

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
churchoffice@heritagecrc.org.

OFFICE HOURS:
Wednesday: 8:30 am —12:30 pm
Thursday: 8:30 am —12:00 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

COFFEE SERVERS:

October 2 & 9 Cameron & Helen Brown/Sue Mejeur/Judy Fletcher
October 16 & 23 Fred & Pam Gould/John & Kim Bruinwood

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

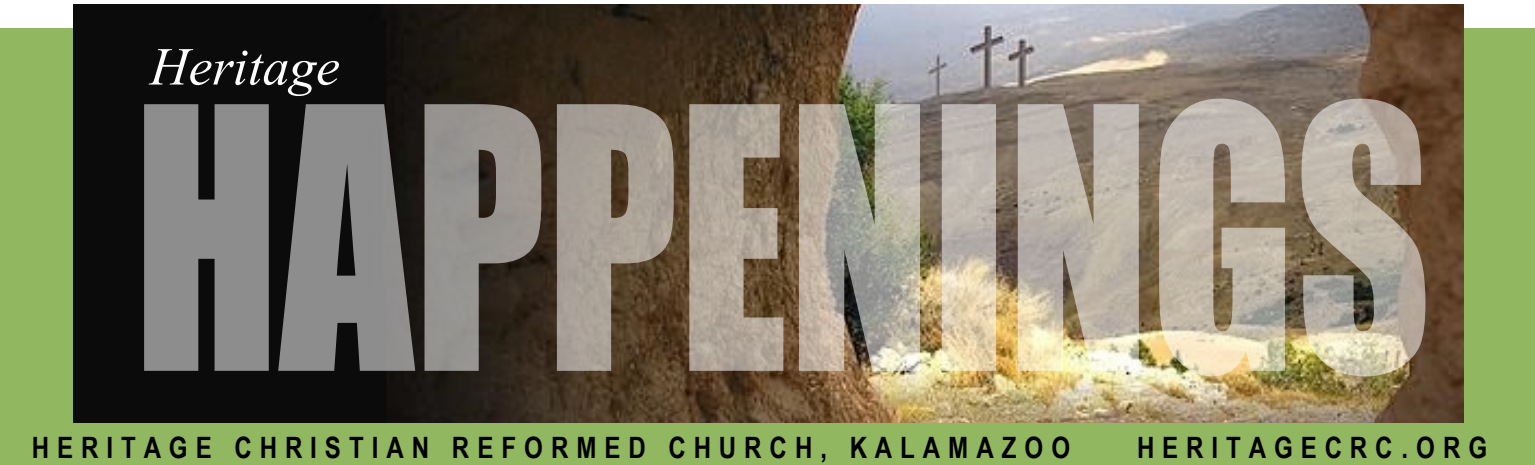
PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY: prayerline@heritagecrc.org

SERVICE MINISTRY: Judy Wieringa/Kathy VanderMeer

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:

October 9 - LillieAnn Durian
October 16 - Paul Booden
October 23 - Gary Broekhuizen
October 30 - Lisa Durian

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				6	7	8
9 9:30 am Pastor Simon "Dealing with Sin in the Church" 1 Corinthians 5:1-13 11:00 am Church Potluck	10	11 7 pm Admin Board	12	13 9:30 am GROW Group	14	15
16 9:30 am Pastor Simon "The Danger of Courting Sin" 1 Corinthians 6:1-11	17	18 9:30 am Coffee Break 6:00 pm Classis Kalamazoo meeting at Heritage CRC	19	20 9:30 am GROW Group	21	22 8 am Mobile Food Initiative
23 9:30 am Pastor Dale Slings "The Meaning of Jesus' Miracles" Matthew 8:1-17	24	25 10 am Book Club 3:30 pm Shep. Elders	26	27 9:30 am GROW Group	28	29



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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 "Dealing With Sin in the Church" based on 1 Corinthians 5:1-13.



CHURCH
Potluck
JOIN US FOR FOOD
& FELLOWSHIP

It's church potluck Sunday this week! Please provide a dish to pass if you are able; drinks and table service will be provided. All are welcome!

Celebrations...

Birthdays...

