

Heritage CRC

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SUNDAY WORSHIP:@ 9:30 AM

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

OFFICE HOURS:
Wednesday: 8:15 am —1:00 pm
Thursday: 8:15 am —12:15 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

COFFEE SERVERS:

Jan. 23 & 30 Judy Fletcher & Asghar Gill/Norm & Bonnie Langeland
Feb. 6 & 13 Dan & Deb VanderMeer/Bob & Barb Razenberg

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

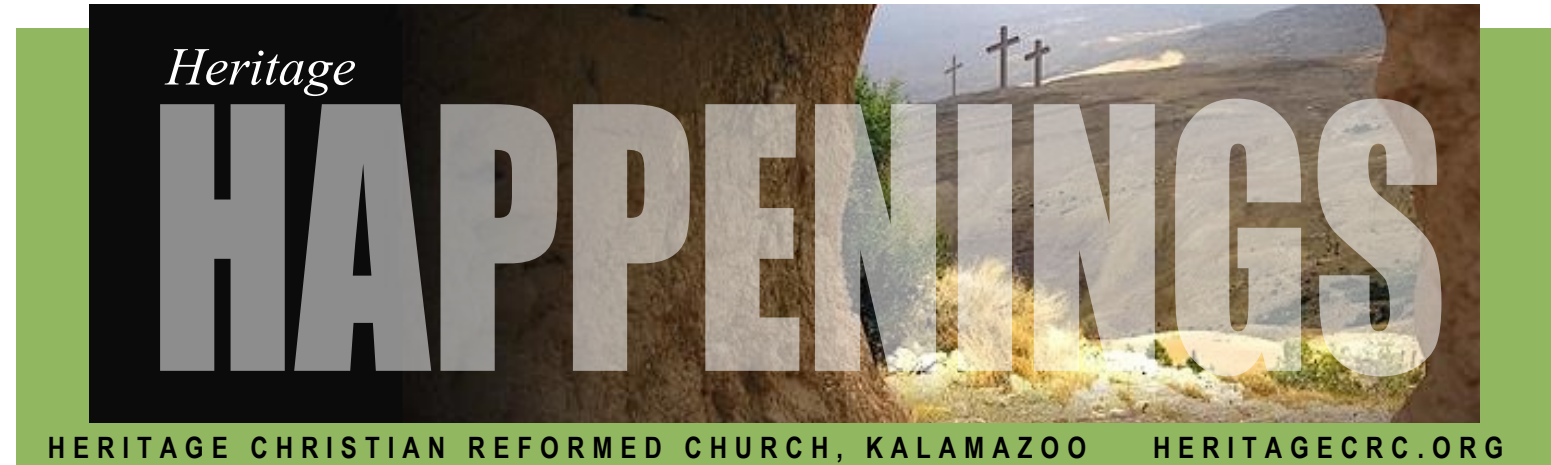
PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY: prayerline@heritagecrc.org

SERVICE MINISTRY: Judy Wieringa/Kathy VanderMeer

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:

Jan. 30 - Gary Broekhuizen
Feb. 6 - Lisa Durian
Feb. 13 - LillieAnn Durian
Feb. 20 - Paul Booden

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			26	27	28	29
30 9:30 am Pastor Simon "I AM WHO I AM's Rescue Plan" Exodus 3:1-4:31	31	1 9:30 am Coffee Break FEBRUARY	2 8 am Men's Bible Study	3 9:30 am GROW Group	4	5
6 Communion Sunday 9:30 am Pastor Simon "God's Promised Deliverance" Exodus 5:1-7:7	7	8 7 pm Admin Board	9	10 9:30 am GROW Group	11	12
13 9:30 am Pastor Simon "The Passover & Exodus" Exodus 12:1-50	14	15 9:30 am Coffee Break 3:30 pm Shep. Elders	16 7 pm P.U.S.H.	17 9:30 am GROW Group	18	19



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What's up in Worship

Exodus: God of Grace and God of Glory ~

The book of Exodus is the story of what it means to be redeemed by God, to live with God and to worship God alone. Exodus shows us how God formed a people for Himself and how their rescue from slavery points us to Christ who set us free from sin and calls us to walk with a holy God. Join us each week as Pastor Simon preaches on a sermon series about the book of Exodus. This week's message: "I AM WHO I AM's Rescue Plan". Exodus 3:1-4:31



We would like to update our directory, you will find your current directory page in your mailbox, please update any information. For those that would like to add an updated photo, you can submit one to the office or Lisa will be taking pictures after church this week (Jan. 30) in the council room. Please put all updated information pages on the desk in the office by January 30. Thank you!



