ministries

Family Fire - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

I'll Be Praying for You - Check out the kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Would you rather work in a group or work by yourself? One way we can work together and help one another is by encouraging through prayer as others go through difficult times. Listen now at kidscorner.net and check out all the new content.

World Renew

Spring Break Work Trips - Are you looking to roll up your sleeves on spring break? World Renew Disaster Response Services has projects for high school and college age volunteers and groups to help homeowners across North America clean up and repair homes damaged by a disaster. If you or your group are being Called to Serve with World Renew DRS next spring, go to worldrenew.net/springbreak to sign up and get more information!

Kalamazoo Loaves & Fishes: A grocery cart in the Gym/Fellowship Hall is available to collect non-perishable food items for Loaves & Fishes. Below you'll find items that are in high demand:
 -Protein (6 grams of higher) - canned meats, dry beans, hearty soups, beef stew, etc.
 -Fruits - canned, preferably without sugar or corn syrup added.
 -100% Fruit Juice - canned or plastic
 -Vegetables - canned
 -Grains - pasta, rice, oatmeal
 -Jelly/Jam - cereal and granola bars

Alternatives of Kalamazoo: A baby basinet is available in the Gym/Fellowship Hall for donations to support the clothing store at Alternatives Pregnancy Care Center of Kalamazoo. Needed items include diapers, new or gently used clothing, receiving blankets, and more to assist families in having what they need to take care of their precious children.

Family Faith Formation Tip

"Regardless of what a family looks like, its adult members can have a big impact on the development of children's faith. And they do that primarily by modeling faith in everyday moments.

What do those moments look like? They are amazingly ordinary. Holding hands, praying at the table . . . talking about a bad day at school—those moments all have the potential to form faith"

—from Dear Parent: A Guide for Family Faith Formation, by Laura Keeley and Robert J. Keeley, available at FaithAliveResources.org.

Video Recording

A video recording of the morning worship service will be posted to our church YouTube page either on Sunday or Monday. Here is the link to our YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCutET663hVzpPohBMiCXEQA>. If you haven't already done so, be sure to subscribe to our YouTube channel and click the notification bell to receive updates whenever a new video becomes available.



Prayer line Reminder: Please send all prayer requests to Jerry Oele or if your email address has changed, you wish to have your or a friend's email added to the Prayer Line, or you wish to no longer receive Prayer Line emails, please send an email request to: jerry.oele@yahoo.com or prayerline@heritagecrc.org