Matt Miller ~ October 10
Donn Carlisle ~ October 13



Anniversaries...

Dan & Deb VanderMeer ~ October 10



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.

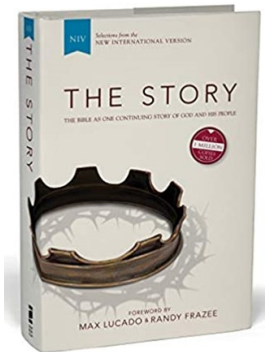
If you need a new church picture directory, please let Lisa in the office know. You can leave a note or find her after church, or email the office at churchoffice@heritagecrc.org or call 372-3830.

Please change Glen & Ruth Wagner's email in your directories to: grwagner21@yahoo.com

Thank You

Thank you for all your prayers and cards of encouragement these past several weeks. It was very encouraging to hear from you and to know your love during my time of healing and recovery.
~Val Verhage

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. The Story sweeps you into the unfolding progression of Bible characters and events from Genesis to Revelation. Studying the New International Version, allows the stories, poems, and teachings of the Bible to read like a novel. Like any good story, The Story is filled with intrigue, drama, conflict, romance, and redemption - and this story is true!



Pastor Mike Vandenberg will begin our journey, Wednesday, October 26 at 10:00am at the Church. If you would like to join us for this journey through God's great love story, please let Pastor Mike know (indypastor@gmail.com) so enough books can be ordered.

Offering Schedule

- Oct. 2 General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance
Loose Change: Resonate Global Mission
- Oct. 9 General Fund & Ministry Shares
Loose Change: World Renew– Kentucky Flooding
- Oct. 16 General Fund & Faith Promise
Loose Change: Benevolence Fund
- Oct. 23 General Fund & Building Fund
Loose Change: Kalamazoo Christian Schools

Offerings (deposited for Oct. 2, 2022)

- Building Fund ~ \$85.00
- Christian Ed. Assistance ~ \$1,140.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$80.00
- General Fund ~ \$7,665.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$135.00
- Resonate Global Mission ~ \$171.00



Blood Drive

Our church will be hosting a blood drive on October 27 from noon to 6 pm in the fellowship hall/gym. Sign up sheets are on the table in the narthex. Contact Donnie Waterhouse with any questions.



Join us for a night to remember all that God has done over the past 40 years and celebrate what is to come! We are honored to welcome our past Executive Directors who have helped lay a firm foundation for Alternatives' God-honoring ministry and hear how God is directing us into the future. Take a walk back in time to reflect and learn of Alternatives history at our Gallery of Remembrance. This truly will be a night to remember." You can go to alternativescc.org/events for more information and to register.



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.

ReFrame Ministries

Family Fire - 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.

Who is Welcome - Check out the kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Our churches are homes too. They are a home for our church family, a place where we learn about and worship God. How can you help your church family members feel like they belong today? Listen now at kidscorner.net and check out all the new content.

Groundwork: God's Perfect Peace - How do we find the strength to say "it is well with our souls," even when our circumstances leave us feeling uncertain or anxious? Join our Groundwork conversation as we study Isaiah 26:3-4, Jeremiah 6:13-14, and Numbers 6:22-26 to better understand the truth of God's perfect peace and discover how we can experience it for ourselves, even when our lives aren't very peaceful. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

World Renew

Help Survivors of Hurricane Ian - World Renew Disaster Response Services is making plans to respond to Hurricane Ian in southwest Florida. Ian is one of the top 5 storms to hit Florida in the last 100 years along with Andrew, Charley, Wilma, and Irma. Many homes are underwater from heavy rain and historic storm surge. You can help by praying for those most affected and by giving generously to World Renew at worldrenew.net/donate, calling 800-552-7972, or mailing your check made out to World Renew DRS, with Hurricane Ian Response 2022 in the memo line to: World Renew, 8970 Byron Commerce Drive, Byron Center, MI, 49315-7400.

Family Faith Formation Tip

Thankfulness is an important faith practice.

Each day between now and Thanksgiving, notice the things in your life that you can give thanks for.

Write those things on slips of paper and collect them in a jar or box to read during your Thanksgiving celebration.

crcna.org/FaithFormation

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