Celebrations...

Birthdays...

Trudy Oele ~ January 30
Bob Razenberg ~ February 2
Bruce Fletcher ~ February 4



The Coffee Break ladies are collecting warm clothing and blankets for the needy! Coats, boots, anything you have extra will be greatly appreciated! Time to check your closets! Thank you in advance.

Mark your calendars! Our next all church potluck is scheduled for Sunday, February 27.



Ministry Opportunities

Next week's ministry opportunities:

Coffee Break meets on Tuesday at 9:30 am.
Men's Bible Study meets on Wednesday at 8:00 am.
GROW Group meets Thursday at 9:30 am.

Help feed Daisy! Over the past 15 years, Heritage CRC has partnered with Growing Hope Globally (<https://www.growinghopeglobally.org/>) and 2 other churches in Kalamazoo (Grace and Third CRC) to tackle world hunger! Each year, Red Arrow Dairy donates 5 cows and churches "rent" or "adopt" a cow to cover their feed and veterinary care expenses. In return, the dairy donates the value of the milk produced back to the churches. As we look to a new year of support for Growing Hope Globally, you find the "Adopt-a-Cow" poster by the office, which will provide an opportunity for members to adopt Daisy the cow for \$45/week in 2022.



Offering Schedule

- Jan. 30 General Fund
Loose Change: Wycliffe
- Feb. 6 General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance
Loose Change: Christian Schools International
- Feb. 13 General Fund & Ministry Shares
Loose Change: Park Village Pines
- Feb. 20 General Fund & Faith Promise
Loose Change: Benevolence Fund

Offerings (deposited for January 23, 2022)

- Building Fund ~ \$1,120.00
- Christian Ed. Assistance ~ \$50.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$75.00
- General Fund ~ \$4,061.00
- Initial Offering ~ \$30.00
- Kalamazoo Christian ~ \$100.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$185.00
- World Renew ~ \$78.00

Severe Weather Cancellation: In the event of severe weather and Sunday services are cancelled, closing information will be posted on Channel 3 WWMT 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. Go to WWMT website, click on weather, then closings. Then sign up to receive texts on your phone or email alerts for Heritage Christian Reformed Church.



Loaves & Fishes Ministry ~ the grocery cart is located in the gym/fellowship hall. We are collecting food and it will be delivered to Kalamazoo Loaves & Fishes. The grocery cart is available every week to collect non-perishable food items. Thank you for supporting this ministry.



Alternatives of Kalamazoo is officially gearing up for the 2022 Life is Good Auction!! More registration details will be coming soon, but here's what you need to know!

Date: Friday, March 18
Location: Westwood CRC

We will be offering a hybrid option this year and will be in person AND online! Be on the lookout for all the information, but until then...We are currently accepting donations for the Auction! Please send any information or questions to lexie@alternativesofkzoo.org



ReFrame Ministries

Join Us For Dinner - Check out the new kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Matthew 7:12 says, "Treat others as you want them to treat you." Let's talk about how to make space for others by making the circle bigger and about reaching out to a neighbor or stranger in our midst. Listen now at kidscorner.net and check out all the new content.

Groundwork: Living God's Way in Our Relationships - Whether relationships are personal or professional, easy or hard, the Apostle Paul has guidance grounded in faith for all types of relationships. Join Groundwork as we study Ephesians 5:21-6:9 to better understand how to live God's way in your relationships. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

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.

Calvin University

Calvin Academy for Lifelong Learning - offers another session of dynamic classes for spring, beginning February 1. Instructors include Richard Mouw, Dale Cooper, Dan Kroeze, Glenn Bulthuis, Jim Schaap, and others. We offer in-person and online options with recordings for later viewing. Email us at call@calvin.edu to receive the catalog.

Race Relations

Race Relations Sunday is Next Week (Feb. 6) - Celebrate with congregations across the CRC-NA the multicultural church of Christ on Race Relations Sunday, which is observed next week on February 6. Seek out resources and active ways to address racism in our community and commit to join in and support the work of anti-racism by searching the website: crcna.org/Race

Family Faith Formation Tip

Read James 1:22-25 and ponder or discuss the following question.

What specific opportunities have you had recently to do what God's Word says?

crcna.org/faithpracticesproject

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: 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

